



## Register of Interests (Board Members)

<b>Board Member's Name:</b>		Prof Seamas Donnelly	
<b>Date Appointed to the Board of the HRB</b>		15 July 2019	
<b>End of term on the Board of the HRB</b>		14 July 2024	
<b>Date of completion of register entry</b>	29 April 2022	<b>Date of most recent revision/update of register entry</b>	31.01.2023

### ***PART A - close colleagues***

*The term 'close colleagues' is defined as colleagues with whom the member of the Board / Board Committee has a close current or recent (covering at least the past 10 years) working partnership. It may be described in terms of college, faculty, department, or research group, and may include individuals or groups within or across institutions.*

*Where the conflict of Interest involves 'close colleagues' the member of the Board / Board Committee will not have access to documents, will not take part in discussions and will not take part in decisions*

My Close Colleagues are people who work both at Tallaght University Hospital and the Department of Medicine, Trinity College Dublin. Researchers in my Department have and will apply for HRB research support but I would excuse myself from any grant funding calls when Department researchers have applied for those particular grant funding calls.

### ***PART B – Wider Community***

*Defined as the wider community for which the Board /Board Committee member might reasonably be considered to have shared interests or loyalty. The wider community may be interpreted to include current or previous (covering at least the past ten years) place of employment, colleagues and others who share business/ research interests (e.g., cancer prevention or obesity).*

*Where the conflict of Interest involves 'wider community' the Board/Board Committee member may not have access to documents, take part in discussions or take part in decisions. A final decision in respect of specific items of Board/Board Committee business will be made by the Chairperson, normally after consultation with the member.*

**Please describe your 'wider community'**

My wider community would include my healthcare colleagues at Tallaght University Hospital and my respiratory Physician colleagues nationally.

**Part C – Domains of business/research**

*Domains of business/research in which the Board / Board Committee member is actively involved. Domains may be defined in terms of topics or methods/methodology. Depending on the context, this may be narrower or broader*

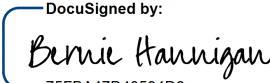
*Where the conflict of interest involves 'Domains of business/research' the Board/Board Committee member would take part in general discussions in these areas but would not take part in formal decisions relating to funding streams the specifically focus on these areas.*

**Please describe your 'Domains of business/research'.**

My domain of Research is in the regulation of the inflammatory response particularly as pertains to chronic inflammatory diseases.

My employment history in Ireland would include senior academic positions at both University College Dublin and Trinity College Dublin

**Reviewed and approved by Prof Bernie Hannigan, Chairperson of the HRB.**

**Signature:**   
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**Date:** 02 March 2023