

Nomination for Ordinary Executive Committee Member

Annual General Meeting, Tuesday 12 May 2026

ECE 2026, Prague, Czech Republic

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Please refer to '[Information on the role of an ESE Executive Committee member](#)' for detailed information on the role and time commitment. Important information is also detailed in the [Trustees' responsibilities: Key points for Executive Committee candidates](#).

Closing date: Tuesday 6 January 2026

1	Name of Nominee:	Niina Matikainen
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4	Current position and geographical location:	Chief Physician, Endocrinology, Helsinki University Hospital, Finland
5	Speciality in endocrinology/Main field of expertise:	Adrenal, pituitary, dyslipidemia
6	Basic, clinical or both:	Clinical
7	Give details of current or previous committee experience in a national society of endocrinology or a European speciality society:	ESE Nominations committee 2024- Finnish Endocrine Society: Board Member 2018 -; Vice-chair 2020-2022 and Chair 2022-2024 Finnish Diabetes Research Society: Board Member 2013-2019, Vice chair 2017- 2019 National guideline committees: Menopause, Dyslipidemia, Thyroid cancer
8	Give details of experience as an editor or member of an editorial board:	Expert Reviewer Board member: Endocrine Connections 2021-, European Journal on Internal Medicine 2024-, JCEM Case Reports 2026 Medical editor in Finnish Medical Journal Duodecim 2017-
9	List (max) 10 papers that were published in international journals within the last 6 years. Note: journals to have an impact factor of 2.0 or above.	1. Elisabeth Nowak, Qilin Zhang, Shuo Zhang, Yao Zhao, Hongying Ye, Márcio Machado, Caio Santiago Moises, Miklós Tóth, Júlia Stark, Kevin Yuen, Mark Gurnell, James MacFarlane, Ann McCormack, Mauli Govinna, Aleksandra Gilis-Januszewska, Mari Minasyan, Ilaria Bonaventura, Mauro Czepielewski, Amandine Ferriere, Monica Gadelha, Andrea Isidori, Darko Kastelan, Dominique Maiter, Antoine Tabarin, Krystallenia Alexandraki, Julia Chang, Eric Frontera, Felicia Hanzu, Niina Matikainen , Dragana Miljic, Robert Pichler, Vera Popovic, Joanna Spencer-Segal, Karen Tordjman, Amit Akirov, Marta Araujo-Castro, Emanuela Arvat, Irina Bancos, Fabio Bioletto, Pia Burman, Frederic Castinetti, Mario Detomas, Martin Fassnacht, Richard Feelders, Athanasios Fountas, Peter Igaz, Sasa Ilic, Kristina Isand, Gregory Kaltsas, Gesine Meyer, Mirko Parasiliti Caprino, John Newell-Price, Oskar Ragnarsson, Elena Valassi, Greisa Vila, John Wass, Uri Yoel, Maria Fleseriu, Martin Reincke. Cyclic Cushing's Syndrome Is Characterized by Delayed Therapy, Unnecessary Surgeries, and Spontaneous Adrenal Insufficiency: Insights From An International Observational Study. The Lancet Diabetes & Endocrinology 2025;13(12):1030-1040 2. Antero Ylänen, Juhani Isojärvi, Antti Virtanen, Helena Leijon, Tiina Vesterinen, Aapo L. Aro, Heini Huhtala, Eeva Kokko, Ilkka Pörsti, Marianna Viukari, Pasi I. Nevalainen, Niina Matikainen . Analysis of adrenal histopathology reveals CYP11B2 positivity as a risk factor for sudden death: A cross-sectional study. The Lancet Regional Health Europe 2025;51: 101226.

