

EUROTIMES

Call for Applications: Medical Editors for ESCRS EuroTimes

Applications are invited for three Medical Editor positions at EuroTimes, the print and digital publication of the European Society of Cataract and Refractive Surgeons (ESCRS).

EuroTimes is published six times a year in print, with new digital content published weekly. It covers cataract, refractive and corneal surgery, glaucoma, retina, paediatric ophthalmology, the ocular surface, professional affairs, and congress news.

These positions offer an opportunity to shape the scientific, clinical, and editorial development of an established ophthalmology publication serving audiences across Europe and beyond.

Responsibilities

- Set high scientific, clinical and editorial standards;
- Apply editorial judgement and critical evidence of appraisal to ensure accuracy, balance and relevance.
- Collaborate with fellow Medical Editors and the editorial team.
- Uphold editorial independence, confidentiality and publication ethics; maintain current financial and non-financial conflict-of-interest declarations and recuse yourself from potentially conflicted decisions, following ESCRS policy.

Applicant Profile

Applicants should demonstrate:

- Strong ophthalmic clinical or scientific expertise, editorial judgement and critical appraisal skills.
- Clear, fluent written English and experience in editing, reviewing, commissioning, publishing and scientific communication.
- Collaborative working, transparent and manageable conflict-of-interest profile, an understanding of editorial independence, confidentiality, and publication ethics, an interest in multi-format communication, and regular availability.

Contribution of the Position

Help shape EuroTimes' editorial direction, and print and digital development, disseminate clinical and scientific advances, and safeguard scientific rigour, clinical relevance and editorial independence while collaborating with clinicians, researchers, editors and contributors worldwide.

Term of Office

These honorary, part-time appointments last four years, extendable once upon review, with defined ongoing responsibilities. Applicants must demonstrate capacity for consistent participation in EuroTimes' regular editorial workflow and specify their anticipated availability.

Successful applicants will be required to commit up to 5-7 hours a month for meetings and preparation, in addition to at least 2 face-to-face meetings a year, generally within Europe.

Submission of Applications

Please submit:

- Your CV
- A covering letter
- An up-to-date COI form

Your covering letter should include an editorial vision statement and relevant examples of your experience and suitability for the role.

Your updated financial and non-financial conflict-of-interest declaration (please use the template provided [here](#)).

Selection Process

All applications will be reviewed and assessed for suitability by the relevant ESCRS Officers. Shortlisted candidates may be invited to interview. Any appointment will be subject to the approval process provided for within the ESCRS governance structure.