



Agenda of the EMS extra-ordinary COUNCIL MEETING

to be held at IMC 2026 in Liverpool, UK on Tuesday September 1st 2026; 5:30 PM local time

According to the Constitution, a General Council consists of representatives of the National societies for microscopy that have adopted *en-bloc* membership of EMS: those that have less than 300 paying EMS members will have one representative with one vote. Societies with over 300 paying EMS members will have two representatives, each with one vote. Two representatives of ECMA (European Corporate Member Assembly) have voting rights in the General Council. For details on the Constitution, see the EMS website: <http://www.eurmicsoc.org>.

Summary of the rules: No meeting of the General Council shall have the power to make valid decisions unless more than 50% of all societies that decided for *en-bloc* membership of EMS are represented. In case of insufficient participation, decisions are postponed until the next meeting of the General Assembly or can be put-up for electronic voting by the EMS board. The General Council will be chaired by the President of EMS. Decisions of the General Council are taken by a simple majority of votes (>50%; in the event of an equal division of votes, the chairman shall make the final decision).

Agenda

1. Welcome and confirmation of the agenda of the General Council
2. Annual fees
3. Acceptance of membership for new National Society
4. Any further matter to be discussed
5. Closing of the meeting

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