Election

2025 Elections - 6 N&AHP Committee Members Elect

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Previous positions as ESICM officer

Type	Country	Function	Section	From	То
N/A	UK	Committee Members Elect	N&AHP Committee members		

Specialisation

Speciality	Diploma	Year of qualification	Type speciality
Additional speciality	PhD in Translational Medicine	2027	Doctorate
Additional speciality	Advanced Clinical Practice	2022	Master in Science
Additional speciality	Critical Care Medicine	2018	Master in Science
Additional speciality	Professional Diploma in Tropical Nursing	2017	PGCE
Additional speciality	Mentorship and Competency Based Education	2016	Postgraduate course
Primary speciality	BSc(Hons) Adult Nursing	2013	BSc(Hons) Adult Nursing

Positions

Institution	Department	Function	From	То
Royal London Hospital, Barts Health NHS Trust	Adult Critical Care Unit	Intensive Care Nurse		

Royal London Hospital, Barts Health NHS Trust	Adult Critical Care Unit	Senior ICU Nurse, Ward Manager	
Royal London Hospital, Barts Health NHS Trust	Adult Critical Care Unit and Critical Care Outreach Outreach	Advanced Clinical Practitioner in Critical Care Outreach Team	
Royal London Hospital, Barts Health NHS Trust	Adult Critical Care Unit	Advanced Critical Care Practitioner (ACCP)	
Queen Mary University of London and Barts Health NHS Trust	Critical Care and Perioperative Medicine Research Group and Adult Critical Care Unit	Doctoral Research Fellow and Clinical Academic (ACCP)	

Professional Bodies Appointments

Society	Status	From	to
Nursing and Midwifery Coucil	Active Registered Nurse		
Faculty of Intensive Care Medicine (FICM)	Registered Member as Advanced Critical Care Practitioner (ACCP)		
Intensive Care Society (ICS) UK	Professional Advisory Group for Advanced Practitioner in Critical Care		

Comments

Details on your candidature

I am a Clinical Academic working clinically as an Advanced Critical Care Practitioner (ACCP) in adult critical care and as a Doctoral Research Fellow at Queen Mary University of London. Since graduating with a First Class Honours degree in Adult Nursing in 2013, I have worked continuously in critical care, progressing through roles as senior sister, advanced clinical practitioner in critical care outreach, and now ACCP in the Adult Critical Care Unit at the Royal London Hospital. My clinical practice is underpinned by robust academic training, including MSc degrees in Critical Care and Advanced Clinical Practice. I hold an NIHR Doctoral Clinical Academic Fellowship and am currently undertaking a PhD investigating how to improve outcomes for acute respiratory patients on non-invasive respiratory support. This work employs mixed-methods research, including bedside physiology, translational approaches, and qualitative methods. Alongside my research, I have developed strong expertise in evidence appraisal, clinical research, and implementation science.

To date, I have published 20 original papers, contributed to four book chapters, and presented internationally. I regularly teach and support professional development, including delivering workshops, masterclasses, webinars, and talks at ESICM congresses. I

am a Fellow of the Higher Education Academy and teach on the Critical Care MSc at Queen Mary University of London, supporting nurses, AHPs, and medical doctors.

Beyond academia, I served for four years on the Professional Advisory Group Panel for the Intensive Care Society (ICS UK), advising on national policy, guidelines, and education for ACCPs, including development of the Terms of Reference for NHS England's medical workforce group. I am also a member of the associate editorial board of the Journal of the Intensive Care Society, where I act as peer reviewer, handle manuscripts, and support editorial processes.

Over the past year, I have had the privilege of serving on the ESICM Nurses & AHP Committee. In this role, I have contributed to education and learning activities (webinars, workshops, and congress sessions) and worked collaboratively with the NEXT Committee to bridge professional groups and foster interdisciplinary engagement. These experiences have deepened my understanding of the Committee's strategic priorities and reinforced my commitment to advancing the visibility, professional development, and scientific contributions of nurses and AHPs in intensive care.

Looking ahead, I am particularly motivated to:

- Expand educational offerings for nurses and AHPs, both at congress and through digital platforms, ensuring accessibility across Europe and beyond.
- Support collaborative and multicentre research that demonstrates the unique contributions of nursing and AHP practice in intensive care. But also contribute to the development of other early-career nurses&AHP researcher who wish to start or strengthen this pathway in their career
- Strengthen mentorship and leadership pathways, enabling early-career nurses and AHPs to take active roles within ESICM.

I believe continuity is vital to sustain the momentum of the Committee. Extending my tenure would allow me to ensure that ongoing initiatives are realised while bringing fresh perspectives informed by my clinical, academic, and international experience.

It would be a privilege to continue serving the ESICM Nurses & AHP Committee and to work alongside colleagues in advancing our shared vision of excellence in multidisciplinary intensive care.

Financial interests

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None

Source

N/A

Academic interests

Description

NIHR Doctoral Research Fellowship Grant

Clinical PhD in Translational Medicine (focused on respiratory care and advanced monitoring implementation for acute respiratory failure patients requiring non-invasive respiratory supports) at Queen Mary University of London

Declare no conflict of interest

Yes

I hereby certify that I have read and understood the Statutes of ESICM.

Yes

I hereby certify that I have read and understood the job description for the position I am applying to.

Yes

I am able to dedicate enough time to perform the job and attend the regular meetings necessary for this position.

Yes

I hereby certify that I agree on all the tasks described in the job description and agree to undertake them.

Yes

I confirm that the information given in this form is to the best of my knowledge and belief, true and accurate.

Yes