

ISoP General Assembly

24 September 2026



Warm welcome to all our members

Housekeeping during this meeting

01 The GA will be chaired by ISoP President **Omar Aimer** with Secretary General **Felipe Villalobos** serving as co-chair.

02 This is a hybrid meeting, allowing ISoP members worldwide to join via Zoom.

03 Zoom attendees wishing to ask questions are encouraged to use the **chat function** during the meeting

04 Questions and comments will be addressed at the end of the agenda (Item 7) to ensure all items are presented, time permitting.

05 If your question is not addressed during the session, please contact the **ISoP Secretariat** at **Sophie Spence** at administration@isoponline.org or **Antoinette Ivins** at support@isoponline.org, and we will respond as soon as possible.

2. Approval of agenda

01 Welcome, introductions, housekeeping

02 Approval of agenda

03 Approval of minutes 2025 General Assembly

04 Overview of the strategic plan
(Introduction by the ISoP President)

4.1 Goal 1 - Scientific Leadership

4.1. Scientific Leadership Update

4.1. SIG Update

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4.1 Goal 2 - Member Experience and Engagement

4.2. Member Centric plan

4.2.2 Membership and Chapter Report

4.2.3 Communities and Mentorship Report

4.2.4 Student Coordination Report

4.3 Goal 3 - Visibility and Communication

4.3. Communications Report

4.3.2 Global Outreach and Strategic Partnerships

4.4 Goal 4 - Finance, Transparency and Sustainability

4.4.1 Treasurer's Financial Report

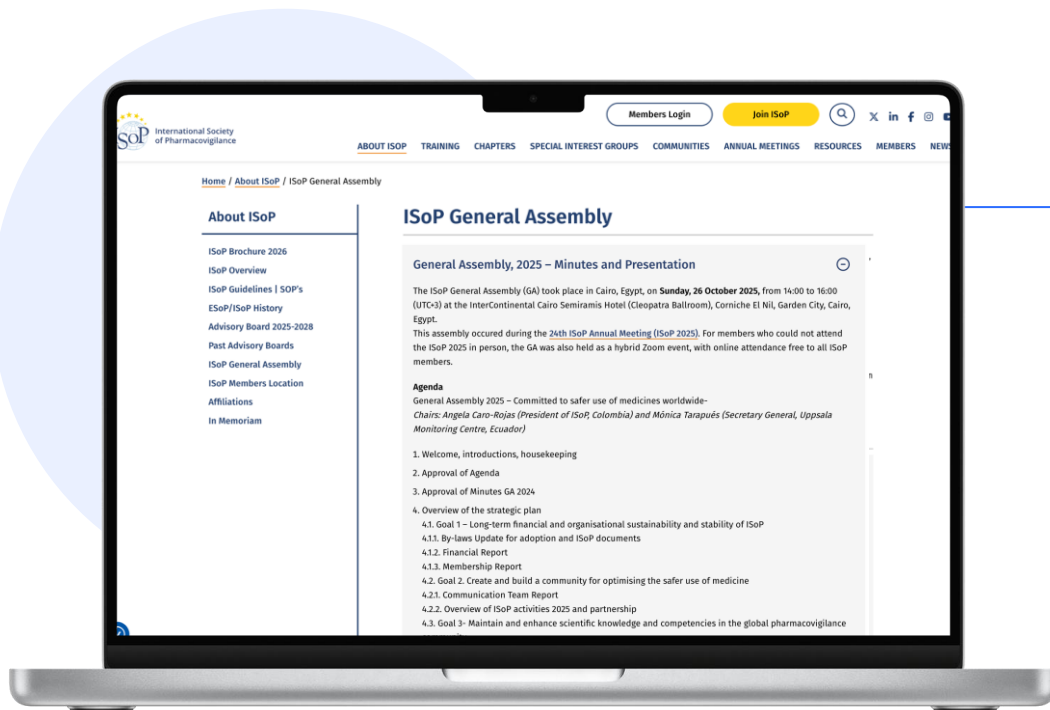
05 Fellowship and Honorary Awards 2026

06 Looking Ahead (ISoP Events)

07 Q&A (time permitted)

08 Remarks from ISoP President

3. Approval of 2025 GA Minutes



Minutes have been posted on the ISO P website:

isoponline.org/about-isop/general-assembly-reports/

No objections or corrections received to date

Request for ISO P members' approval of 2025 GA minutes

4. Overview of the ISoP Strategic Plan



Omar Aimer
ISoP President 2025-2028

ISoP Advisory Board 2025-2028

Executive Committee



Omar Aimer

President



Francesco Salvo

Vice President



Felipe Villalobos

Secretary General
Chapter Coordinator



Comfort Ogar

Treasurer

Advisory Board Members



Salvatore Crisafulli

Communication &
Students Coordinator



Brian Edwards

Communities &
Mentorship Coordinator



Tarek Hammad

Strategy and Innovation
Coordinator



Katarina Ilic

Special Interest Groups
Coordinator



Hadir Rostom

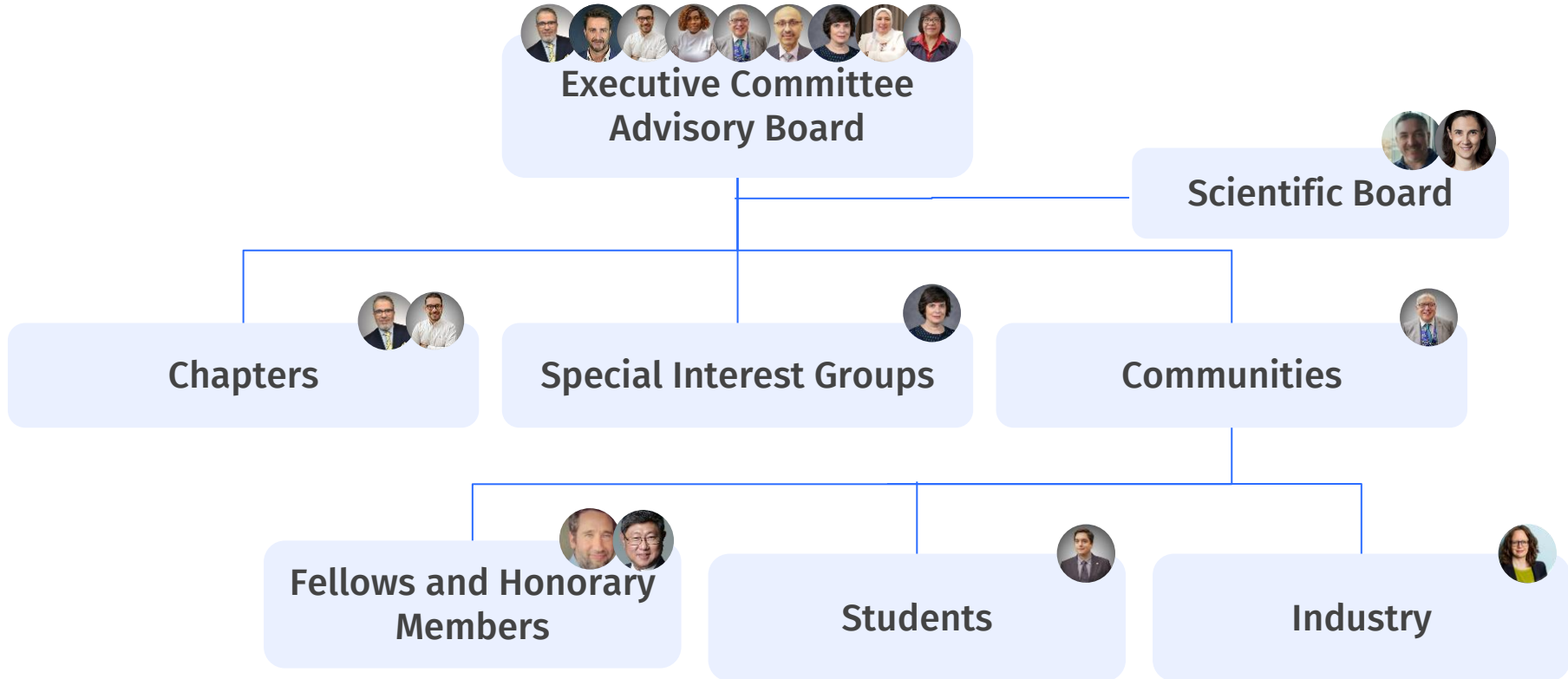
Membership
Coordinator



Maribel Salas

Academic
Coordinator

The ISoP Framework



ISoP Strategic Plan 2025-2028



Goal 1

Position ISoP as the trusted global pharmacovigilance organization through scientific leadership and education.