		<p>3. Eeva Kokko, Marianna Viukari, Jenni K. Koskela, Manoj Kumar Choudhary, Niina Matikainen, Jukka Mustonen, Pasi I. Nevalainen, Ilkka Pörsti. Targeted treatment reverses increased left cardiac work in unilateral versus bilateral primary aldosteronism. <i>Am J Hypertension</i> 2024;37:884–892. https://doi.org/10.1093/ajh/hpae087</p> <p>4. Taskinen MR*, Matikainen N*, Björnson E, Söderlund S, Inkeri J, Hakkarainen A, Parviainen H, Sihlbom C, Thorsell A, Andersson L, Adiels M, Packard CJ, Borén J. Contribution of intestinal triglyceride-rich lipoproteins to residual atherosclerotic cardiovascular disease risk in type 2 diabetic patients on statin therapy. <i>Diabetologia</i> 2023; 66:2307–2319 * Shared first author</p> <p>5. Ylänen A, Pörsti I, Nevalainen R, Hinkka T, Huhtala H, Matikainen N, Hämäläinen E, Niemelä O, Nevalainen PI. Renal cysts may interfere with the diagnostics of primary aldosteronism by increasing plasma renin concentration. <i>European Journal of Endocrinology</i> 2023;188:621-629</p> <p>6. Iiro Kostiaainen, Susanna Majala, Jukka Schildt, Helka Parviainen, Saila Kauhanen, Hanna Seppänen, Päivi Miettinen, Niina Matikainen, Eeva M. Ryhänen, and Camilla Schalin-Jäntti. Pancreatic imaging in MEN1—Comparison of conventional and SSTR PET/CT imaging in real-life setting. <i>European Journal of Endocrinology</i> 2023;188:421-429</p> <p>7. Taskinen MR*, Matikainen N*, Björnson E, Söderlund S, Ainola M, Hakkarainen A, Lundbom N, Sihlbom C, Thorsell A, Andersson L, Adiels M, Hartmann B, Deacon CF, Holst JJ, Packard CJ, Borén J. Role of endogenous incretins in the regulation of postprandial lipoprotein metabolism. <i>European Journal of Endocrinology</i> 2022;187:75-84. * Shared first authors</p> <p>8. Manoj Choudhary, Emmi Värri, Niina Matikainen, Jenni Koskela, Antti Tikkakoski, Mika Kähönen, Onni Niemelä, Jukka Mustonen, Pasi Nevalainen, and Ilkka Pörsti. Higher volume load, cardiac output and arterial stiffness are characteristic features of primary aldosteronism when compared with essential hypertension. <i>Journal of Internal Medicine</i>, 2021;289; 29–41, doi: 10.1111/joim.13115</p> <p>9. Minna Soinio, Anna-Kaarina Luukkonen, Marko Seppänen, Jukka Kemppainen, Janne Seppänen, Juha-Pekka Pienimäki, Helena Leijon, Tiina Vesterinen, Johanna Arola, Eila Lantto, Semi Helin, Ilkka Tikkanen, Saara Metso, Tuomas Mirtti, Ilkka Heiskanen, Leena Norvio, Mirja Tiikkainen, Tuula Tikkanen, Timo Sane, Matti Välimäki, Celso E. Gomez-Sanchez, Ilkka Pörsti, Pirjo Nuutila, Pasi I. Nevalainen, Niina Matikainen. Discordance between Functional Imaging with ¹¹C-Metomidate PET and AVS for Subtype Diagnosis in Primary Aldosteronism. <i>European Journal of Endocrinology</i>, 2020;183(6), 539-550.</p> <p>10. Rubina Tabassum, Joel T. Rämö, Pietari Ripatti, Jukka T. Koskela, Mitja Kurki, Juha Karjalainen, Priit Palta, Shabbeer Hassan, Javier Nunez-Fontarnau, Tuomo T.J. Kiiskinen, Sanni Söderlund, Niina Matikainen, Mathias J. Gerl, Michal A. Surma, Christian Klose, Nathan O. Stitzel, Hannele Laivuori, Aki S. Havulinna, Susan K. Service, Veikko Salomaa, Matti Pirinen, Matti Jauhiainen, Mark J. Daly, Nelson B. Freimer, Aarno Palotie, Marja-Riitta Taskinen, Kai Simons, Samuli Ripatti. Genetic architecture of human plasma lipidome and its link to cardiovascular disease. <i>Nature Communications</i>, 2019;4329: https://www.nature.com/articles/s41467-019-11954-8</p>
10	Give details of any experience with EU funding:	NA