

REGISTERED COMPANY NUMBER: 08789169 (England and Wales)
REGISTERED CHARITY NUMBER: 1165137

Report of the Trustees and
Unaudited Financial Statements
for the Year Ended 31 March 2025
for
INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR FORENSIC
PSYCHOTHERAPY LTD

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Report of the Trustees
for the Year Ended 31 March 2025

The trustees who are also directors of the charity for the purposes of the Companies Act 2006, present their report with the financial statements of the charity for the year ended 31 March 2025. The trustees have adopted the provisions of Accounting and Reporting by Charities: Statement of Recommended Practice applicable to charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) (effective 1 January 2019).

OBJECTIVES AND ACTIVITIES

Objectives and aims

The International Association for Forensic Psychotherapy (IAFP) promotes the mental health of offenders and victims through the use of psychotherapeutic understanding, risk assessment, and treatment techniques and advances understanding about forensic psychotherapeutic practice.

Significant activities

- developing educational programs around the world for mental health practitioners, the public, and offenders to enhance their understanding of the principles and practice of forensic psychotherapy
- publishing and disseminating new scholarly articles about forensic psychotherapy
- maintaining a database of knowledge about forensic psychotherapy, including a website available to the public
- Using knowledge about the principles and practice of forensic psychotherapy to inform policy decisions
- encouraging collaborations between practitioners and agencies working with offenders internationally

Public benefit

All of the IAFP's Trustees have had regard to the Charity Commission's guidance on public benefit

ACHIEVEMENTS AND PERFORMANCE

Charitable activities

This has been another very productive year in working towards the IAFP's aim to promote the health of offenders and victims through the use of psychotherapeutic understanding, risk assessment and treatment techniques and to advance understanding about forensic psychotherapeutic practice.

Moustafa Saoud was elected as Treasurer, Leo Cabrer was elected as Assistant Treasurer. John Kearney, Anna Motz, Natalia Frolova, Franco Scarpa and Massimo De Mari were elected to the Executive Board.

Annual Conference

The 2023 Annual Conference took place in Turin, Italy on the theme of "From Pain to Violence: Prevention and Intervention." Nine keynote speakers from the UK, Italy and France, eighteen parallel presentations plus two large group discussions provided an extensive opportunity to hear from experts in the field and share experiences with other delegates.

The 2024 Annual Conference (our 32nd annual event) was held in Montpellier, France on the theme of "The Perverse Organisation: Turning a Blind Eye to Sexual Violence." Ten keynote speakers from the UK, France, Israel, Australia and the USA, sixteen parallel presentations plus two large group discussions were held. On the Thursday we held a preconference day on the subject of the "Flair of French Forensics."

Gill McGauley Award

At the 2023 Annual Conference, we had joint winners of the Gill McGauley Award, in recognition of their outstanding scholarly contribution to the field of forensic psychotherapy at an IAFP conference - Sarah Brand's session on "Music is the Enemy"; and Nelle Van Damme's session on "Radio Begijnenstraat"

Our 2024 award winner was Naomi Rule with a presentation entitled "A Tale Told By An Idiot: Exploring the ethical dilemma of providing trauma-informed and recovery focused treatment pathways system that necessitates physical oppression and emotional sublimation."

Evening Seminars

These low-cost, bi-monthly evening seminars continue to be a means of disseminating knowledge and fostering links with the wider community. The majority of these sessions are recorded and available to those who cannot attend the live presentations. During the past year we have held the following seminars:

- Jackie Craissati - Sexual Homicide: A case of sadism or panic?
- Anna Motz - Denial, Danger and Erotomania
- Dr Gwen Adshead - Mothers in law
- Dr Paul Gray, Dr Deborah Jump and Celia Sadie - Partners in Crime
- Dr Cleo Van Velsen - The Criminal, the Therapist and the Court
- Dr Stephen Blumenthal - Hurt People, Hurt people

International Journal of Forensic Psychotherapy

The International journal of Forensic Psychotherapy continues to go from strength to strength. It is available in both hard and electronic versions and is included as part of the Membership subscription.

