

## ESCI Trust Foundation Management - Policy Document 2022

### Board

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### Activities

1. Board meeting on the 8<sup>th</sup> of June, 2022.
2. Financial support of ESCI activities:
  - a. - ESCI Award for the Best Clinical Research Article published in the European Journal of Clinical Investigation;  
- ESCI Award for the Best Basic Research Article published in the European Journal of Clinical Investigation;  
- Two Young Investigator Awards for excellence in Basic/Translational Research which are given yearly to excellent investigators, after nomination by the Board of the European Society of Clinical Investigation (ESCI).  
  
Introducing three new categories:
    - Exploratory Research Grant;
    - Mobility Grant;
    - Science Communication Grant.
  - b. ESCI poster prizes: These underscore the merits of the research results presented at the ESCI meetings, by stimulating investigators to present high quality work.
  - c. The yearly ESCI Scientific Meeting, this year to be held on the 8<sup>th</sup> to 10<sup>th</sup> of June, 2022. This enables active participation of internationally renowned researchers to this meeting. Financial support from the ESCI Trust Foundation will be spent on – among other activities – organizing Workshops dealing with various aspects of clinical research and fundamental biology.
  - d. The Scientific Society ESCI for organizing the yearly Scientific Meeting. This involves payments for the Central Office (rent, salaries, office expenses & accountant) and the board of ESCI (travel, meetings, hotel & daily expenses).
3. Financial management to achieve optimization of strategic reserves for improvement of the quality of future ESCI meetings, for stimulation of scientific communication within Europe and for supporting translational research.
4. Long-range policy: Appropriate financial management to be able to keep up these activities in the future.

The above-mentioned activities concerning the management and donations of financial means, as well as consultation with relevant institutions and individuals, will be continued in future. Depending on the financial means, renewing activities will be promoted within the framework of the objectives of the ESCI Trust Foundation as laid down in its statutes.