

## Why JOIN ESB?

### General Member Benefits

- ❖ Reduced rate at ESB Annual Congresses & endorsed meetings
- ❖ Free subscription to ESB Newsletter
- ❖ Electronic access to a large network of biomechanics specialists through ESB website
- ❖ Lab listed on the ESB website
- ❖ Access to private ESB LinkedIn page
- ❖ Job posting through the ESB media (website, LinkedIn, Twitter)
- ❖ Eligibility to large pool of ESB Awards
- ❖ Eligibility to candidate your Institution for organizing the annual ESB congress
- ❖ Access to mentoring programme

### Additional Student Benefits

- ❖ Job opportunities in biomechanics (offer, demand and information) in industry & academia
- ❖ Student events at the ESB Congress
- ❖ Eligibility to ESB Student Award and Best Doctoral Thesis
- ❖ Eligibility to the ESB Mobility Award for Young Researchers
- ❖ Eligibility to join the ESB Student Committee

## Applications 2024

To Join the  
European Society of Biomechanics

Fill out on-line application form:  
[www.esbiomech.org](http://www.esbiomech.org)

**Membership application is  
subjected to Council approval  
based on applicants' CV**

**Those who attend the 29<sup>th</sup> Congress of the  
European Society of Biomechanics  
(Edinburgh, July 2023) ...**

...at non-member registration prices, will be able to become a member of the ESB, with fees covered by their congress participation, if they apply before 15<sup>th</sup> Oct 2024.

Membership will run from that point until the end of the following calendar year, and participation to the next ESB congresses will automatically extend the membership.

**Those who do *not* attend the 2024 congress...**

...can join the ESB for year 2024 by applying online (applications from November will cover 2025 membership instead of 2024).

### Fees (subscription 2024)

- ❖ Regular Membership **35 €**
- ❖ Student Membership **20 €**

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## INDIVIDUAL MEMBERSHIP



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## Aims of the ESB

The European Society of Biomechanics (ESB) is a scientific society established:

- ❖ To encourage, foster, promote and develop research, progress and information concerning the science of biomechanics;
- ❖ To collaborate with other associations and bodies whose efforts and interests are directed at the same objectives as those of the Society itself;
- ❖ To promote the propagation of scientific organizations, governmental and private bodies, both national and international, in order to establish specifications and standards for biomechanics in general;
- ❖ To encourage progress in the field of clinical application of the science of biomechanics in all its aspects, including both research and teaching.

## History of the ESB

The European Society of Biomechanics was founded at an interdisciplinary meeting of 20 scientists from 11 countries in Brussels on May 21<sup>st</sup>, 1976. The society has currently more than 1500 members from over 50 countries.

## Activities

### Annual Meeting

The European Society of Biomechanics holds an international scientific congress every year to provide the most up to date research in biomechanics and to provide a forum of discussion.

### Endorsements

The Society endorses other related meetings for diffusion to its members (including using the ESB logo and the phrase "Endorsed by the ESB" in their materials). Proposals must be sent to the Meeting Committee Chair:

[meeting.chair@esbiomech.org](mailto:meeting.chair@esbiomech.org)

## Council

### Executive Board

- David Mitton, President
- Jérôme Noailly, Vice-President & Awards Committee
- Enrico Dall'Ara, Secretary-General
- Dieter Pahr, Treasurer

### Council Members

- Diversity-Inclusion and Membership Committee: Marlène Mengoni
- Meetings & External Affairs Committee: Michele Conti
- Meetings WebPortal Committee: Peter Varga
- Publication Committee: Bernardo Innocenti
- Scientific Communications Committee: Isle Jonkers
- Education & Student Committee: Aurélie Carlier

## Activities

### Awards

The Society assigns nine awards:

- ❖ *Huiskes Medal in Biomechanics* (senior researchers who contributed to biomechanics throughout their careers)
- ❖ *S.M. Perren Research Award* (for outstanding research work)
- ❖ *Clinical Biomechanics Award* (for studies with direct clinical relevance)
- ❖ ***NEW ESB Early Career Researcher Award***
- ❖ *Best Doctoral Thesis in Biomechanics*
- ❖ *ESB Mobility Award* (2-6 months international research stays)
- ❖ *ESB Student Awards*
- ❖ *ESB Poster Awards*
- ❖ *ESB Travel Awards*

### Newsletter

The Society publishes a Newsletter 2 to 4 times a year. All members are invited to contribute information of general interest, scientific articles, advertisements or particular items of discussion. Contributions may be sent to the Newsletter Editor directly.

### Webinars

The Society organises 3 to 4 times a year a 1h online webinar on Biomechanics-related topics