

Conflict of Interest Disclosure Form



EAS Conflict of Interest Disclosure Policy

The European Atherosclerosis Society (EAS) wishes to promote independence, objectivity, scientific rigor and a fair balance of representation, in all its activities.

The EAS have adopted a Conflict of Interest (COI) Disclosure Policy for the purpose of providing guidance and avoiding conflicts of interest within the Society.

In order to ensure this, individuals participating in the organization of activities on behalf of the Society are expected to disclose their financial or in-kind relationships both with health industry that develop, manufacture, distribute or sell health care materials or services, or other organizations that could represent a potential COI. Such relationships exclude personal or family medical care. Full disclosure is expected even when it is not clear whether a relationship or affiliation constitutes a conflicting interest.

EAS recognizes that these relationships do not necessarily imply bias or decrease the value of participation in professional activities.

Disclosure of these relationships is necessary for others to make an informed decision about the impact of the disclosed relationship. For instance, this may be relevant in the context of educational activities of the EAS.

Those requested to complete the form below include: all EAS Officers and members of the Society's Committees, members of EAS Consensus Position Paper expert panels, and EAS Course Organizers. The forms will be updated annually. The completed forms will be archived at the Society's Administrative Offices and made publically available on the Society's website. Course and Congress Faculty will be required to present a slide summarizing any COI disclosures before their presentation.

Please disclose all relationships over the previous three calendar years (2012-2014).

If you do not have any conflicts of interest to disclose please check the appropriate box, page 3.

Nature of relationship or affiliation	Company Name	Company Name	Company Name
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| <p>1. Equity interests
Equity interests (or entitlement to same) of stocks, stock options, royalties, etc., including income from patents or copyrights</p> | <p>Vitateq
Biotechnology
GmbH, Innsbruck,
Austria</p> |
| <p>2. Director or employee
Service as a director or employment by a commercial organisation, whether or not remuneration is provided for such service</p> | <p>Vitateq
Biotechnology
GmbH, Innsbruck,
Austria</p> |
| <p>3. Owner enterprise
Sole ownership, partnership, or principal of a commercial enterprise</p> | <p>Vitateq
Biotechnology
GmbH, Innsbruck,
Austria</p> |
| <p>4. Ownership of patent(s)</p> | <p>Vitateq
Biotechnology
GmbH, Innsbruck,
Austria</p> |
| <p>5. Royalties
Receipt of royalties, including for intellectual property, such as a device or a diagnostic tool</p> | |
| <p>6. Company consultant
Consultant to company including positions on medical or scientific advisory boards</p> | <p>Sanofi Berlin,
Germany</p> |

**7. Company speaker
honorarium**
Honoraria for
speaking at company
sponsored meetings or
events.

8. Trial participation
Participation in
clinical trials

**9. Fellowship, travel
grants**
Support in the form
of fellowships,
travel grants, gifts,
in-kind donations,
etc.

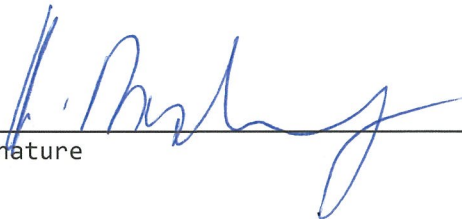
10. Research grants
Research grants,
partial or full
salary support from a
commercial
organisation for self
or employees for whom
you are managerially
responsible (i.e.
laboratory
technical/research
fellow for whom you
are managerially
responsible).

11. Other - please indicate Any other type of financial or other relationship	Company	Conflict Type

I do not have any existing or known future financial relationships or commercial affiliations to disclose.

Declaration:

I have answered fully and to the best of my ability and will update this form promptly if my circumstances change.


Signature

Prof. Dr. Hans Dieplinger
Name printed clearly

27. Nov. 2014
Date