

Standard declaration of interests (DOI) form for individuals applying to be appointed as members or experts of Scientific Committees and their Working Groups in a personal capacity

Legal basis:

Commission Decision C(2015)5383 on establishing Scientific Committees in the field of public health, consumer safety and the environment, Article 16, and Commission Decision C(2016)3301 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 Scientific Committees and their working groups 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 subgroup in a personal capacity shall be rejected.

<p>First name: Rodica-Mariana</p> <p>Family name: Ion</p> <p>Expert group/sub-group: SCHEER / LED; UVC; SUNBEDS; Aluminium in toys; Fuel markers; Phthalates; Emerging Risks;</p>

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 Scientific Committees and their working groups in question?</i>	yes	no
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1a	Employment	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
1b	Consultancy, including services as an advisor	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
1c	Non-remunerated post	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
1d	Legal representation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

Activity	Time period (from... until month/year)	Name of entity or body	Description
	08/2001- present	National Institute of Research and Development for Chemistry and	Scientific Research and management activity Head of Nanomedicine group/Cultural Heritage Coordination, participation and valuation of scientific projects and studies of applied research (photochemistry,

		Petrochemistry – ICECHIM Type: public	nanomaterials, chemical nanomedicine); Project proposals writing, modeling, writing and evaluation in the field of chemistry; writing of applications for grants, administrative assistance, national and international projects coordination, accomplishment and evaluation; administrative co-ordination and organization of collaborative groups; Presentation of results in seminars, workshops and National and International congresses; Publication of results of research studies and projects in peer-reviewed periodicals; Competence on chemical compounds for photo- nanomedicine. Materials and advanced investigations for Cultural Heritage
	09/2004 – ongoing	Valahia University, Targoviste, Romania -Type: public	Full professor Director of Nanomaterials Research Center Ph.D.supervisor Area: Nanomaterials preparation, characterization and various applications, solar cells, cultural heritage

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 Scientific Committees and their working groups in question or have you participated in the works of a Scientific Advisory Body with voting rights on the outputs of that entity?</i>	Yes X	no
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2a	Participation in a decision-making process	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2b	Participation in the work of a Scientific Advisory Body	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Activity	Time period (from... until month/year)	Name of legal entity or body	Description
Participation in a decision-making process	09/2009 – (ongoing)	National Institute of Research and Development for Chemistry and Petrochemistry – ICECHIM Type: public	Function of expert: Board Vicepresident and President of Scientific Council Function of institution: Research Public Institute Link to website of institution: http://www.icechim.ro/indexen.php?q=organization-board http://www.icechim.ro/indexen.php?q=organization-council Area: applied chemistry, chemical engineering, medical chemistry and cultural heritage
Participation in the work of a Scientific Advisory Body	2012-ongoing	Ministry of Education and Scientific Research -Type: public National Council for Attestation University Titles, Diploma and Certificates Committee Scientific Committee (CNATDCU)	Member of Materials Engineering Commission Function of expert: Member Function of body: Evaluation and recommendation for Ph.D.thesis and abilitation for professors in Materials Engineering Link to website of body: http://www.cnatdcu.ro/paneluri-cnatdcu/incepand-cu-data-de-7-septembrie-2012/stiinte-ingineresti/comisia-de-ingineria-materialelor
	2010-2015	COST Platform COST TD1002 “European network on applications of Atomic Force Microscopy to NanoMedicine and Life Sciences (AFM4NanoMed&Bio)	Member of Management Committee of COST TD 1002 http://www.cost.esf.org/domains_actions/bmbs/Actions/TD1002

	2012-on going	Ministry of Education and Scientific Research -Type: public Unit Executive For Funding Education Higher, Research Development And Innovation -UEFISCDI	Expert-evaluator for Projects competition Human Resources, Partnerships, Capacities Area: Chemistry; Materials Engineering
	2014-on going	European Commission	Expert-evaluator for MSCA-ITN, MSCA-IF projects Area: Chemistry
	2014-on going	Poland	Expert-evaluator for SONATA, OPUS, HARMONIA project competition Area: Chemistry; Nanomaterials
	2016-on going	Slovakia	Expert-evaluator for Ministry of Education, Science, Research and Sport of Slovak Republic Managing Authority for the Operational programme Research and Innovation, version 1.0, 31 st May 2016 The Operational Programme Research and Innovation Area: Chemistry, Materials Engineering
	2015	Muntenegro	CRDS EVALUATOR -consultant in evaluation of the CRDS grants Area: Materials science

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 Scientific Committees and their working groups in question?</i>	Yes x	no
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3a	Research support, including grants, rents, sponsorships, fellowships, non-monetary support	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Grants on Cultural Heritage PNII 222/2012	2012-2016	Ministry of Education from Romania UEFISCDI	Project on restoration/conservation of stone monuments Partnership competition
Grants on Cultural Heritage PNII 2261/2014	2014-on going	Ministry of Education from Romania UEFISCDI	Project on restoration/conservation of stucco decorations and facades of monuments Partnership competition
Grants on biomedical sciences PNII 185/2014	2014-on going	Ministry of Education from Romania UEFISCDI	Plant extracts based on citrus for venous ulcers Partnership competition
Bilateral grants on cultural heritage 11 BM/2016	2016-on going	Ministry of Education from Romania UEFISCDI	Bilateral cooperation Romania-Republic of South Africa Area: wood and paper restoration/conservation with nanomaterial
Grants on health area PNIII: 120 BG/2016	2016-on going	Ministry of Education from Romania UEFISCDI	BRIDGE Grants for technology transfer Subject: liposomal preparation of capsaicine

Grants on environmental science PN-III-P2-2.1-PTE-2016-0063	2016-on going	Ministry of Education from Romania UEFISCDI	Grant on technology transfer to economical agent Area: Remediation waste waters with compounds containing organic hard biodegradable (disruptors endocrine) through advanced oxidation processes
Innovation Grants PN-III-P2-2.1-CI-2017-0599	2017 -2018	Ministry of Education from Romania UEFISCDI	Innovation Cheque: 31CI/2017 Area: Cultural Heritage
Project exerimental demonstrative PN-III-P2-2.1-PED-2016-0198	2017 -2018	Ministry of Education from Romania UEFISCDI	Innovative apatitic materials with high antimicrobial activity for building materials and cultural heritage conservation Area: Cultural Heritage
Project exerimental demonstrative PN-III-P2-2.1-PED-2016-0251	2017 -2018	Ministry of Education from Romania UEFISCDI	Innovative core-shell nanocomposites based on ferrite / beta-cyclodextrin to remove organic and inorganic pollutants from aqueous effluents Area: environmental pollutants

4 FINANCIAL INTERESTS

<i>Do you have current investments in a legal entity with an interest in the field of activity of the Scientific Committees and their working groups 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 Scientific Committees and their working groups in question?</i>	yes	no
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5a	Patent, trademarks, or copyrights	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5b	Others	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

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 Scientific Committees and their working groups 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 type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
6b	Represented interests or defended an opinion	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

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7 INTERESTS OF IMMEDIATE FAMILY MEMBERS **yes** **no**

7a	<i>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 Scientific Committees and their working groups in question?</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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7b	<i>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</i>
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	<i>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.</i>
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8	OTHER RELEVANT INFORMATION	yes	no
8a	<i>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 Scientific Committees and their working groups in question?</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

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: 29.12.2017

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.