Goal 2

Enhance the membership journey by improving benefits, onboarding, and operational support using digital tools.



Goal 3

Ensure long-term sustainability by balancing asset stability, expanding funding sources, and supporting priority initiatives.



Goal 4

Strengthen ISoP's reputation as the global pharmacovigilance organization while enhancing engaging communication with members

Goal 1

Position ISoP as the trusted global pharmacovigilance organization through **scientific leadership and education**



Goal 1.1

Strengthen ISoP's global scientific leadership by **driving innovation, high-quality research and collaboration**



Specific objective

Define and deliver ISoP's scientific agenda, including AI guardrails, innovation, high-impact publications, and global scientific engagement

Goal 1.2

Expand access and **quality of pharmacovigilance education** through diverse learning formats and global engagement

Education & Capacity Building



Maribel Salas

ISO P Academic
Coordinator



Katarina Ilic

ISO P Special Interest
Groups Coordinator



Francesco Salvo

ISO P Vice President



Hadir Rostom

ISO P Membership
Coordinator



Veronique Kugener

ISO P Scientific Board
Co-Chair

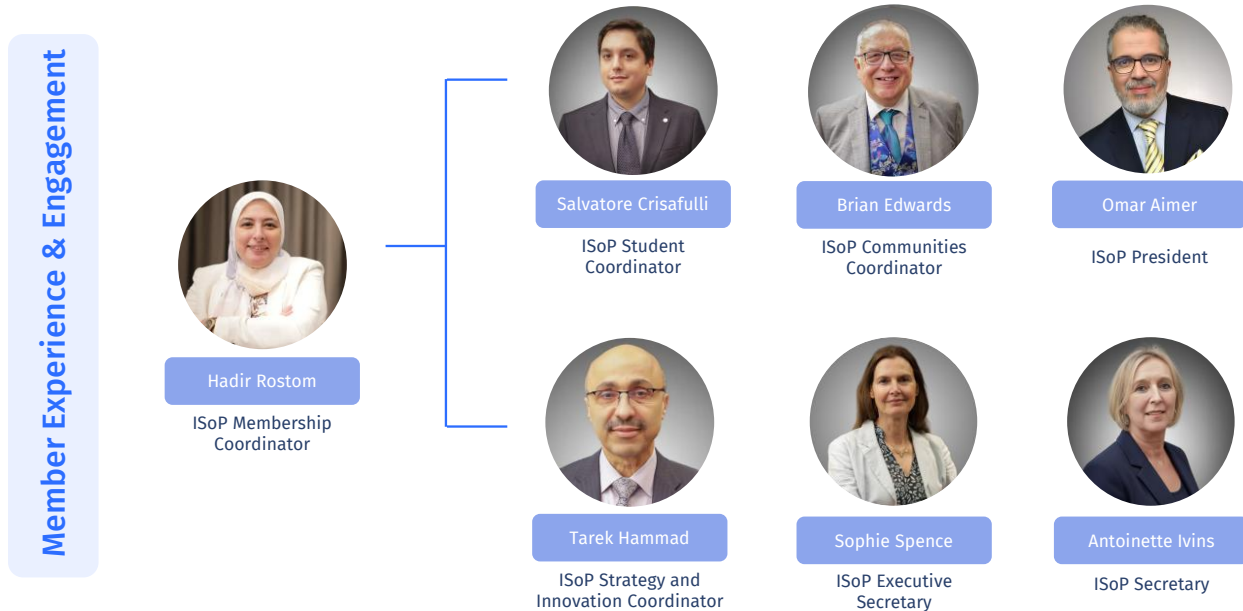


Specific objective

Expand PV education through courses, bootcamps, webinars, and SIG/Chapter-led initiatives, with a focus on global reach

Goal 2

Enhance the membership journey by improving **benefits, onboarding, and operational support** using digital tools



Specific objective

Strengthen member value, onboarding, engagement, and operational efficiency through automation and clear communication

Goal 3

Strengthen ISoP's **reputation as the global pharmacovigilance organization** while enhancing engaging communication with members

Visibility & Communication



Salvatore Crisafulli

ISoP Student
Coordinator



Felipe Villalobos

ISoP Secretary General
Chapter Coordinator



Gabriela Duran

ISoP Communication
Manager



Sophie Spence

ISoP Executive
Secretary



Antoinette Ivins

ISoP Secretary



Specific objective

Position ISoP as the trusted global PV organization and improve internal communication to increase member awareness and participation.

4.1. Goal 1

Scientific Leadership



Francesco Salvo
ISoP Vice President



Tarek Hammad
ISoP Strategy and Innovation
Coordinator



Maribel Salas
ISoP Academic Coordinator



Katarina Ilic
ISoP SIG Coordinator

4.1.1. Academic Update



Maribel Salas
ISoP Academic Coordinator

Strategy Coordination

Three-year Scientific Strategy (2025-2028)

Developed ISoP's first three-year Scientific Strategy (2026–2028) to guide research, education, collaboration, and scientific communication around shared priorities



Engagement of ISoP stakeholders to implement the strategic plan

Engaged **SIGs, Chapters,** and **individual volunteers** to support implementation of priority scientific initiatives



Strategy Coordination

ISoP Strategic Survey

Launched an ISoP strategic survey for members and non-member PV professionals to identify **unmet needs, regional priorities, educational gaps, and opportunities for future initiatives**



Inclusion of high-relevant PV topics to Annual AI Seminars

Strengthened ISoP's leadership in AI Seminars in North America and Europe, bringing together regulators, academia, industry, and technology experts to advance responsible use of AI, automation, and advanced analytics in PV



ISoP Member Surveys 2026 **What our members told us**

Community Insights Survey (n=94) • European Chapter Survey (n=100)

89%

Would recommend ISoP

97%

Willing to contribute

65%

Training & collaboration
are the key gaps

72%

Identify AI/ML as the
leading innovation priority

Engagement Opportunity

27% Global respondents took part in nothing in 2025



60% European members want at least quarterly participation



95% European respondents are open to an active role



What members want

64% Hands-on workshops

56% Best practices and case studies

54% Expert round tables

52% SIGs named as a preferred
route to involvement

What this means for ISoP



Make activities
easier to
access and
schedule



Build practical
AI capability,
not just
awareness



Create clearer
routes from
volunteering to
active roles



Keep training,
collaboration
and regional
access central

Academic Coordination – Achievements

Reorganization of Webinars

Global Scientific Webinars

ISoP SIG(s), Chapter(s), and Community Webinars

- Chapter, SIG or Community leaders propose a topic with global impact, speakers, date and time
- Academic Coordinator revises and provides comments
- The proposer liaises with the ISoP Secretariat to avoid overlapping with global webinars

 2-4/year

 Members Only

Local Webinars

- Chapter Leaders discuss with the Academic Coordinator the topic and potential speakers
- The Chapter leader arranges the logistics of the webinar and liaises with the ISoP Secretariat to agree a suitable, date and time, ensuring the webinar does not conflict with other ISoP events or activities

 1-2/year

 Members Only

PV Journal Club Webinars

- The editor of the Drug Safety Journal proposes the topic, speakers, date & time
- Academic Coordinator might support if necessary

 1-2/year

 Members Only

Global Strategic Webinars

- Strategy & Innovation Coordinator & Academic Coordinator inform **Shikha Goel** on preferred Speakers to coordinate webinar arrangements on (Topic, Speakers, Date & Time) – Hot Topics

 1-2/year

 Open to all

Academic Coordination & ISoP Achievements



Global Events

1st ISoP European AI Seminar

16–17 February 2026
Basel, Switzerland

ISoP Mid-Year Symposium 2026

9–10 June 2026, Hatfield, UK

ISoP 2026 Global Meeting

22–25 Sept 2026, San José, Costa Rica

10th ISoP IA Seminar

3–4 December 2026,
Boston, Cambridge

World Patient Safety Day

Activities (September) –
“Safer Care for People Living with NCDs”



Member Engagement

ISoP Strategic Plan: Introduction from the New Leadership Team
(February)

PV Journal Club Webinar No. 11
(March)

ISoP New Member Welcome Meetings
(April & November)

ISoP Global Survey
(June–August)



Webinars

Medication Errors SIG Webinar: Substandard and Falsified Medicines (March)

