

# Edinburgh Iranian Festival

Scotland · Charity number SC044795

## Details

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Status	Active
Legal form	SCIO (Scottish Charitable Incorporated Organisation)
Registered	2014-04-10
Register	<a href="#">View on the OSCR register</a>

## Contact

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Address 141 capitains road  
Edinburgh  
Edinburgh  
EH17 8DY

Website [www.ediranfest.org](http://www.ediranfest.org)

## Activities

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**Activities:** 'It carries out activities or services itself'

**Purposes:** 'the advancement of the arts, heritage, culture or science'

**What the charity does:** Aiming to span both Iran's rich history and its contemporary cultural life, this biennial festival hopes to address misconceptions by introducing Scotland to the heart and soul of Iran – from its art and music, through to its history and food.

**Beneficiaries:** 'No specific group, or for the benefit of the community'

**Objectives:** 4.1 to advance arts, heritage, culture and science.

## Geography

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- **Main operating location:** City of Edinburgh
- **Geographical spread:** Wider, but within one local authority area

## Finances

Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees
2025-03-31	£0	£247	-	0
2024-03-31	£0	£692	-	0
2023-03-31	£0	£693	-	0
2022-03-31	£0	£271	-	0
2021-03-31	£400	£379	-	0

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# Accounts

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**EDINBURGH IRANIAN FESTIVAL**  
**INDEPENDENT EXAMINER'S STATEMENT**  
**FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2025**

**INDEPENDENT EXAMINER'S REPORT TO THE TRUSTEES OF EDINBURGH IRANIAN FESTIVAL**

I report on the accounts for the year ended 31<sup>st</sup> March 2025 showing a Total Loss of £247 and a Cash Balance of £3636.

**RESPECTIVE RESPONSIBILITIES OF TRUSTEES AND EXAMINER**

The trustees are responsible for the preparation of the accounts. The trustees consider that an audit is not required for this year under section 144(2) of the Charities Act 2011 and that an independent examination is needed. The charity's gross income does not exceed £250,000 and I am qualified to undertake the examination by being a qualified member of Association Chartered Certified Accountants.

Having satisfied myself that the charity is not subject to an audit under company law and is eligible for independent examination, 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

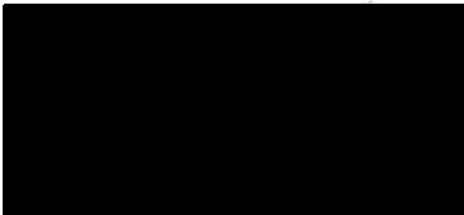
**BASIS OF INDEPENDENT EXAMINER'S STATEMENT**

My examination was carried out in accordance with general Directions given by the Charity Commission and 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
  - To prepare accounts which accord with the accounting records and comply with the methods and principles of the Statement of Recommended Practice: Accounting and Reporting by CharitiesHave not been met; or
2. To which, in my opinion, attention should be drawn in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.



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**Scottish Charity No – SC044795**

## **Annual Report and Financial Statements For the year ended 31 March 2025**

The charity has income below £250,000 and as such is eligible to prepare its accounts on a Receipts and Payments Basis. The governing document does not require the charity to prepare fully accrued accounts and neither does it require an audit. It was incorporated as a SCIO in the previous financial period.

## **Trustees' Annual Report**

**For the year ended 31 March 2025** the trustees have pleasure in presenting their report together with the financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2025.

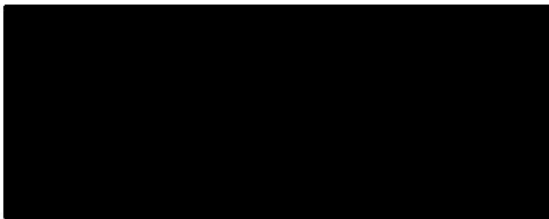
### **Reference and Administrative Information**

**Charity name** Edinburgh Iranian Festival SCIO

**Charity no** SC044795

**Address** 

**Current Trustees**



**Plans for future period**

Continue to hold cultural events for promoting the Iranian art, history and culture, and creating links between British and Iranian artists, academics, and communities.

As of present there are no plans however all plans would be published the charity website:

<http://ediranfest.co.uk/>

Independent Examiner

Accountancy Assured Limited carried out the Independent Examination for the year ended 31 March 2025.

This report was approved by the Trustees on 22 November 2025 and signed on their behalf by:



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Trustee- Director

**Statement of Receipts and Payments for the year ended 31 March 2025**

**Receipts:**

Unrestricted funds

Ticket Sales 0

**Total Receipts** 0

**Payments:**

Website 247

**Total Payments** 247

**Statement of Balances for the year ended 31 March 2025**

Opening Cash and cash in hand (31 March 2024) 3,883

Decrease in funds (247)

**Closing cash balance (31 March 2025)** 3,636

**Notes to accounts for the year ended 31 March 2025**

**1 Basis of accounting**

These accounts have been prepared on the Receipts and Payments basis in accordance with the Charities & Trustee Investment (Scotland) Act 2005 and the Charities Accounts (Scotland) Regulations

**2 Related party transactions**

No remuneration was paid to the trustees or any connected persons during the year.

**3 Activities**

Edinburgh Iranian Festival held no events during the year 2024-2025.

The Trustees acknowledge their responsibilities for complying with the requirements of the Charities Act with respect to accounting records and the preparation of accounts.

Approved by the board of Trustees on 30 November 2025 and signed on their behalf by

