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IFMBE ELECTION 2025: FORM FOR NOMINATION OF CANDIDATES

IFMBE Constituent Society	EAMBES
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Society: National or Transnational	Transnational

Open positions in IFMBE:

- a) Vice-president (Term of office: 2025 2028)
- b) Secretary General (Term of office: 2025 2028)
- c) Treasurer (Term of office: 2025 -2028)
- d) Council of Societies Chair (Term of office: 2025 2028)
- e) Ordinary Administrative Council member (three positions) (Term of office: 2025 -2031)
- f) Regional Group Representative for each region below in random order (Term of office: 2025 -2028):
 - i. Europe,
 - ii. Africa,
 - iii. Asia-Pacific,
 - North America, iv.
 - v. Latin America
- g) Clinical Engineering Division Board member (5 positions) (Term of office: 2025 -2028)
- h) Health Technology Assessment Division Board member (5 positions) (Term of office: 2025 -2028)
- Digital Health Division Board member (10 positions) (Term of office: 2025 -2028) i)

Our Society nominates the following members for the open positions within the IFMBE

(Please add rows as needed):

Name of Nominee	Nominated for the	Current position	Highest position held in
	Position of: in IFMBE		the Constituent Society
Giuseppe Fico	1) Ordinary	CED Collaborator	
	Administrative	DHD Member	
	Council member	HTAD	
	(three positions)	Collaborator	
	(Term of office:		
	2025 -2031)		
	2) Regional Group		
	Representative for		
	each region below		
	in random order		
	(Term of office:		
	2025 -2028):		
	Europe		





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I confirm that all the nominees listed above are members of our national/transnational Society.

Leandro Pecchia, EAMEBS Nominating Comm.

15 March 2025

Signature of National/Transnational Society Secretary

Date

The nominee information form on pages 2-4 should be filled in and signed for each Nominee. Fully completed Nomination documents should be saved in pdf format and submitted to the IFMBE Secretary General nominations@ifmbe.org

Closing Date for Submission of Nominations: 15th March 2025

Nominee Information Form

Nominated for the position of:	 Ordinary Administrative Council member (three positions) (Term of office: 2025 -2031) Regional Group Representative for each region below in random order (Term of office: 2025 -2028): Europe
Name of Nominee	Giuseppe Fico
Constituent Society:	EAMBES



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Brief Biography of Nominee (not to exceed 200 words)

Giuseppe Fico is Associate Professor of Biomedical Engineering at Universidad Politécnica de Madrid (UPM), head of the health area at Life Supporting Technologies group at UPM and affiliated researcher and at the Group of Surgical Research Innovation at Health Research Institute of the Hospital Clínico San Carlos, Madrid, Spain. He is President Elect (he will be President since 25 March 2025) of the European Alliance of Medical and Biological Engineering, Spanish Ambassador of the Hospitals on FHIR initiative with HL7 Europe, former co-chairman of the Working Group on Health of the Alliance for Internet of Things Innovation, coordinator of the Adherence Action Group at the European Large Scale Pilots <u>ACTIVAGE</u>, <u>GATEKEPPER</u>, ODIN to demonstrate the impact of AI, Robotics and IoT technologies to create a new generation of digital health platform for chronic diseases, healthcare services, active and healthy ageing. He is coordinator of the IHI projects <u>BEAMER</u> and <u>IMPROVE</u>, where digital tools are built for adherence to treatment and for the role of PROMs and PREMs in disease management. He is lecturer of >10 courses in Biomedical and Telecommunication Engineering at UPM, invited expert in international conferences from different scientific and industrial societies, in summer schools, and for certified training to healthcare professionals and managers.

He is also Associated Editor for several scientific journals, including the IEEE Journal of Biomedical and Health Informatics, Frontiers in Digital Health and computational and structural biotechnology journal smart hospital.

His research interests, as reflected in his extensive list of publications (including book chapters and numerous articles in indexed journals and conference proceedings), encompass eHealth, Health Technology Assessment, Human Computer Interaction, Clinical Decision Support Systems (DSSs), Artificial Intelligence (AI) and Machine Learning (ML) applied to Diabetes, Cancer Research and Personalized Medicine, Chronic Diseases, Active and Healthy Ageing, and Hospital Process Management.

Dr. Fico has also been involved in knowledge transfer activities, including his role as a founding member of ACTIVAGE.ORG and through various consultancy and training contracts with companies and research institutions. He has been an invited expert and keynote speaker at numerous international conferences and workshops.

Since 2015 he is an official collaborator of the HTA, CE Division of the IFMBE and since its creation is part of the Digital Health Division, currently organizing the first conference in Europe about Biomedical and Health Informatics (ICBHI).



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Nominee's Position Statement (not to exceed 200 words) (do not include CV)

Dear IFMBE Nominations Committee,

I am writing to express my strong interest in standing for election as an Ordinary Administrative Council member (2025-2031) and Regional Group Representative for Europe (2025-2028).

I have collaborated with the IFMBE on the e-Learning Platform for Health Technology Assessment and presented at IFMBE conferences.

My leadership experience includes roles as Secretary General (2021-2022) and current President Elect of the European Alliance of Medical and Biological Engineering and Science (EAMBES). Furthermore, I founded the ACTIVAGE.org association

. My CV demonstrates my experience as Investigator Principal and in other leading roles in numerous international research projects

My publication record includes indexed journals, and I serve as an Associate Editor.

I believe my organizational leadership within EAMBES and understanding of IFMBE's goals make me a strong candidate for the Administrative Council. My engagement with the European community positions me well to represent European members within the IFMBE and foster collaboration in the region. I am enthusiastic about contributing to the IFMBE. Sincerely,

Giuseppe Fico

Nominee's Photo (recommended size (48 x 33 mm)







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Declaration by Nominee: I agree to have my name placed on the list of nominated candidates for the abovementioned open position, and if elected, to serve in IFMBE for the specified term.

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