AI in Pharmacovigilance Webinar Series (April & June)

Risk Communication / Women's Medicines SIG Webinar (July)

Vaccine Surveillance SIG Three-Part Webinar Series (July–September)

Risk Minimisation Methods SIG Webinar (October)

AM2P Student / NASoP Webinar (October)



Chapters & regions

NASoP Webinar: Pharmacovigilance Due Diligence in Drug Development (March)

LATAM Chapter Webinar: Aggregate Reports & RMPs (April)

Africa Chapter Regional Conference, Namibia (18–20 May)

Academic Coordination – Achievements

Patient Safety Day 2026

Reorganization of PSD, an activity assigned by the EC

Involvement of **ISoP Student** representative

Close coordination with **ISoP communications**

Development of infrastructure that can be used for future PSD meetings and store in ISoP site

Engagement of **ISoP Chapters** in the organization of PSD representing all regions

**ISoP Patient
Safety Day 2026**

↳ Templates (letters of invitation, bios, tracking Excel, etc.)
IT Company

↳ Plan to rotate the organization of PSD among regions



Thanks to the **amazing** team



Maribel Salas
Patient Safety Day - Chair



Omar Baayoun
Middle East Region



Amina Ibrahim Shehu
Africa Region



Navinisha Lee
Western Pacific Region



Ryan Walker
Europe Region



Marina Malikova
North America Region



Marco Tuccori
Europe



Mohamed A. Elhawary
Middle East Region

Rowyna Alhazm
General Support



Andrea González
General Support



Gabriela Durán
Communications leader

4.1.2. Special Interest Groups Update



Katarina Ilic
ISoP SIG Coordinator

ISoP Special Interest Groups (16)



SIGs Coordinator
Katarina Ilic



Women's medicines (2011)
Mira Harrison-Woolrych



Risk Communication (2014)
Priya Bahri



Risk Minimization Methods (2015)
Jean-Christophe Delumeau



Medication Errors (2017)
Rabih Dabliz



PV Professional Qualification Framework (2017)
Jan Petracek



Herbal & Traditional Medicines (2017)
Jo Barnes



Real World Evidence and Big Data (2019)
Gianluca Trifiro



Vaccine Surveillance (2019)
Rebecca Chandler



Pharmacogenomics (2020)
Qun-Ying Yue



Patient Engagement (2021)
Mayada Alkhakany



Medical Device (2021)
Ladi Owolabi



Drug Safety in Older Patients (2022)
Giovanni Furlan



Ecopharmacovigilance (2022)
Jayesh Pandit



Pharmacovigilance in the Community (2024)
Rabia Hussain



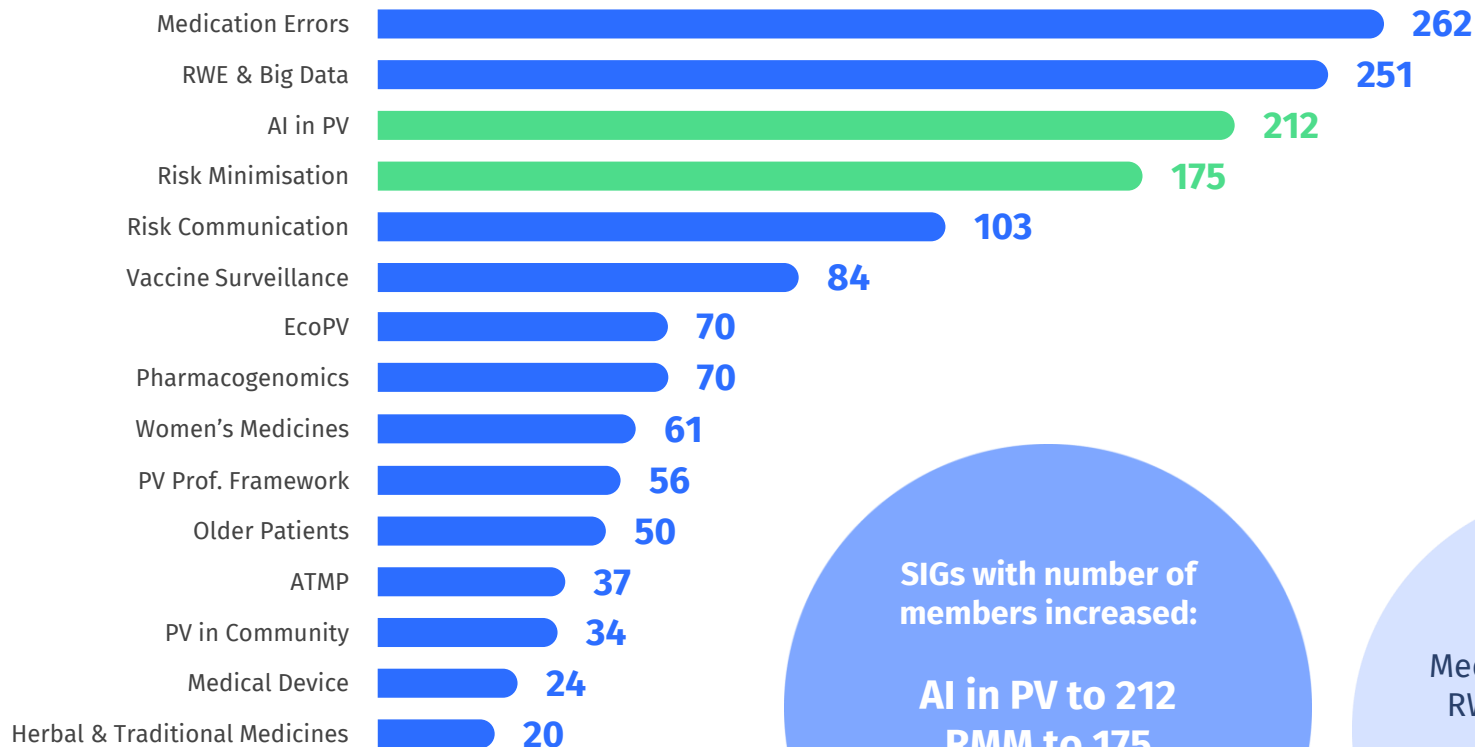
Artificial Intelligence in Pharmacovigilance (2024)
Mohammed Fouda



Advanced Therapy Medicinal Products (2025)
Jim Carlson

SIG Membership Snapshot

Reported membership counts; SIG memberships overlap and are not unique-member totals



SIGs with number of members increased:

AI in PV to 212
RMM to 175

Largest SIGs

Medication Errors: 262
RWE & Big Data: 251
AI in PV: 212

Facilitating Leadership Transition Across SIGs

Strengthening SIG sustainability through planned succession, continuity and shared leadership.



Herbal & Traditional Medicine

Following the departure of Souad Skali (Chair) and Jia-bo Wang (Secretary):



Jo Barnes
(Chair)



Florence van Hunsel
(Co-Chair)

Ensuring continuity while strengthening leadership.



Medication Errors

Brian Edwards' and Angela Caro's completed leadership terms:



Rabih Dabliz
(Chair 2026-2027)



Sophia Trantz
(Chair 2027-2028)



Lubna Merchant
(Chair 2028-2029)

A rotating leadership model supporting shared responsibility, continuity and succession planning.



Drug Safety in Older Patients

Leadership renewal currently underway

Strengthening SIG Reporting, Leadership & Membership

Improved SIG governance through consistent reporting, accurate records and active member engagement.

