# Declaration of interests form

## Global Nutrition Report Independent Expert Group

**All members of the Independent Expert Group (IEG) are required to declare any current or non-current (going back** **three years prior to this date) financial or non-financial professional or other interest** **that may influence their ability to be impartial when serving on the IEG.** This includes any interest that may affect, or may reasonably be perceived to affect, your objectivity and independence. For example, the organisation you work for, or organisations for whom you consult, may be perceived to affect your partiality, since you have a financial relationship with them. Being a member of an advisory group or board may have the same affect. Since these interests may, even if unconsciously, influence your perspectives when serving on the IEG, they should be declared. Please note that high quality of scientific expertise is by nature based on prior experience and that, therefore, having an interest does not necessarily mean having a conflict of interest.

Please note the following before completing this form:

* Candidates must read the detailed guidance (Annex 4) in the IEG Terms of Reference.
* Candidates must complete this form and submit it along with their application.
* Any disclosures will be reviewed in accordance with established policies on conflict of interest by the IEG Chair.
* Approval will not be granted until a decision is rendered for each declared interest.
* Missing information may delay the review of your application and/or affect your consideration for the position.

**First name:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ **Last name: :** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Please indicate whether you are involved (or were involved within the past three years prior to this date) in each of the interest types listed below.**

| **Type of interest** | **Nature of relationship** | **Period of activity,**  **MM/YYYY – MM/YYYY** | **Please provide details on the activity, including organisation name and type (private, public), as well as your role in this** |
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| A. Employment | Financial  Yes,  < £5,000  Yes,  ≥ £5,000  No |  |  |
| Non-financial  Yes  No |  |  |
| B. Consultancy/ advice/honoraria and legal representation | Financial  Yes,  < £5,000  Yes,  ≥ £5,000  No |  |  |
| Non-financial  Yes  No |  |  |
| C. Research | Financial  Yes,  < £5,000  Yes,  ≥ £5,000  No |  |  |
| Non-financial  Yes  No |  |  |
| D. Membership of a managing body or equivalent structure | Financial  Yes,  < £5,000  Yes,  ≥ £5,000  No |  |  |
| Non-financial  Yes  No |  |  |
| E. Membership of a scientific advisory body | Financial  Yes,  < £5,000  Yes,  ≥ £5,000  No |  |  |
| Non-financial  Yes  No |  |  |
| F. Ownership or other  investments, including  shares | Financial  Yes,  < £5,000  Yes,  ≥ £5,000  No |  |  |
| Non-financial  Yes  No |  |  |
| G. Intellectual property rights | Financial  Yes,  < £5,000  Yes,  ≥ £5,000  No |  |  |
| Non-financial  Yes  No |  |  |
| H. Public statements and opinions | Financial  Yes,  < £5,000  Yes,  ≥ £5,000  No |  |  |
| Non-financial  Yes  No |  |  |
| I. Other membership or affiliation | Financial  Yes,  < £5,000  Yes,  ≥ £5,000  No |  |  |
| Non-financial  Yes  No |  |  |
| J. Other | Financial  Yes,  < £5,000  Yes,  ≥ £5,000  No |  |  |
| Non-financial  Yes  No |  |  |

**Please indicate whether there are any financial or non-financial interests that you need to declare for your spouse/domestic partner and/or dependent children. If yes, please provide the relevant information for each activity as per the table above.**

☐ NA – I have no spouse/domestic partner and/or dependent children.

☐ No – I have no interest to declare for my spouse/domestic partner and/or dependent children.

☐ Yes – I have the following interests to declare for my spouse/domestic partner and/or dependent children:

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**By signing this form, you confirm the following:**

1. I have read both the Guidance on Declarations of Interests and the Code of Conduct.
2. I have completed this form with all my current financial and non-financial interests that may affect or may reasonably be perceived to affect the work of the IEG.
3. The information I have presented here is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge.
4. If new interests arise during my term which may affect my participation in the IEG, it is my duty to disclose them to the IEG Chair in the first instance and to update this form as required.
5. Duality of interests frequently exists and, while not always conflicting, interests should be declared for the purpose of transparency. However, should the IEG Chair determine an interest of an IEG member to be counter to those of the GNR, you will be requested to stand down from the IEG.

**Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

The registry of IEG members’ interests and affiliations will be made publicly available and will be disclosed in GNR publications.