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for the Year Ended 31 March 2025

National Associations Committee

This group has continued to meet over the year and have formalised a way of creating affiliates. The Australian and UK associations were our first affiliates. The French association held their first inaugural seminar in Paris in the Autumn of 2023.

FINANCIAL REVIEW

Reserves policy

The Charity has a reserves policy to hold 3 months costs in reserve to enable the Charity to cover costs and obligations in the event of business closure.

STRUCTURE, GOVERNANCE AND MANAGEMENT

Governing document

The charity is controlled by its governing document, a deed of trust, and constitutes a limited company, limited by guarantee, as defined by the Companies Act 2006.

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The IAFP is governed by a constitution and by-laws (revised April 2012).

The IAFP is a private company limited by guarantee.

Recruitment and appointment of new trustees

The IAFP appointed each of its officers (President, Honorary Life President, Secretary, Treasurer, and Vice President) to be trustees of the Charity. Nominees for these positions (except Honorary Life President) are solicited from the IAFP membership on an annual basis, and elections are then held at the Annual General Meeting. Officers must be members of the IAFP and are elected to three-year terms.

As most of our officers will be completing their tenure and standing down from the Board within the next year, the new trustees are - Dr Anne Aiyegbusi, Dr Moustafa Saoud and Dr Jack Blake. Dr Estela Welldon is standing down as a trustee due to ill-health.

For banking purposes, it has been agreed that Treasurers need to be UK based.

REFERENCE AND ADMINISTRATIVE DETAILS

Registered Company number

08789169 (England and Wales)

Registered Charity number

1165137

INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR FORENSIC
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Report of the Trustees
for the Year Ended 31 March 2025

Registered office
2 St Mary's Road
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Trustees
Dr C D Campbell Medical Doctor
Dr C Minne Nhs Doctor
Ms E Mundici Psychotherapist
Dr E V Welldon Consultant Psychiatrist in Psychotherapy

Company Secretary
Dr C Van Velsen

Independent Examiner
Mr Ryan Cottington, ACA
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Approved by order of the board of trustees on 23 December 2025 and signed on its behalf by:

Dr C D Campbell - Trustee

Independent examiner's report to the trustees of International Association For Forensic Psychotherapy Ltd ('the Company')

I report to the charity trustees on my examination of the accounts of the Company for the year ended 31 March 2025.

Responsibilities and basis of report

As the charity's trustees of the Company (and also its directors for the purposes of company law) you are responsible for the preparation of the accounts in accordance with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006 ('the 2006 Act').

Having satisfied myself that the accounts of the Company are not required to be audited under Part 16 of the 2006 Act and are eligible for independent examination, I report in respect of my examination of your charity's accounts as carried out under Section 145 of the Charities Act 2011 ('the 2011 Act'). In carrying out my examination I have followed the Directions given by the Charity Commission under Section 145(5) (b) of the 2011 Act.

Independent examiner's statement

I have completed my examination. I confirm that no matters have come to my attention in connection with the examination giving me cause to believe:

1. accounting records were not kept in respect of the Company as required by Section 386 of the 2006 Act; or
2. the accounts do not accord with those records; or
3. the accounts do not comply with the accounting requirements of Section 396 of the 2006 Act other than any requirement that the accounts give a true and fair view which is not a matter considered as part of an independent examination; or
4. the accounts have not been prepared in accordance with the methods and principles of the Statement of Recommended Practice for accounting and reporting by charities (applicable to charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102)).