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4.2. Goal 2

Member Experience and Engagement



Hadir Rostom

Member Centric plan

ISoP Membership Coordinator



Felipe Villalobos

Membership and Chapter Report,
Communities and Mentorship Report
(On behalf of Brian Edwards)

ISoP Secretary General



Salvatore Crisafulli

Student Coordination Report

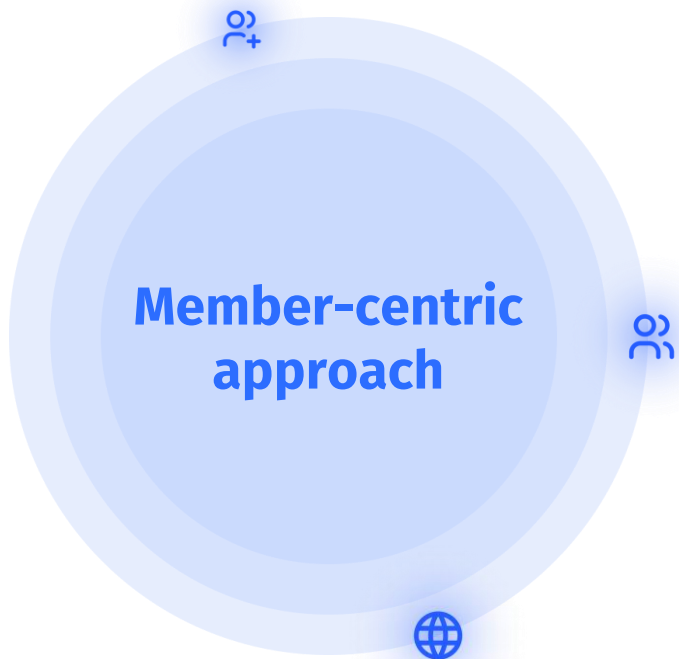
ISoP Student Coordinator

4.2.1. Member Centric Plan



Hadir Rostom
ISoP Membership Coordinator

ISoP Strategic Plan 2025-2028



- Developing strategies to **attract and retain members**, reinforcing ISoP revenue base and maintaining independence from external funding, while clearly communicating the **benefits of membership**
- By improving **onboarding, showcasing member achievements**, and **nurturing a sense of belonging**, the society strengthens member pride, loyalty, and connection, ensuring that both new and existing members feel recognized, valued, regularly engaged and committed to advancing patient safety.

Member-centric approach

Translating objectives into strategies



Members benefits

Develop a diversified range of member benefits by enhancing existing ones and introducing new benefits that address the needs and interests of members across different categories



Members administration

Strengthen member administration by automating key membership processes—such as chapter and SIG joining requests, participation in working groups, and training registrations—and by improving the management of member inquiries and feedback.

ISoP Members Spotlight Program

Recognizing today's leaders. Inspiring tomorrow's voices.

Seasoned PV professionals

Students & early career

1 Recognize

Celebrate ISoP member excellence and meaningful contributions to pharmacovigilance.



Professional visibility

A permanent, shareable, Google-indexed profile that extends reach beyond everyday networks.

2 Amplify

Extend professional visibility of ISoP members across the global PV community.



Global stage

Stories travel across regions, chapters and SIGs connecting diverse voices in PV.



Achievements acknowledged

Members are recognized for their achievements and invited to share their insights, and perspectives.

3 Connect

Foster belonging and spark active participation within the Society.



Membership value

Long-standing members are given an opportunity to be recognized for their active involvement in supporting ISoP initiatives.

ISO P Members Spotlight Program **Governance**

Run by members, for members

Oversight & advisory support



Hadir Rostom

ISO P Advisory Board
Membership Coordinator

Coordination team



Valeria Facciolo

Manager



Amira Onsy

Coordinator

Communication team



Gabriela Durán

ISO P Communication Manager



Sophie Spence

ISO P Secretariat



Antoinette Ivins

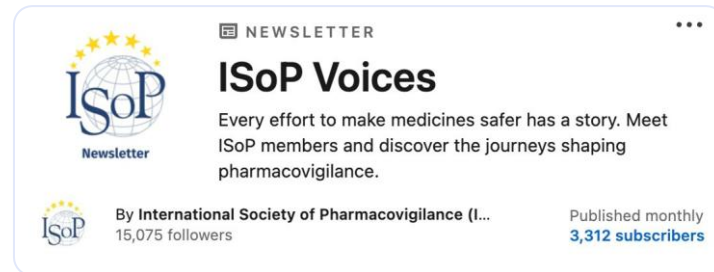
ISO P Secretariat

ISO P Voices

The New ISO P LinkedIn Newsletter our flagship Spotlight channel



Launch edition



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ISoP CRM Project Updates

Building one connected platform for Members, Chapters, SIGs, Communities leaders and Events

Replace existing membership management system with **one central platform** with increase capabilities to strengthen communication with members

- ✓ 4 Providers identified by ISoP Secretariat in June 2026
- ✓ 3 Vendors interviewed
- ✓ 2 Vendors selected
- ✓ 1 Preferred solution, final discussions before agreement

2027 Phased Implementation

● **Membership management**
(data migration, Renewals and payments, Chapter/SIGs access, communication, reporting) Event management (registrations, payments, reporting, communication)

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● **Global Events**
(Full event registration incorporation)

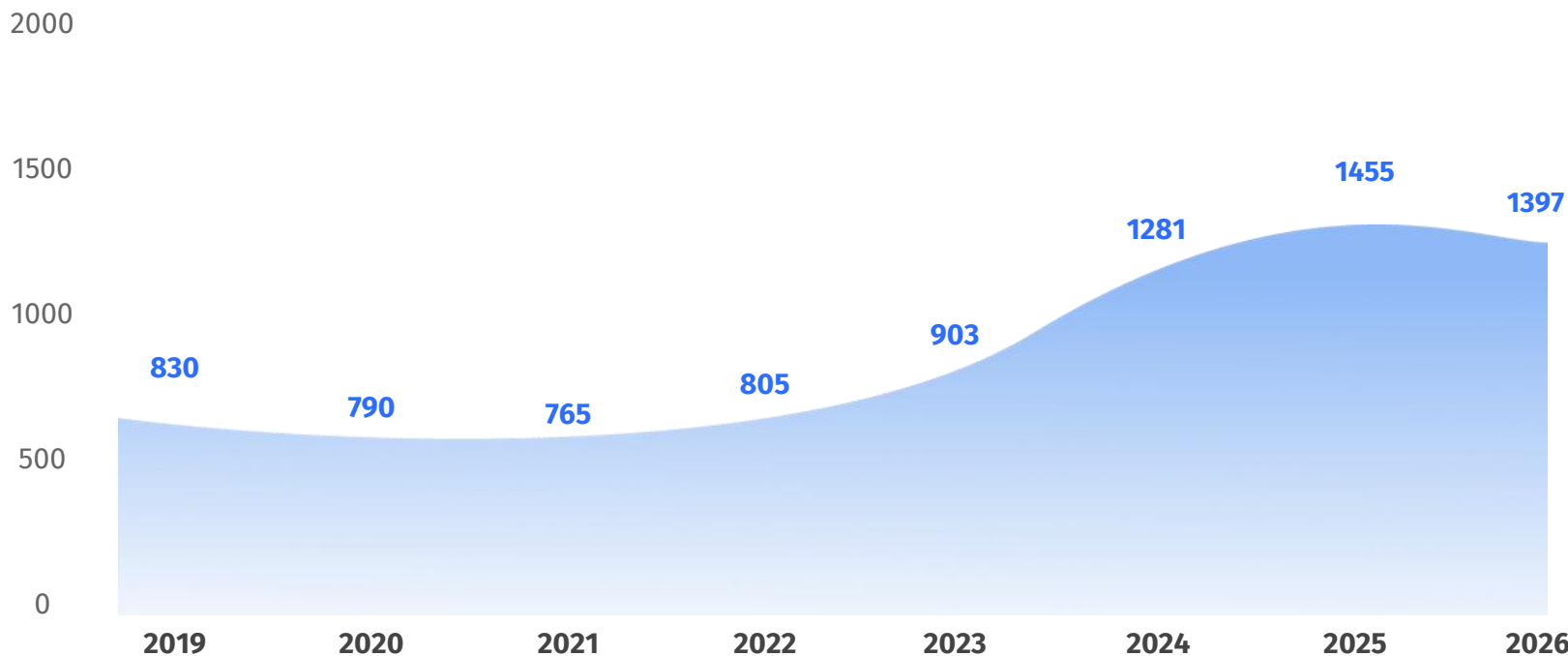
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4.2.2. Membership and Chapter Report

