

Management board

The Management Board adopts the annual work programme, the medium-term work programme as well as the Institute's budget.

Management Board's summary of proceedings



It consists of eighteen representatives from the Member States which operates on a rotation basis thus guaranteeing total representation combined with operational efficiency. One member is also representing the European Commission. There is an equal number of substitute members.

The length of its representatives' mandate is 3 years. For each mandate, the Members appointed by the Council represent eighteen Member States following the order of the rotating Presidencies, one member being designated by each concerned State.

The Management Board elects its Chairperson and Vice-Chairperson for a term of 3 years.

Board Chair: Ms Lenita FREIDENVALL (SE)

Board Vice-Chair: Mr Radan ŠAFAŘÍK (CZ)

Standing Committee Members

Board Chair: Ms Lenita FREIDENVALL (SE)

Ms Käthlin SANDER (EE)

Board Vice-Chair: Mr Radan ŠAFAŘÍK (CZ)

Mr Alexis RINCKENBACH (FR)

European Commission representative (DG JUST):

Ms Irena MOOZOVA / Ms Karen VANDEKERCKHOVE

Mr Elmer Christiaan BURKE (NL)

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Česká republika / Czech Republic (CZ)

Member

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Director

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Member

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Alternate

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European Commission

Member

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France (FR)

Member

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Direction g n rale de la coh sion sociale

Minist re des solidarit es et de la sant 

Alternate

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Chef de bureau

Direction g n rale de la coh sion sociale - Bureau des affaires europ ennes et internationales

Minist re des solidarit es et de la sant 

Hrvatska / Croatia (HR)

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Luxembourg / Luxembourg (LU)

Member

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Member

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Member

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Ministry of Social Affairs



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