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**ELECTIONS OF PRESIDENT ELECT AND 3 ORDINARY
MEMBERS OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD
2025**

Dear Members,

Elections are now required to appoint the next ESPES President Elect and three Ordinary Members of the Executive Board.

The newly elected members will assume their roles following the General Assembly (GA) in Athens, scheduled for mid-October.

President Elect

The President Elect supports the activities and works in close collaboration with the current President. The President Elect also serves as Co-Chair of the General Assembly (GA).

The President Elect will serve one year, before becoming the President of the ESPES, one year later and finally Past President for one more year.

Executive Board (EB)

The EB develops programs and formulates new strategies to enhance and strengthen ESPES.

The EB oversees the organization of the annual congress and manages financial matters.

The EB also monitors the activities of ESPES committees and participates actively in the day-Society's daily affairs.

Ordinary Members of the Executive Board will serve two years.

Eligibility Criteria and Application Process:

Any member wishing to stand for election MUST:

1. Be a current paid-up member of the Society (paid annual subscription).
2. Submit a letter of intent indicating the specific position for which they are applying (President-Elect or Executive Board Ordinary Member — *please apply just for ONE position; applications for multiple positions will not be accepted*).
3. Provide a statement of no more than 200 words outlining their background, relevant experience, and motivations for applying, including how they intend to contribute to ESPES and its Executive Board.
4. Include the names, positions, and email addresses of two current ESPES members who support their candidacy (both must be paid-up ESPES members).

All application materials must be submitted via email to: espes.secretary@gmail.com by July 31st, 2025 (midnight GMT).


Electronic ballot papers will be distributed by August 15th, 2025. Only active (paid-up) ESPES members will be eligible to vote.

The voting deadline is October 9th, 2025 (midnight GMT).

Candidates unable to meet these deadlines must notify the Honorary Secretary at the above email address no later than July 31st, 2025.

Sincerely,


Maria Escolino
Hon. Secretary


Isabela Draghici
President