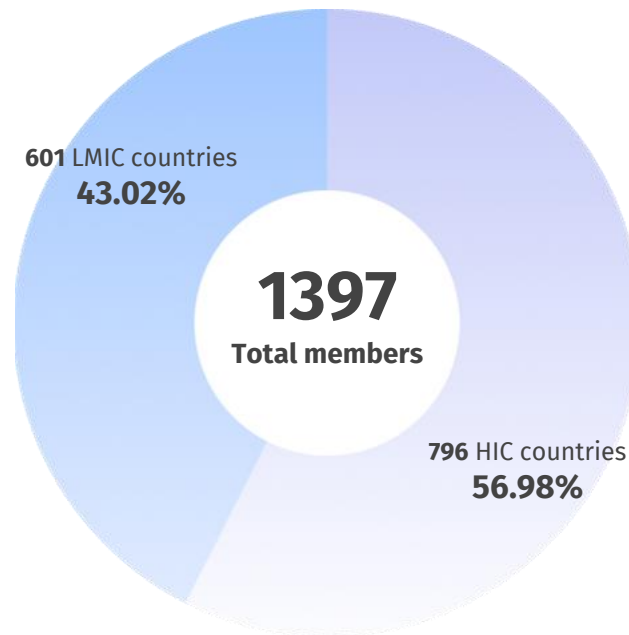
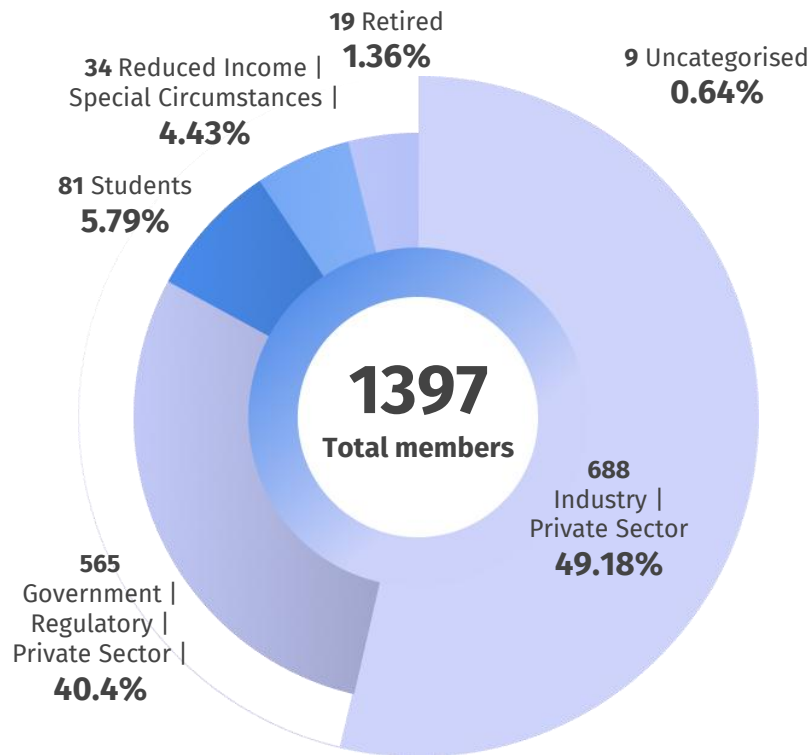


Felipe Villalobos
ISoP Secretary General

Membership Growth **year-over-year**



ISoP Membership: 31 August 2026



ISoP Membership through ISoP Events

	Global Meeting		Mid-Year Symposium		AI Seminar (Boston/Basel)		Chapter	
2026	Costa Rica	+106	Hatfield	39	Basel	40	Namibia	61
2025	Cairo	229	Uppsala	39	Boston	25	Mérida	104
2024	Montreal	164	Barcelona	58	Boston	10	Kampala	154

ISoP Chapter Leaders



North America (NASoP)
Marina Malikova



Latin America
Cinthya Galicia



Europe
Linda Härmark



Middle East and North Africa (MENA)
Abeer Zeitoun



Africa
Comfort Ogar



South Asia
Moin Don



China
Li Zhang



Indonesia
Jarir At Thobari

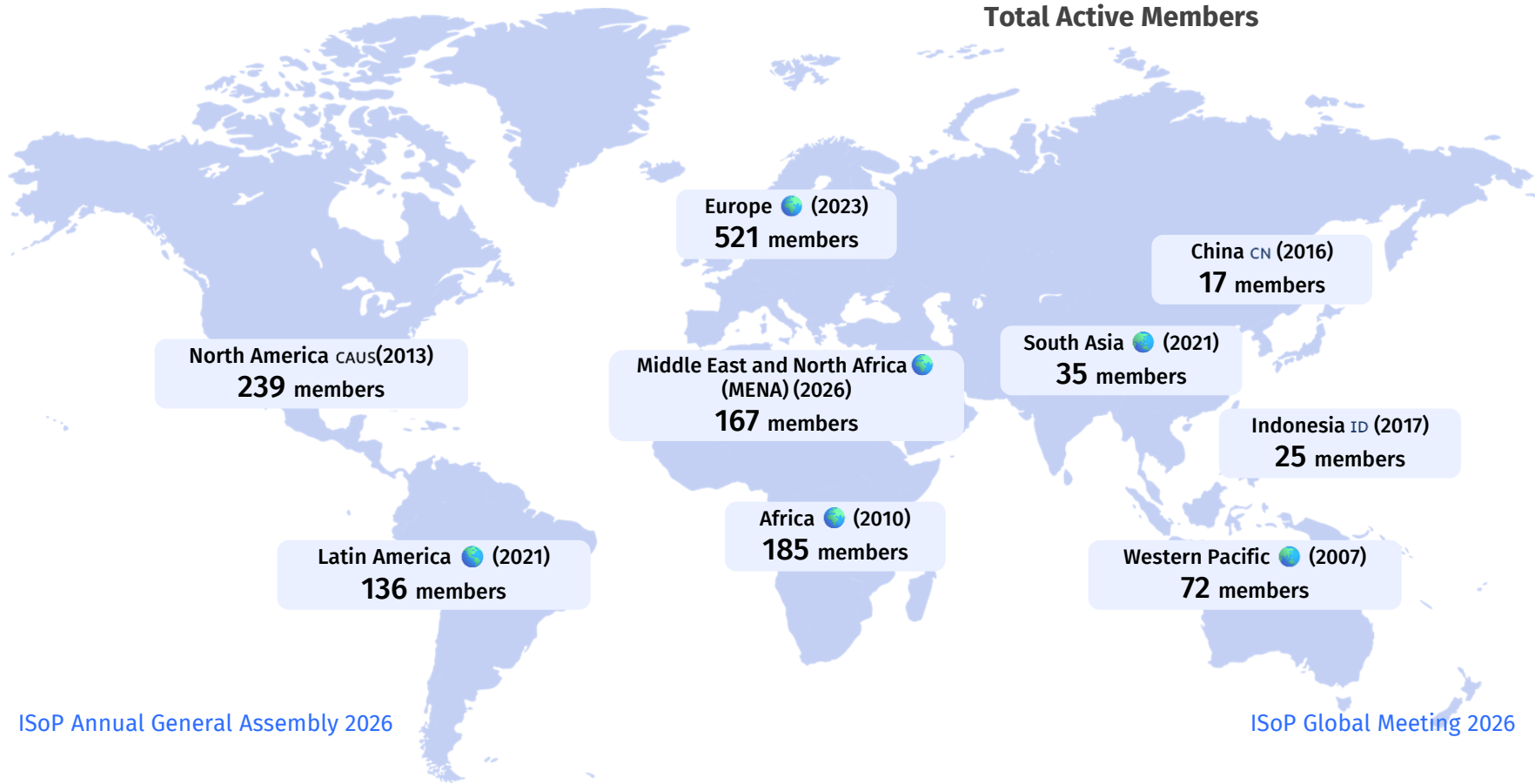


Western Pacific
Navinisha Lee

ISoP Chapters

1397

Total Active Members



ISO-P Chapter Highlights 2026

Europe Chapter

1st ISO-P European AI Seminar
2026

16–17 February | Basel, Switzerland

“AI-Powered

**Pharmacovigilance: Humans in
the Loop”**

125 participants

Industry, academia & regulators



Africa Chapter

ISO-P Africa Chapter Annual
Meeting 2026

18-20 May | Windhoek, Namibia

**“Opportunities and key challenges for
enhancing patient safety in Africa”**

+200 delegates

From Africa and beyond

Strengthened collaboration across
regulators, academia, healthcare and industry



Europe Chapter

ISO-P Mid-Year Symposium 2026

9-10 June | Hatfield, UK

**“Collaboration in
Pharmacovigilance in an evolving
information environment”**

104 participants

23 countries - Broad international
representation across regulators, academia,
industry and healthcare. High-quality scientific
programme promoting collaboration, knowledge
sharing and networking



ISoP Chapter Elections **New Leadership**

Middle East & North Africa Chapter (MENA)

First Executive Committee elections
completed in August 2026



Abeer Zeitoun
Chair

Lebanese National
Pharmacovigilance Program (LNPVP),
Ministry of Public Health, Lebanon