I have no concerns and have come across no other matters in connection with the examination to which attention should be drawn in this report in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

Mr Ryan Cottingham, ACA

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23 December 2025

INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR FORENSIC
PSYCHOTHERAPY LTD

Statement of Financial Activities
for the Year Ended 31 March 2025

		2025 Unrestricted fund £	2024 Total funds £
INCOME AND ENDOWMENTS FROM	Notes		
Donations and legacies		65	-
Charitable activities			
Subscriptions		9,335	6,837
Other trading activities	2	27,847	26,409
Total		<u>37,247</u>	<u>33,246</u>
EXPENDITURE ON			
Other		<u>37,384</u>	<u>27,488</u>
NET INCOME/(EXPENDITURE)		(137)	5,758
RECONCILIATION OF FUNDS			
Total funds brought forward		33,880	28,122
TOTAL FUNDS CARRIED FORWARD		<u><u>33,743</u></u>	<u><u>33,880</u></u>

The notes form part of these financial statements

INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR FORENSIC
PSYCHOTHERAPY LTD

Balance Sheet
31 March 2025

		2025 Unrestricted fund £	2024 Total funds £
	Notes		
CURRENT ASSETS			
Cash at bank		37,927	36,979
CREDITORS			
Amounts falling due within one year	5	(4,184)	(3,099)
NET CURRENT ASSETS		<u>33,743</u>	<u>33,880</u>
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES		33,743	33,880
NET ASSETS		<u>33,743</u>	<u>33,880</u>
FUNDS	6		
Unrestricted funds		<u>33,743</u>	<u>33,880</u>
TOTAL FUNDS		<u>33,743</u>	<u>33,880</u>

The charitable company is entitled to exemption from audit under Section 477 of the Companies Act 2006 for the year ended 31 March 2025.

The members have not required the company to obtain an audit of its financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2025 in accordance with Section 476 of the Companies Act 2006.

The trustees acknowledge their responsibilities for

- (a) ensuring that the charitable company keeps accounting records that comply with Sections 386 and 387 of the Companies Act 2006 and
- (b) preparing financial statements which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the charitable company as at the end of each financial year and of its surplus or deficit for each financial year in accordance with the requirements of Sections 394 and 395 and which otherwise comply with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006 relating to financial statements, so far as applicable to the charitable company.

The notes form part of these financial statements

INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR FORENSIC
PSYCHOTHERAPY LTD

Balance Sheet - continued
31 March 2025

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the provisions applicable to charitable companies subject to the small companies regime.

The financial statements were approved by the Board of Trustees and authorised for issue on 23 December 2025 and were signed on its behalf by:

C D Campbell - Trustee

The notes form part of these financial statements

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Basis of preparing the financial statements

The financial statements of the charitable company, which is a public benefit entity under FRS 102, have been prepared in accordance with the Charities SORP (FRS 102) 'Accounting and Reporting by Charities: Statement of Recommended Practice applicable to charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) (effective 1 January 2019)', Financial Reporting Standard 102 'The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland' and the Companies Act 2006. The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention.

Income

All income is recognised in the Statement of Financial Activities once the charity has entitlement to the funds, it is probable that the income will be received and the amount can be measured reliably.

Expenditure

Liabilities are recognised as expenditure as soon as there is a legal or constructive obligation committing the charity to that expenditure, it is probable that a transfer of economic benefits will be required in settlement and the amount of the obligation can be measured reliably. Expenditure is accounted for on an accruals basis and has been classified under headings that aggregate all cost related to the category. Where costs cannot be directly attributed to particular headings they have been allocated to activities on a basis consistent with the use of resources.

Taxation

The charity is exempt from corporation tax on its charitable activities.

Fund accounting

Unrestricted funds can be used in accordance with the charitable objectives at the discretion of the trustees.

Restricted funds can only be used for particular restricted purposes within the objects of the charity. Restrictions arise when specified by the donor or when funds are raised for particular restricted purposes.

Further explanation of the nature and purpose of each fund is included in the notes to the financial statements.

Notes to the Financial Statements - continued
for the Year Ended 31 March 2025

2. OTHER TRADING ACTIVITIES

	2025	2024
	£	£
Conference	<u>27,847</u>	<u>26,409</u>

3. TRUSTEES' REMUNERATION AND BENEFITS

There were no trustees' remuneration or other benefits for the year ended 31 March 2025 nor for the year ended 31 March 2024.

