**Expression of Interest –** IUIS Gender Equality Committee (GEC)

**Version: 1.1**

**Date: February 2024**

**Scope and Goals of the GEC:**

To improve gender equity in the immunology discipline worldwide.

The scope and responsibilities of the committee includes advocacy for gender equity, and development and promotion of gender equity policies and research. The reach of the committee extends to gender issues related to research funding, hiring, conference organization and teaching within immunology. The scope of the committee does not specifically address all equity, diversity and inclusion issues, but these are not excluded from GEC discussion and policy. See Terms of Reference for membership details and processes.

**We are currently calling for new committee members. Existing committee members are also encouraged to apply.**

**Name:**

**Position:**

**Years post PhD (if appropriate):**

**Institution:**

**Country:**

**Regional federation:**

EFIS [ ]
ALACI [ ]
FAIS [ ]
FIMSA [ ]
North America [ ]

**IUIS Member Society:**

**Motivation statement:**
*In 300 words (bullet points acceptable), explain why you would like to be a member of the GEC.*

**Experience and/or Expertise:**
*In 300 words (bullet points acceptable), outline your experience and / or expertise in gender equity. This can be personal experiences, institutional or professional roles, research into equity, etc.*

**Signature of Nominee:**

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Name Signature Date

**Endorsement:**

I confirm that the nominee is of sufficient standing in the IUIS and immunology community to contribute to the GEC committee.

*Please acquire a signature from Head of School/Department, Regional Federation or Member Society. This is required to ensure that the nominee has the time and experience to commit to the committee. No letter of support is required.*

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Name & Position Signature Date