SFCNS Swiss Federation of Clinical Neuro-Societies

Declaration Form: Interests

Background

As a Swiss professional association, the SFCNS is committed to ensuring transparency, independence and objectivity in its Executive Board. Executive Board members are therefore required to disclose any financial, academic, institutional or other interests and circumstances that may potentially give rise to a conflict of interest in connection with their role within the SFCNS. Disclosure of an interest does not in itself imply the existence of a conflict of interest.

The declarations of interest are published on the SFCNS website. The reference period covers the three preceding calendar years and the current calendar year.

General information	
Title, First name, Surname	Prof. Dr. med. Andrea Klein
Employer / Organisation / Institution	Inselspital Bern
Position / Role within the SFCNS	Head of Pediatric Neurology, Rehabilitation and Development

Institutional interests	
Type of relationship / role	Organisation / Key areas / Activities
Head of Pediatric Neurology, Rehabilitation and Development	Further developing and shaping Pediatric neurology

Academic interests	
Type of relationship / role	Organisation / Key areas / Activities
Clinical lead for SMA, DMD and LAMA2	Swiss Reg NMD at the ISPM Bern. Research Contracts with Biogen, Novartis, Roche, no personal renumeration Post marketing efficacy and safety studies
PI or collaborators of scientific projects in Duchenne, SMA, LAMA2 in collaboration with national Myosuisse reference centers	Collaboration with national Myosuisse reference centers
Reserch projects in DMD	Grants by Roche and FSRMM

Industry-related interests	
Type of interest / relationship	Organisation / Notes / Remarks
Local PI of several interventional trials in Duchenne, SMA and Myasthenia gravis	Sponsors: Novartis, Roche, Pfizer, Alexion
Advisory board activities and for industry and talks in industry symposia of industry developing drugs for neuromuscular disorders: Novartis, Roche, Biogen Pfizer,Italfarmaco, Santhera	No personal renumeration

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Board memberships, advisory boards, public offices and other external mandates	
Position / Role / Organisation	Remunerated (Yes / No) / Notes
Vice president of the of the Swiss Pediatric Neurology Society SGNP 2010-2026	no
Board member of the Swiss neuromuscular Patient Organisation (Muskelgesellschaft)	2013-2024; no
Board member of the German speaking Pediatric Neurology Society (GNP)	Since 2014; no
President kosek recognised network Myosuisse	2016-2025; no

Other interests	
Type of interest	Notes / Remarks

Please disclose relevant interests irrespective of whether they are remunerated. Examples include consultancy, advisory-board or committee roles, speaker fees, research funding, grants, travel support, shares/equity, patents/licensing, and other external mandates. Please add additional rows or pages if required.

I hereby declare, to the best of my knowledge and belief, that I have disclosed all interests and circumstances currently known to me that could potentially give rise to a conflict of interest in connection with my role within the SFCNS Executive Board.

I undertake to review and update this declaration annually and to inform the SFCNS without undue delay of any relevant changes during my term of office. I acknowledge that this declaration will be published on the SFCNS website.

24. 9. 2026
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Signature

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