Trustees' expenses

There were no trustees' expenses paid for the year ended 31 March 2025 nor for the year ended 31 March 2024.

4. COMPARATIVES FOR THE STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES

	Unrestricted fund £
INCOME AND ENDOWMENTS FROM	
Charitable activities	
Subscriptions	6,837
Other trading activities	<u>26,409</u>
Total	<u>33,246</u>
EXPENDITURE ON	
Other	<u>27,488</u>
NET INCOME	5,758
RECONCILIATION OF FUNDS	
Total funds brought forward	<u>28,122</u>
TOTAL FUNDS CARRIED FORWARD	<u><u>33,880</u></u>

Notes to the Financial Statements - continued
for the Year Ended 31 March 2025

5. CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR

	2025	2024
	£	£
Accruals and deferred income	<u>4,184</u>	<u>3,099</u>

6. MOVEMENT IN FUNDS

	At 1/4/24	Net movement in funds	At 31/3/25
	£	£	£
Unrestricted funds			
General fund	33,880	(137)	33,743
	<u>33,880</u>	<u>(137)</u>	<u>33,743</u>
TOTAL FUNDS	<u>33,880</u>	<u>(137)</u>	<u>33,743</u>

Net movement in funds, included in the above are as follows:

	Incoming resources	Resources expended	Movement in funds
	£	£	£
Unrestricted funds			
General fund	37,247	(37,384)	(137)
	<u>37,247</u>	<u>(37,384)</u>	<u>(137)</u>
TOTAL FUNDS	<u>37,247</u>	<u>(37,384)</u>	<u>(137)</u>

Comparatives for movement in funds

	At 1/4/23	Net movement in funds	At 31/3/24
	£	£	£
Unrestricted funds			
General fund	28,122	5,758	33,880
	<u>28,122</u>	<u>5,758</u>	<u>33,880</u>
TOTAL FUNDS	<u>28,122</u>	<u>5,758</u>	<u>33,880</u>

Notes to the Financial Statements - continued
for the Year Ended 31 March 2025

6. MOVEMENT IN FUNDS - continued

Comparative net movement in funds, included in the above are as follows:

	Incoming resources £	Resources expended £	Movement in funds £
Unrestricted funds			
General fund	33,246	(27,488)	5,758
	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
TOTAL FUNDS	<u>33,246</u>	<u>(27,488)</u>	<u>5,758</u>

A current year 12 months and prior year 12 months combined position is as follows:

	At 1/4/23 £	Net movement in funds £	At 31/3/25 £
Unrestricted funds			
General fund	28,122	5,621	33,743
	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
TOTAL FUNDS	<u>28,122</u>	<u>5,621</u>	<u>33,743</u>

A current year 12 months and prior year 12 months combined net movement in funds, included in the above are as follows:

	Incoming resources £	Resources expended £	Movement in funds £
Unrestricted funds			
General fund	70,493	(64,872)	5,621
	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
TOTAL FUNDS	<u>70,493</u>	<u>(64,872)</u>	<u>5,621</u>

7. RELATED PARTY DISCLOSURES

There were no related party transactions for the year ended 31 March 2025.

INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR FORENSIC
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Detailed Statement of Financial Activities
for the Year Ended 31 March 2025

	2025 £	2024 £
INCOME AND ENDOWMENTS		
Donations and legacies		
Other - Publishing	65	-
Other trading activities		
Conference	27,847	26,409
Charitable activities		
Subscriptions	9,335	6,837
Total incoming resources	37,247	33,246
EXPENDITURE		
Support costs		
Finance		
Bank charges	60	215
Other 2		
Sundry	501	367
Insurance	-	192
Conference cost	22,604	14,263
	23,105	14,822
Governance costs		
Publishing	6,000	6,000
Admin support	6,967	5,371
Accountancy and legal fees	1,252	1,080
	14,219	12,451
Total resources expended	37,384	27,488
Net (expenditure)/income	(137)	5,758

This page does not form part of the statutory financial statements