

Guidelines International Network 2025-2026
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Declaration of Interests

Name, Position: Simon Kristine H. Van Cauwenbergh, Medical Doctor, Methodological Expert, PhD Candidate.

Activity within the GIN community: trustee candidate, member through WOREL (organisational member), member of the Adaptation, LMIC and overdiagnosis working groups, active participant and presenter at GIN conferences.

Employment:

- Methodological expert at Working group Development of Primary Care Guidelines, Belgium
- PhD Candidate, Instituto de Medicina Física e Reabilitação at Faculdade de Medicina da USP, Brasil
- Freelance reviewer for the translation of medical files at IVS Icientia, Belgium

Direct Financial Interests (declare amounts in own currency, noting the currency)

Type of interest	Cooperation partner/ source of funding provide name/s	Name / thematic scope of the project / activity	Period of activity indicate 1. current and/or 2. past, within the last 18 months	Value of grant / gift indicate 1. ≤ £1000 2. ≤ £5000 3. > £5000 a) - 10.000 b) - 50.000 c) -100.000 d) >100.000	Recipient indicate 1. you and/or 2. your institution (indirect interest)
Research grants / contracts (restricted or unrestricted)	Nothing to declare				
Advisory boards	Nothing to declare				
Consulting / Honoraria	1 - IVS 2 – WOREL	1 – Review of translation of evidence summaries 2 – Guideline development as methodological expert	1 – Current 2 – Current	1 – 3b 2 – 3b	1 – 1 2 – 1
Paid authorship	Minerva	Minerva Journal as a reviewer and analyst of articles	Past	1	1

Meeting attendance	Nothing to declare				
Patents, copyrights, retail licenses, shares	Nothing to declare				
Stock options, holdings ¹	Nothing to declare				

Indirect Interests

Type of interest	Additional information
Membership in a medical society/ professional association/advocacy group	Order of Physicians, Belgium Conselho Federal de Medicina, São Paulo, Brazil
Scientific / academic interests	Physical and Rehabilitation Medicine, Sports Medicine, General Practice, Guideline development, GRADE

Other

Is there any other aspect of your background or present circumstances not addressed above that might be perceived as affecting your objectivity or independence? Nothing to declare

To be filled in by Reviewer

Judgment (no conflict or low relevance/seriousness or high relevance/seriousness):

Comments:

Action required:



Signature:

Date: 20/07/2025

¹ Does not apply to managed funds

