

Standard declaration of interests (DOI) form for individuals applying to be appointed as members of expert groups or sub-groups in a personal capacity

Legal basis:

Commission Decision [C(2016)...] establishing horizontal rules on the creation and operation of Commission expert groups, Articles 2(4) and 11.

Definitions:

"**Conflict of interest**" means any situation where an individual has an interest that may compromise or be reasonably perceived to compromise the individual's capacity to act independently and in the public interest when providing advice to the Commission in relation to the subject of the work performed by the expert group or sub-group in question.

"**Immediate family member**" means the individual's spouse, children and parents. "Spouse" includes a partner with whom the individual has a registered non marital regime. "Children" means the child(ren) the individual and the spouse have in common, the own child(ren) of the individual and the own child(ren) of the spouse.

"**Legal entity**" means any commercial business, industry association, consultancy, research institution or other enterprise whose funding is significantly derived from commercial sources. It also includes independent own commercial businesses, law offices, consultancies or similar.

"**Body**" means a governmental, international or non-profit organisation.

"**Meeting**" includes a series or cycle of meetings.

Please answer each of the questions below. If the answer to any of the questions is "yes", please briefly describe relevant interests and circumstances, as appropriate.

If you do not describe relevant interests, your DOI form will be considered incomplete and, therefore, your application to be appointed as a member of an expert group or sub-group in a personal capacity shall be rejected.

First name: Pedro

Family name: Pita Barros

Expert group/sub-group: Expert Panel on Effective Ways of Investing in Health

1 EMPLOYMENT CONSULTANCY AND LEGAL REPRESENTATION

	<i>Within the past 5 years, were you employed or have you had any other professional relationship with a natural or legal entity, or held any non-remunerated post in a legal entity or other body with an interest in the field of activity of the expert group/sub-group in question?</i>	yes	no
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1a	Employment	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
1b	Consultancy, including services as an advisor	X	<input type="checkbox"/>
1c	Non-remunerated post	X	<input type="checkbox"/>
1d	Legal representation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Activity	Time period (from... until month/year)	Name of entity or body	Description
Member of Council, elected as representative of the Portuguese universities	July/2017 -	Portuguese National Council for Health	Advisory board to the Ministry of Health in Portugal. Members nominated by Government, elected by the Parliament, or representing relevant bodies.
Member of Council, nominated by the Portuguese Government	April/2015 -	Portuguese Ethics council for life sciences	Advisory board
Member of Editorial Board	January/2011 -	Office of Health Economics	Reviewing and advising of reports on the health sector

2 MEMBERSHIP OF MANAGING BODY, SCIENTIFIC ADVISORY BODY OR EQUIVALENT STRUCTURE

	<i>Within the past 5 years, have you participated in the internal decision-making of a legal entity or other body with an interest in the field of activity of the expert group/sub-group in question or have you</i>	yes	no
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	<i>participated in the works of a Scientific Advisory Body with voting rights on the outputs of that entity?</i>		
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2a	Participation in a decision-making process	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2b	Participation in the work of a Scientific Advisory Body	X	<input type="checkbox"/>

Activity	Time period (from... until month/year)	Name of legal entity or body	Description
Evaluation panel member	January/2016 -	European Research Council	Evaluation of research projects in the field of economics (including health economics)

3 RESEARCH SUPPORT

	<i>Within the past 5 years, have you, or the research entity to which you belong, received any support from a legal entity or other body with an interest in the field of activity of the expert group/sub-group in question?</i>	yes	no
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3a	Research support, including grants, rents, sponsorships, fellowships, non-monetary support	X	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Activity	Time period (from... until month/year)	Name of legal entity or body	Description
Research projects	Continuing	several	The research center at my institution, Nova School of Business and Economics, receives grants from several entities. I do not participate in all research projects.

Consultancy work	Continuing	several	The research center at my institution, Nova School of Business and Economics, provides consultancy work to several entities in the health sector. (I do not have a complete list, as I am not involved in all activities).
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4 FINANCIAL INTERESTS

	<i>Do you have current investments in a legal entity with an interest in the field of activity of the expert group/sub-group in question, including holding of stocks and shares, and which amounts to more than 10,000 EUR per legal entity or entitling you to a voting right of 5% or more in such legal entity?</i>	yes	no
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4a	Shares	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
4b	Other stock	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

Investment	Name of legal entity	Description

5 INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY

	<i>Do you have any intellectual property rights that might be affected by the outcome of the work carried out by the expert group/sub-group in question?</i>	yes	no
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5a	Patent, trademarks, or copyrights	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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5b	Others	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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Intellectual property	Description

6 PUBLIC STATEMENTS AND POSITIONS

	<i>Within the past 5 years, have you provided any expert opinion or testimony in the field of activity of the expert group/sub-group in question, for a legal entity or other body as part of a regulatory, legislative or judicial process? Have you held an office or other position, paid or unpaid, where you represented interests or defended an opinion in the field of activity of the expert group/sub-group in question?</i>	Yes	no
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6a	For a legal entity or other body as part of a regulatory, legislative or judicial process	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6b	Represented interests or defended an opinion	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

Activity	Time period (from... until month/year)	Name of legal entity or body	Description
Participated in Opinions enacted by the Portuguese Health Council	July/2017 -	Portuguese Health Council	Opinion enacted under the normal working of the Council, upon request from the Government
Participated in Opinions enacted by the Portuguese Ethics Council for Life Sciences	April/2015 -	Portuguese Ethics Council for Life Sciences	Opinion enacted under the normal working of the Council, upon request from the Government or

			the Portuguese Parliament.
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7 INTERESTS OF IMMEDIATE FAMILY MEMBERS **yes no**

7a	To your knowledge, are there any interests of your immediate family members which could be seen as undermining your independence when providing advice to the Commission in the field of activity of the expert group/sub-group in question?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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Interests	Time period (from... until month/year)	Name of legal entity or body	Description

7b	If interests of your immediate family members are declared, it is your responsibility to inform them about the collection and publication of information on their interests included in the DOI and to provide them with the privacy statement attached to the guidance for filling in this DOI, and this at the latest when you file the DOI form with the Commission.
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8 OTHER RELEVANT INFORMATION **yes no**

8a	Are there any other elements that could be seen as undermining your independence when providing advice to the Commission in the field of activity of the expert group/sub-group in question?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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Description:

I hereby declare on my honour that I have read the guidance for completing this form.

I also declare on my honour that the information disclosed in this form is true and complete to the best of my knowledge.

Should there be any change to the above information, including as regards upcoming activities, I will promptly notify the competent Commission department and complete a new DOI form describing the changes in question.

I am informed that my personal data are stored, processed and published by the Commission in accordance with Regulation (EC) N° 45/2001.

Date: 30 January 2019

Signature: 

Your DOI form shall be made publicly available on the Register of Commission Expert Groups and Other Similar Entities, as long as you are appointed as member of the expert group or sub-group in a personal capacity. Technical measures will be taken to indicate to search engines that your DOI form should not appear in search results.