


2018 EAHIL Council Election - Candidate Statement		
<i>Country</i>	Finland	
<i>Name</i>	Ritva Miikki	
<i>Affiliation</i>	National Institute for Health and Welfare (THL)	
<i>My professional education and experience</i>	<p>M.A., adult education, University of Helsinki. Studies on information research, Open University, Oulu. Courses on sociology, social policy, communication and leadership & management . Product Developer (Specialist Qualification).</p> <p>Information Specialist</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 8 years at the National Institute for Health and Welfare; information retrieval, user experience & development of information services , • 14 years at the National Research and Development Centre for Welfare and Health/statistics & publications; marketing, web-based bookshop, information services on statistics. <p>Communications specialist</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 4 years at the National Research and Development Centre for Welfare and Health; press relations. <p>Training specialist</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 4 years at the National Research and Development Centre for Welfare and Health; development and coordination of personnel training. 	
<i>What I think is special about EAHIL</i>	Getting together (virtually and face to face) to learn, understand and share.	
<i>What I expect to contribute to EAHIL Council</i>	I expect to monitor what´s going on and to share the new ideas and practices.	
<i>What I think are the most important issues for European health information professionals in 2019-2022</i>	Professional development & networking. Access to high quality information. Making know-how and skills work.	
<i>My one-line statement for my election campaign</i>	Let´s co-operate and graduate!	