Ahmed Hegazy
Co-Chair

PVigilant Health,
United Arab Emirates



Manal Younus
Treasurer and Strategic
Development & Partnerships Lead

Iraqi Pharmacovigilance Centre,
Ministry of Health, Iraq



Rania Aly
Secretary General

Roche, Egypt

Latin America Chapter (LATAM)

New Executive Committee elections
completed in February 2026



Carmela Gelida Barboza

Universidad Peruana
Cayetano Heredia, Peru



Betty Duarte Barboza

Pfizer, Costa Rica



Cinthya Galicia Quintanar

Pfizer, Mexico



Nataly Nataska Wasicovichi

Brazilian Association of
Pharmacovigilance, Brazil

4.2.3. Communities and Mentorship Report



Felipe Villalobos
ISoP Secretary General

On behalf of Brian Edwards
ISoP Communities Coordinator

ISoP Industry Community

82 Members

Monthly meetings

J. Holley
J. Baig

Restructuring being planned;
require PM support

PV Science Sub-group

Collaboration with ISPE –
Epi core competencies
in a pharma setting

Career Options

Liaison with
Student Community

Education and Training

- Promoting AM2P for the industry
- Training versus capability

ICSR Replication & Duplication

Practical strategies
for burden reduction
in industry

ISoP Fellows Update and Engagement Survey

Highly engaged and experienced Fellows community.

16 Responses
from 42 fellows

38.1% Response rate
as of 1 July 2025

Key findings

Strong leadership engagement

11 of 15 respondents answering the open-ended question currently hold leadership roles within ISoP, including Chapter, Scientific Committee, Scientific Board and SIG leadership positions.

High levels of scientific involvement

Fellows actively contribute to Global Meetings, Chapter activities, SIGs, educational initiatives, research and curriculum development.

WHO expertise

Half of respondents indicated current involvement with WHO, including advisory committees, consultancy, curriculum development and regulatory capacity building.

Mentorship

Eight Fellows expressed interest in serving as mentors; a further six indicated they may be interested. Key expertise includes PV practice, leadership, professional development, drug safety and risk management.

Support for the initiative

Eight Fellows expressed interest in serving as mentors; a further six indicated they may be interested. Key expertise includes PV practice, leadership, professional development, drug safety and risk management.

ISoP Mentorship Programme Update



Guideline approved

Training guide available



Mentors

Three original mentors (Salvatore Crisafulli, Kenneth Hartigan-Go and Brian Edwards) + 1 new volunteer



NASoP

NASOP has started its own scheme; NASOP members are referred to this programme



Mentees

12 have been in contact (3 interviewed)



Next steps

Pilot planned to start in October with two mentor-mentee pairs

Mentorship: converting Fellowship expertise into practical support for the next generation of pharmacovigilance professionals.

4.2.3. Student Coordination Report



Salvatore Crisafulli
ISoP Student Coordinator

Student Group Leadership



Salvatore Crisafulli

ISO P Student
Coordinator, Italy

Advisory Committee (Students)



Ryan Walker

United Kingdom



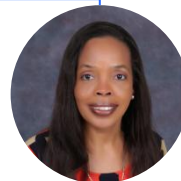
Manal Younus

Founder, Iraq



Jerina Zika

Albania



Maxine Gossell-Williams

Jamaica

Co-ordinating Committee (Students)



Zerin Ziaudeen

India



Hager Saleh

Sweden



Ibrahim Amidu

Nigeria



Arquimedes Gavino

Perú

81 Students

42 Countries

Student Group Updates

This year, our efforts focused on integrating students into broader ISoP initiatives rather than organizing separate activities.



Students' travel grant & award



International Society of Pharmacovigilance

Deadline:
31 July 2026



CALL FOR APPLICATIONS
Students travel grant

Applicants must email the following documents to administration@isoponline.org by the 31 July 2026



Students Group Meet & Greet ISoP Global Meeting



GLOBAL MEETING
San Jose, Costa Rica 2026

Poster Session and Networking
Student Meet & Greet

23 September 2026 | 5:10 - 6:00 pm
San Jose, Costa Rica





ISoP social media channels for interactions



WPSD: Student representative is now a member of the planning committee

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Student Community's position paper published in Drug Safety

Drug Safety (2026) 49:239–262
<https://doi.org/10.1007/s40204-026-01651-z>

FROM THE ISoP

Pharmacovigilance Through Fresh Eyes: The International Society of Pharmacovigilance Student Community's Role in Shaping the Future of Pharmacovigilance

Hager Saleh¹ • Ibrahim Mohammed Amidu² • Zerin Ziaudeen³ • Ryan James Walker⁴ • Manal Younus⁵

- Formation of the ISoP Student Community
- Key Activities and Initiatives
- Building Skills and Capacity in Pharmacovigilance
- Enhancing Global Networking and Inclusion
- Challenges and Opportunities
- Future Directions



Perspective article summarizing the state of the art on Artificial Intelligence in Pharmacovigilance (ISoP Seminar Basel 2026)



The mentorship program (in collaboration with Communities and Mentorship Coordinator)

To support the academic and professional growth of ISoP student members

4.3. Goal 3

Visibility and Communication



Salvatore Crisafulli
Communications Report
ISoP Communication
Coordinator



Omar Aimer
Global Outreach, and Strategic Partnerships
ISoP President

4.3.1. Communications Report



Salvatore Crisafulli
ISoP Student Coordinator

Key takeaways & actionable summary

What we achieved

(in 10 months) Oct 2025 - Aug 2026



25K

Followers

2025: **19K***



6K

New Followers

2025: **3K***



+20

Posted events

2025: **670K***



86K

Reach

2025: **86K***

The New Plan is working: The strategic new structure

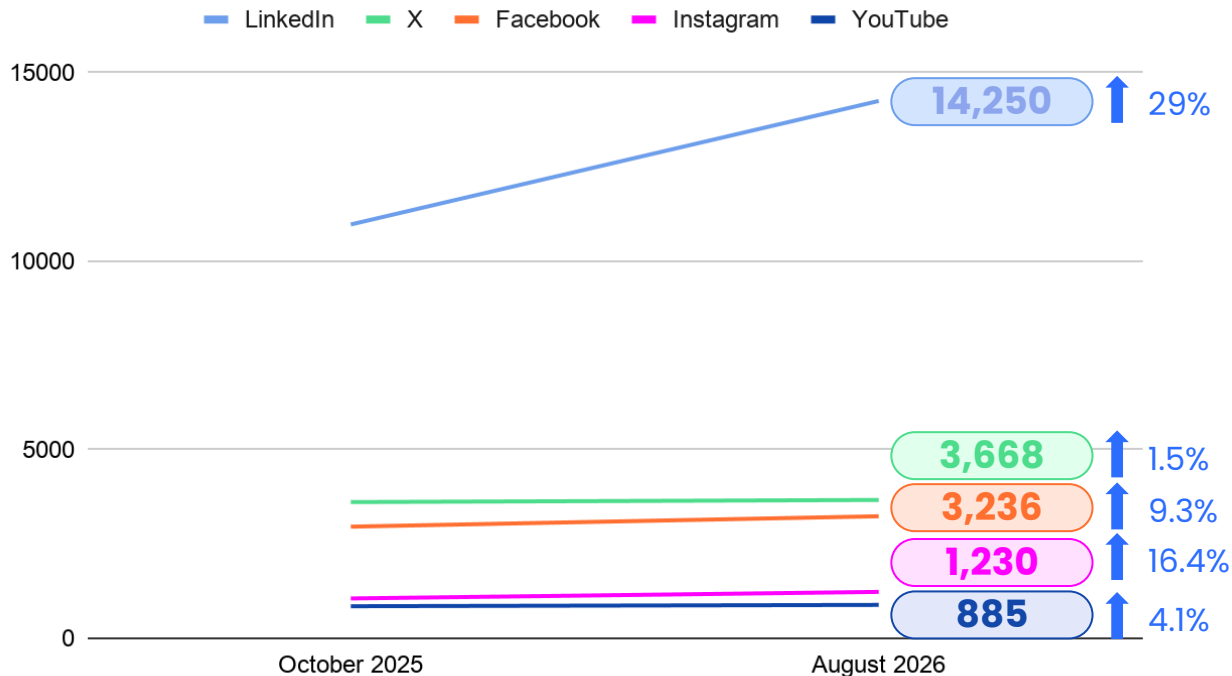
ISoP Online is focusing in all the members and scientific voice of ISoP

ISoP Events is dedicated to promote all of ISoP organized events.

