

**THE NEUROANAESTHESIA & CRITICAL CARE SOCIETY**  
**TRUSTEES REPORT AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**  
**FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2022**  
**CHARITY REGISTRATION NUMBER 1094094**

**Simcox & Co.**  
Chartered Accountants

# THE NEUROANAESTHESIA & CRITICAL CARE SOCIETY

## FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2022

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## THE NEUROANAESTHESIA & CRITICAL CARE SOCIETY

### Trustees and General Information

**Charity Name:** The Neuroanaesthesia & Critical Care Society

**Registered Charity Number:** 1094094

**Trustees:** Dr Roger Peers Lightfoot (appointed 10 May 2022)  
Dr Ian Edward Tweedie  
Dr John Andrzejowski  
Dr Judith Dinsmore

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# THE NEUROANAESTHESIA & CRITICAL CARE SOCIETY

## Trustees' Annual Report for the Financial Year Ended 31 December 2022

### Governing Document

The Neuroanaesthesia & Critical Care Society is a Registered Charity, Number 1094094. It was established by Trust Deed dated 22 March 2002, as amended on 6 April 2015 and ratified on 8 May 2015.

### Objectives and activities

The objectives of the charity are -

- To promote and advance education in and the study of the art and science of neuroanaesthesia and neurocritical care, principally by means of the exchange of information among the Society's Members for the benefit of the general public, and in furtherance thereof:-
  - To promote education in neuroanaesthesia and neurocritical care.
  - To promote high standards of practice and patient care in the fields of neuroanaesthesia and neurocritical care.
  - To encourage research in the fields of neuroanaesthesia and neurocritical care.
- To arrange and provide for the holding of meetings, lectures and classes, including an Annual Scientific Meeting, to provide a forum for the exchange and advancement of knowledge on neuroanaesthesia and neurocritical care.
- To award annual prizes(s) for the best paper(s) submitted to the Society by doctors in training or allied health professionals.
- To offer advice to appropriate bodies or individuals concerning neuroanaesthesia and neurocritical care.

The charity may accept gifts, donations, subscriptions and legacies.

### Trustees

The names of the trustees are shown on page 1.

The trustees are appointed by the Council of the The Neuroanaesthesia & Critical Care Society. This Council shall comprise the President, the Honorary Secretary and the Honorary Treasurer as Executive Officers, the Immediate Past President and up to six Members elected from the full membership of the Society.

### Risk management

The trustees review the major risks which the charity faces on a regular basis and believe that the charity holds sufficient reserves to provide adequate resources to meet its obligations to all appropriate beneficiaries in the event of adverse conditions.

### Public benefit

The charity trustees confirm that they have complied with their duty to have due regard to the guidance on public benefit published by the Commission in exercising their powers or duties.

### 2022 Financial Objectives

The following were outlined as key areas:

- Service Level Agreements for day-to-day and Annual Scientific Meeting administration.
- Business partnerships in light of new GDPR enforcement.
- Increasing awareness of membership of charitable outgoings.



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### Trustees' Annual Report for the Financial Year Ended 31 December 2022

#### Financial review

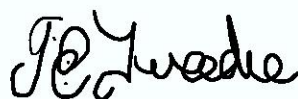
The trustees are pleased to report that with a surplus from the Glasgow meeting, the charity's finances remain in a satisfying state and would make the following comments on the financial statements:

- 1 For both the current and preceding years, the society has modified how the ASM has been organised; a smaller local organising committee has been assisted by a professional event organising company (Events Management Direct). The NACCS Council and Executive Members have provided greater assistance with both academic content and financial control.
- 2 Conference expenses as per the Statement of Account, include £25,465.00 of costs relating to future years conferences.
- 3 Subscription income was up on last year.
- 4 There was a conference in 2022 at Birmingham exhibition centre. This had less attendants than in previous years. The sponsorship was down on the previous years, although there was no annual scientific meeting in 2022. There was an additional Virtual Winter Event in November 2022 that turned a modest profit.
- 5 The society benefited from Industry Partnership money to the value of £20,000. The sponsors were manufacturers of monitor and theatre equipment and a legal firm that provides pro bono support for patients and families affected by brain and spinal injuries.
- 6 There were awards to the value of £1,222 for trainee presentations and medals for outstanding contributions to neurocritical care.
- 7 Research and travel grants to the value of £3,000 were given to promote education and research in the field of neuroanaesthesia and neurocritical care.
- 8 During the year £4,922 was spent on website development costs.
- 9 Bank charges have increased by £161 from the previous year.
- 10 The Society has chosen to archive and store historical documents of greater than 6 years.
- 11 During the year the Honorary Treasurer sought professional advice on the charity's finances on behalf of the trustees. The Honorary Treasurer is to change in September 2023.

#### Reserves policy

The charity maintains unrestricted funds at a level sufficient to enable the income to cover anticipated distribution payments in forthcoming years as if no other sources of income are available.

Signed on behalf of the Trustees by:



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Dr Ian Edward Tweedie

Date : 2nd Oct. 2023.....

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### Trustees' Statement of Responsibilities for the Year Ended 31 December 2022

#### Trustees' responsibilities in relation to the financial statements

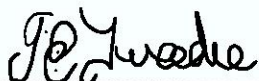
The trustees are responsible for preparing the Trustees' Report and the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice).

