

EAHIL Council Election - Candidate Statement	
<i>Country</i>	Portugal
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<i>Affiliation</i>	Escola Superior de Tecnologia da Saúde do Instituto Politécnico de Coimbra / Coimbra Health School – Polytechnic University of Coimbra
<i>My professional education and experience</i>	Ph.D. in Information Science (University of Alcalá, Spain, 2017). Master in Information Science (University of Alcalá, Spain, 2011). Information Science Degree (University of Coimbra, Portugal, 1998), Sociology Degree (University of Covilhã, Portugal, 1996). Developed professional activity in the project of converting catalogs in the General Library of the University of Coimbra, between 1998 and 1999; library coordinator from 1999 to 2001 at the Municipal Library of Mortágua. Since 2001 works as head librarian at Coimbra Health School, and since 2020 as assistant professor in the Information Science Degree (University of Coimbra). Board member of the APDIS (Portuguese Association on Health Documentation and Information) since 2006. Member of the Permanent Scientific Committee of the Portuguese Association on Health Documentation and Information. Publishes in scientific journals and participates in national and international scientific events. Research interests: Bibliometrics; Visibility of scientific publications; Bibliotherapy; Information science.
<i>What I think is special about EAHIL</i>	EAHIL enables the exchange of experiences, interconnection and cooperation between European medical librarians and information specialists.
<i>What I expect to contribute to EAHIL Council</i>	Promote partnerships that could have an impact on the modernisation of European health libraries.
<i>What I think are the most important issues for European health information professionals in 2025-2028</i>	Innovative ways of understanding the needs of the users and the role of the library. Improve the skills needed to promote the library and its services, for the benefit of local communities. Reinforce the capacity to operate at international level.
<i>My one-line statement for my election campaign</i>	Preparing the future paths of European Health Libraries
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