*Values are compared against full-year 2025 results for reference.
In less than a year, we've matched or exceeded last year's growth.

Followers growth Last 10 months

ISoP Online

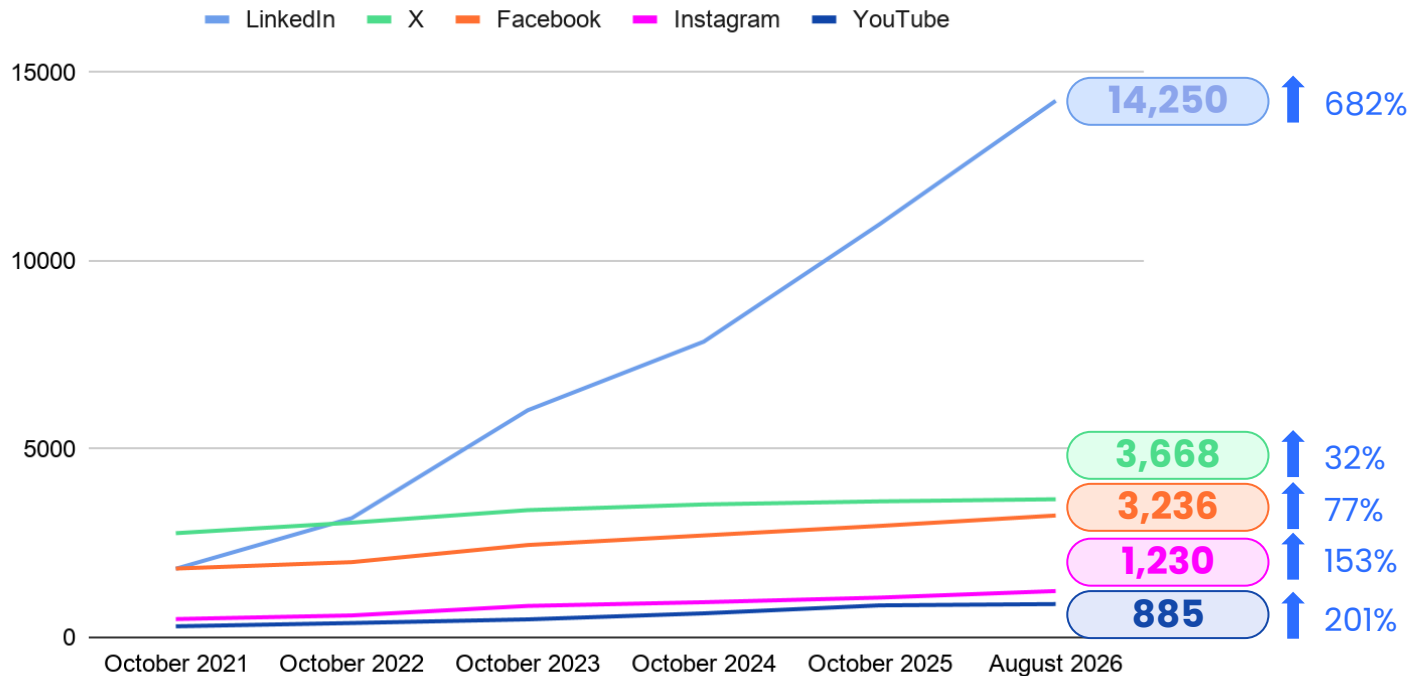


23,269
Total Followers

LinkedIn is our
strongest and
biggest channel

Followers growth **All time**

ISoP Online

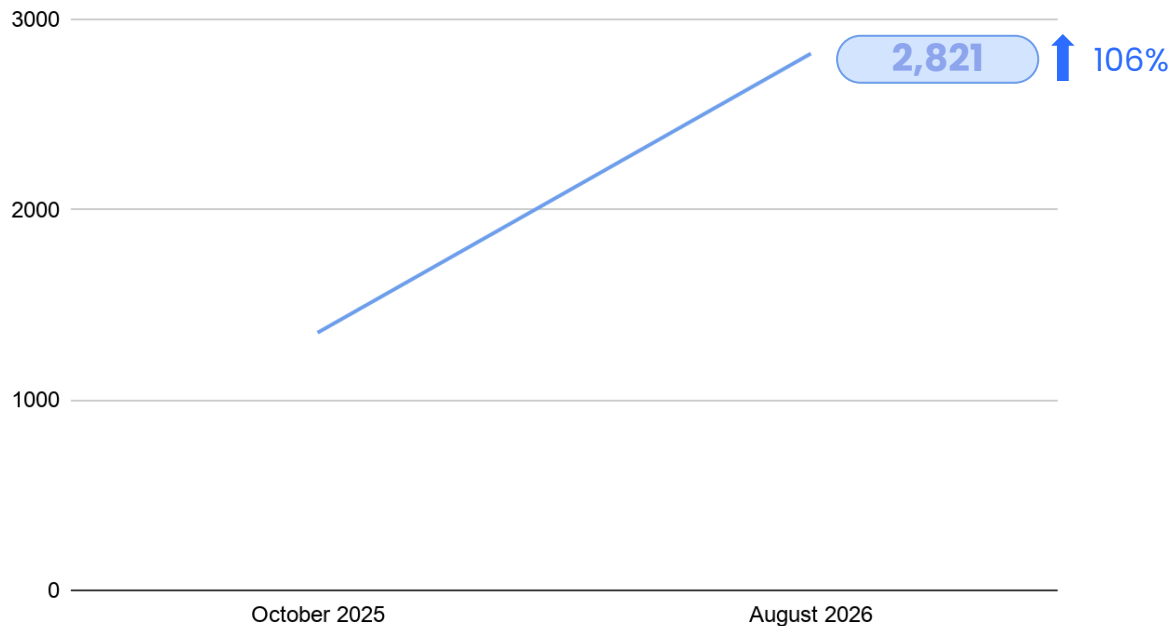


23,269
Total Followers

LinkedIn is our
strongest and
biggest channel

Followers growth **Last 10 months**

ISoP Events



2,821
Total Followers

4.3.2. Global Outreach, and Strategic Partnerships



Omar Aimer
ISoP President



Francesco Salvo
ISoP Vice President

In **2026** our network is becoming a strategic asset

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Partnerships and Collaborations 2026

WHO & CIP Network

Collaboration to strengthen pharmacovigilance capacity and international regulatory convergence.

FIP

Joint efforts to advance safe and effective use of medicines through education, research and professional development.

ICH

Ongoing collaboration to support global harmonisation and patient safety through pharmacovigilance.

VAC4EU

Working together to enhance vaccine safety monitoring and capacity building across Europe and beyond.

SEARN

Collaboration to strengthen pharmacovigilance across the South and East Africa region.

Rotation Placement - Pilot

ISoP Africa Project

Transparent

Practical

Capacity-building

Project leadership



Francesco Salvo



Mouna Abane



Purpose

Offer selected African pharmacovigilance professionals a hands-on 3–6 months placement outside Africa.



Core principle

The intern must practise essential PV activities, with strong supervision, not merely observe them.



Expected impact

Skills are brought back to the country or region of origin, with peer training after return.

Pilot pathway

- 1** Host sites **2** Candidates **3** Matching **4** Contracting **5** Placement
- Mature, accessible, well-supervised
- Eligibility + scoring
- Skills, language, visa, duration
- Formal agreement and readiness
- Supervised PV practice

Rotation Placement Pilot - Post-Closing Review

Applications closed 15 September 2026

33

Applicants received

21

Direct NRA employees

12

Non-NRA / other current employers

17

Countries represented

What happens next

1 Verify eligibility 2 Score candidates ... 3 Cross-analysis 4 Interview & validate

Confirm ISO P membership and required eligibility anchors.

Apply the candidate assessment and programme thresholds.

Test educational fit against host mission, language, visa, availability and supervision.

Candidate-ISO P and host-ISO P interviews, then final matching and notification.

Host capacity:

10 Hosts have agreed to participate as potential host sites, each offering a placement programme under experienced supervision. We'll search for more tailored on selected application

Selection panel

ISO P President
ISO P Vice-President
Chair of the ISO P African Chapter
Project Manager

Selection & matching framework

Candidate profile: medical doctor, pharmacist or scientist with at least a Master's degree, relevant PV / pharmacology / public-health experience, satisfactory French or English, ISO P membership and origin from an eligible African country.