Law applicable to charities in England and Wales requires the trustees to prepare financial statements for each financial year, which give a true and fair view of the charity's financial activities during the year and of its financial position at the end of the year. In preparing those financial statements, the trustees are required to:

- i) select suitable accounting policies and apply them consistently;
- ii) make judgments and estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- iii) state whether applicable accounting standards and statements of recommended practice have been followed subject to any departures disclosed and explained in the financial statements;
- iv) prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the charity will continue in business;
- v) observe the methods and principles in the charities SORP.

The trustees are responsible for keeping proper accounting records which disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the charity and which enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Charities Act 2011. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the charity and for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

Approved by the trustees and signed on their behalf by:



Dr Ian Edward Tweedie

2nd Oct. 2023

Date



**Independent Examiner's Report to the Trustees of  
THE NEUROANAESTHESIA & CRITICAL CARE SOCIETY  
for the year ended 31 December 2022**

I report on the accounts of the charity for the year ended 31 December 2022 which are set out on pages 6 to 9.

**Respective responsibilities of trustees and examiner**

As the charity's trustees you are responsible for the preparation of the accounts. The charity's trustees consider that an audit is not required for the year under section 144(2) of the Charities Act 2011 (the 2011 Act) and that an independent examination is needed. It is my responsibility to:

- examine the accounts under section 145 of the 2011 Act
- follow the procedures laid down in the General Directions given by the Charity Commission under section 145(5)(b) of the 2011 Act; and
- state whether particular matters have come to my attention

**Basis of independent examiner's report**

My examination was carried out in accordance with the General Directions given by the Charity Commission. An examination includes a review of the accounting records kept by the charity and a comparison of the accounts presented with those records. It also includes consideration of any unusual items or disclosures in the accounts and seeking explanations from you as trustees concerning any such matters. The procedures undertaken do not provide all the evidence that would be required in an audit and consequently no opinion is given as to whether the accounts present a 'true and fair view' and the report is limited to those matters set out in the statement below.

**Independent examiner's statement**

In connection with my examination no matter has come to my attention;

- 1 which gives me reasonable cause to believe that in any material respect the requirements:
  - to keep accounting records in accordance with Section 130 of the 2011 Act, and
  - to prepare accounts which accord with the accounting records and comply with the accounting requirements of the 2011 Acthave not been met, nor
- 2 to which, in my opinion, attention should be drawn in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

**J R M SIMCOX, FCA**  
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Date : 28/09/2023

# THE NEUROANAESTHESIA & CRITICAL CARE SOCIETY

## Statement of Financial Activities for the year ended 31 December 2022

	2022 Unrestricted Funds Funds	2021 Unrestricted Funds £
<b>Receipts</b>		
Operating activities to further charity's objects	88,562	84,971
Bank interest	<u>491</u>	<u>31</u>
<b>Total Receipts</b>	89,053	85,002
<b>Charitable payments</b>		
Charitable activities	<u>95,866</u>	<u>60,393</u>
<b>Net receipts</b>	(6,813)	24,609
<b>Cash funds brought forward</b>	<u>168,925</u>	<u>168,925</u>
<b>Cash funds carried forward</b>	<u>162,112</u>	<u>193,534</u>

There are no recognised gains or losses other than those included in the Statement of Financial Activities for the two financial years.

All income is derived from continuing operations.



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Balance Sheet as at 31 December 2022

	2022 £	2021 £
<b>Cash funds</b>		
Cash at bank	<u>170,716</u>	<u>168,925</u>
 <b>Unrestricted funds</b>	 <u>170,716</u>	 <u>168,925</u>

The accounts were approved by the trustees on 2nd Oct 2023 and signed on their behalf by:



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Dr Ian Edward Tweedie

# **THE NEUROANAESTHESIA & CRITICAL CARE SOCIETY**

## **Notes to the Financial Statements for the year ended 31 December 2022**

### **1 Accounting policies**

#### **Basis of accounting**

The accounts have been prepared using the receipts and payments method.

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the Statement of Recommended Practice "Accounting by Charities" prepared by the Charity Commissioners for England and Wales and in accordance with applicable accounting standards.

**THE NEUROANAESTHESIA & CRITICAL CARE SOCIETY**

**STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT  
YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2022**

	<b>2022</b>		<b>2021</b>	
	£	£	£	£
<b>Normal Activities</b>				
<b>Receipts</b>				
Subscriptions		51,162		44,171
Conference registration fees and sponsorship		37,400		40,800
Sponsorship refunds		-		(4,900)
Educational event		8,604		-
Bank interest received (gross)		491		31
		<u>97,657</u>		<u>80,102</u>
<b>Payments</b>				
AAGBI	7,427		2,754	
Administration costs ASM	3,410		5,400	
Meeting costs and study day	60,421		38,991	
Executive officers' and Council members' expenses	1,998		-	
Dishoom	1,105		-	
Educational event	7,068		2,400	
Website	4,922		8,046	
Medals and prizes	1,222		1,412	
Software	2,955		-	
Donations and grants	3,000		-	
Bank charges	840		679	
Accountancy	432		432	
Sundries	321		135	
Zoom	144		144	
Document storage	600		-	
		<u>95,866</u>		<u>60,393</u>
<b>Surplus/Loss on normal activities for the year</b>		<u>1,791</u>		<u>19,709</u>
<b>Retained funds brought forward</b>		<u>168,925</u>		<u>149,216</u>
<b>Retained funds carried forward</b>		<u>170,716</u>		<u>168,925</u>
<b>Represented by</b>				
Cash at bank		<u>170,716</u>		<u>168,925</u>