ISoP Training Initiative in Africa

Background and purpose

WHA79.11 provides a policy mandate for strengthening smart, efficient and integrated pharmacovigilance. The ISoP Africa Training Initiative supports African NRAs in translating PV requirements into effective and sustainable practice, through practical, needs-based capacity building that complements existing WHO, UMC and partner initiatives.

Country and participant selection

Countries will be selected based on readiness to progress toward ML3, relevant PV gaps, institutional commitment, and regional and linguistic balance. Participants should have relevant PV responsibilities and the ability to apply and disseminate learning. Candidate NRAs will be invited to an initial online briefing to confirm interest and priority needs.

Beyond the first two trainings

Dakar and Addis Ababa will serve as the first implementation phase. Lessons learned and participant feedback will inform a scalable, African-led PV capacity-building model, supported by African expertise and potential regional partnerships, including Africa CDC.

Goal

To strengthen selected PV competencies in African countries progressing toward WHO GBT ML3 through a practical two-day programme aligned with WHA79.11, the WHO GBT Vigilance function and the WHO-ISoP Pharmacovigilance Curriculum.

Target, format and approach

Two regional, in-person training programmes: Francophone cohort in Dakar (Q4 2026) and Anglophone cohort in Addis Ababa (Q1/Q2 2027).

Participants:
Approximately 15–20 participants

Target: African countries working toward ML3

Duration: 2 days; four half-day modules

Expected impact

Strengthened national PV competencies

Practical tools for implementation

Stronger and more functional PV systems

Enhanced regional collaboration and knowledge sharing

Contribution to safer medicines and better health outcomes in Africa

4.4. **Goal 4**

Finance, Transparency, and Sustainability



Comfort Ogar
Financial Report
ISoP Treasurer

4.4. Financial Report



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ISoP Treasurer

Overview of **ISoP assets** projected at **Sept 30, 2026**

EUR	Sept 2026	Sept 2025	
Current Asset	439'901	259'782	Cash in bank and in hand as at Aug 31, 2026
Liabilities	(62'681)	(23'720)	Projected liabilities as at Sept 30, 2026
Net Assets	377'220	236'062	Projected at Sept 30, 2026

Income **increased** by about **29%** compared to **2025**

Income (EUR)	2026	2025	Comments
Membership fees	74'409	70'688	A slight deep in discounted membership subscription leading to net deep in total membership fees earned in the last year.
Discounted membership fees	48'655	54'880	
Total membership fees	123'064	125'568	
Training income	82'965	33'884	145% Increase in income from successful ISoP trainings and meetings (Global and Regional)
External funding	108'910		First time of attracting donor funding to execute projects
Other income	106	297	
Total inflow	315'045	159'749	Inflow increased by EUR.155'296 (97%). Income accruable to ISoP increased by EUR. 46,386 (29%)
Total income to ISoP	206'135	159'749	

Spending decreased by about 0.5% compared to 2025

Expenses (EUR)	2026	2025	Comments
Payroll	76'425	67'234	Increase in working hours and salary raise
Subscription Drug Safety	26'270	35'895	Reduced utilization of Drug Safety subscription by members.
ISoP Secretariat	7'117	5'554	Increase in running cost for ISoP secretariat
Legal and Professional	17'579	15'728	
General and Administrative	15'482	17'594	
Depreciation	5'767	6'567	Depreciation on fixed assets
VAT on expenses	5'214	5'149	
Loss/(gains) exchange rates	4'473	5'942	
Bank charge	560	37	
Total Expenses	158'887	159'700	Overall expenses decreased by 813 (0.5%)
(Loss) / Profits before tax	156'158	49	
Taxes	(15'000)	(662)	
Net Profit (including funding)	141'158	(613)	Net profit of 32,248 (excluding funding)

Membership fees 2027

Simplifying the membership structure by aligning all fees

Standard Membership

€249.00 /year

- ✓ Individual members from High-Income Countries HICs affiliated to a commercial organisation

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Reduced Membership

€99.00 /year

- ✓ Individual members from High-Income Countries HICs affiliated to a not-for-profit organisation
- ✓ Individual members from Low-Middle Income Countries (LMICs) affiliated to a commercial organisation
- ✓ Students from HICs

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€49.00 /year

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- ✓ Students from LMICs

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Sustained trajectory of Growth and Investment



Break-Even achieved: In 2026 the financial break even goal of the organization was achieved. We also made profit that would allow us continue investing on initiatives to support more efficient operations (e.g. CRM) and improve our services to members.



Focus on Growth: This year we saw growth in our fully paid membership subscriptions and our first ever donation. Through our numerous initiatives, we plan to continue on our growth trajectory, retain current members and attract more members with our subsidized membership offerings.



Prudent financial management: We are committed to prudent financial management and investing in initiatives and partnerships that allow us to continue as best-in-class on pharmacovigilance and patient safety while maintaining a member-centered, financially viable organization.

Overall, we are seeing return on our investments. We will continue to invest for growth and ensure efficient operations, financial prudence and accountability to **sustain our current growth trajectory.**

5. ISoP Fellowship and Honorary Awards



Omar Aimer
ISoP President



Francesco Salvo
ISoP Vice President



Felipe Villalobos
ISoP Secretary General

ISoP Fellowship Awards 2026



**Mohamed
A. Elhawary**



**Maxine
Gossell-Williams**



**Tarek A.
Hammad**



**Marina
Malikova**



**Lubna
Merchant**



**Mónica
Tarapués**



**Liliana
Vargas-Neri**

ISoP Honorary Member Award 2026



Shanthi Pal

An internationally recognised leader in pharmacovigilance and medicines safety, Dr Shanthi Narayan Pal has made outstanding contributions to strengthening global pharmacovigilance systems and protecting patients worldwide.

Key contributions

Global medicines safety: Advancing pharmacovigilance systems, ADR reporting and post-marketing safety surveillance through her work with WHO Headquarters, Geneva.

Scientific innovation: Contributing to research in Smart Safety Surveillance (3S), cohort event monitoring and digital/mobile technologies for medicines safety.

Capacity building & collaboration: Strengthening pharmacovigilance capacity and fostering international cooperation across countries and regions.

Lasting impact: A longstanding commitment to safer medicines, stronger health systems and better patient safety worldwide.

ISoP Recognition

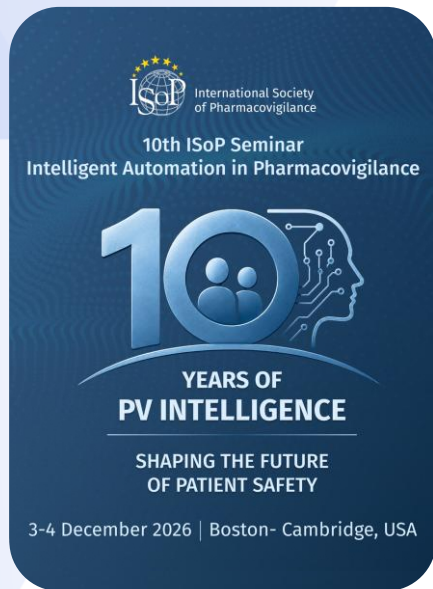
Honorary Membership in recognition of an exceptional contribution to the international pharmacovigilance community.

6. Looking Ahead (ISoP Events)



Omar Aimer
ISoP President

Upcoming ISoP Events



ISoP International Society of Pharmacovigilance

10th ISoP Seminar
Intelligent Automation in Pharmacovigilance

10 YEARS OF
PV INTELLIGENCE

SHAPING THE FUTURE
OF PATIENT SAFETY

3-4 December 2026 | Boston- Cambridge, USA



ISoP Mid-Year Symposium 2027

In collaboration with
the Department of Health
Abu Dhabi

2-3 June 2027
Abu Dhabi, UAE

#ISoPAbuDhabi2027



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26th **Global Meeting**

BORDEAUX, FRANCE 2027

**From Heritage to Horizon:
Cultivating safety to
harvest trust**

14-17
September 2027

#ISoP2027Bordeaux



27th ISoP Global Meeting 2028

18-21 September 2028
Johannesburg,
South Africa

#ISoP2028SouthAfrica

Upcoming 10th ISO P IA Seminar 2026

Register now





7. Questions & Answers

If there isn't time to answer your questions during the meeting,
please email them to **Sophie Spence** at
administration@isoponline.org



8. Remarks from ISoP President



Omar Aimer
ISoP President

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25th GLOBAL MEETING
San José, Costa Rica 2026

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