

The Institute Employees' Participation in the Activities of Social and Professional Associations in 2022

Name	Organization	
	Estonian	International
Kristel Aer <i>Assistant to the Head of the Church Music Department</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • NGO EELC Church Music Union • Estonian Organfriends Society • Association of Estonian Professional Musicians • NGO Hugo Lepanurm's Musical Society • EELC Education Commission • EELC Hymn Book Commission • Expert Group of Musical Instruments Heritage Protection Committee 	
Vallo Ehasalu <i>Lecturer of Bible Sciences</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Vice-Dean of the Deanery of Valga of the EELC • Estonian Academic Society of Theology • Martin Luther Society • Work Group of the Dictionary of Christian Vocabulary under the Estonian Council of Churches • Office of Clergyman Committee • Elva (communal) Academic Teachers Society • Elva Society for Heritage • Elva Society for Preserving the Nature 	
Naatan Haamer <i>Lecturer of Practical Theology</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Associate Pastor of the Tartu St. John Congregation of the EELC • Estonian Family Therapy Association • Chairman of the Ethics Committee of the Tartu University Hospital 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • European Network of Health Care Chaplaincy
Siimon Haamer <i>Head of TAT IT</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Vicar of the Deanery of Tartu of the EELC • Chairman of the board of the Pastoral Care and Counselling Foundation of the Institute of Theology of the EELC • Coordinator of the Pastoral Care telephone helpline • EELC Church Parliament • Head of NGO Tartu Academy of Theology • Estonian Scout Association (former Chief Scout) • Head of the Christian Outreach Centre <i>Parsonage</i> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Committee member of the European Network of Health Care Chaplaincy
Kerstin Kask <i>Head of Dean's Office; Head of the Department of Lifelong Learning</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pastor of the Kose Congregation of the EELC • Professional Association of Chaplains • Member of occupational qualification committee for PCC and chaplains qualification • Association of Estonian Religious Education Teachers • Education roundtable of the Estonian Council of Churches • EELC's Theological Strategy Working Committee 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Protestant and Anglican Network for life-long learning in Europe
Liina Kilemit <i>Academic Dean</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Member of the Estonian Academic Society of Theology • Member of the Estonian Association of Sociologists 	

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Jaan Lahe <i>Prof. of Religious Studies</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Associate Pastor of the Mustamäe Congregation of the EELC • Estonian Academic Society of Theology • Estonian Oriental Society • Society for the Study of Religion • Member of board of the Society for the Study of Religion • Member of editorial board of the Publications of the Institute of Theology of the EELC • Member of editorial board of <i>Studia Tartuensia Orientalia. Series Nova.</i> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • International Association for Iranian Studies
Jana Lahe <i>Head of the Library</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Estonian Librarians Associations section for Special Libraries. 	
Kersti Petermann <i>Head of the Church Music Department</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • NGO EELC Church Music Union • Estonian Organ Society • EELC's committees: God's Service and Church Music; Professional Committee of Church Music 	
Thomas-Andreas Pöder <i>Prof. of Systematic Theology</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Vicar of the Deanery of Tartu of the EELC • Member of the editorial board of a semi-academic web journal <i>Kirik & Teoloogia</i> (Church & Theology; www.kit.ee/en) • Estonian Semiotics Association • Estonian Academic Society of Theology 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Secretary for Theology and Ecumenical Dialogue (Study Secretary) of the Communion of Protestant Churches in Europe (head office in Vienna/Austria) • Co-chair of the advisory council of the Center for Protestant Theology in Eastern Europe (Sibiu/Romenia) • International Association for Semiotic Studies • Nordic Society for Philosophy of Religion
Priit Rohtmets <i>Prof. of Church History</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Estonian Academic Society of Theology • Board member of the Estonian Society of Church History • Estonian Academic Oriental Society 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • International Network for Baltic Church Historians • Eurel Network, which monitors the sociology of religion, legal and historical aspects of European religious life • ReLEP, which focuses on gathering and analyzing data about Religion in the European Parliament • COST network (Cooperation in Science and Technology)

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Liina Sander <i>Assistant of the Head of the Pastoral Seminary</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Council member of the Nõmme Peace Congregation of the EELC • NGO Friends of Silence (Vaikuse Sõbrad) • EELC Office of Clergyman Committee 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Member of Executive Committee of the Spiritual Directors in Europe
Ove Sander <i>Rector</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pastor of the Nõmme Peace Church of the EELC • EELC Church Government • EELC Church Council • EELC Education Committee • Chairman of the EELC Diaconia Committee • Office of Clergyman Committee of the EELC • Joint commission of EELC and Estonian government • Member of the board of the Pastoral Care and Counselling Foundation of the Institute of Theology of the EELC • Kuurme's Memorial Foundation's administrative board • Chairman of the Evald Saag's Foundation • The Board of the Paul and Sieghilde von Hoerschelmann Foundation • The EELC representative for the Estonian Council of Churches 	
Randar Tasmuth <i>Prof. of Bible Sciences</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pastor <i>emeritus</i> of the EELC • Vice president of the Estonian Academic Society of Theology • Estonian Bible Society – permanent consultant of the Bible translation board, and member of the council of the Estonian Bible Society • EELC Education Committee 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • British New Testament Society (UK) • Finnish Exegetical Society (Finland) • International East - West Symposium of New Testament Scholars
Marko Tiitus <i>Lecturer of Practical Theology, Head of the Pastoral Seminary</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dean of the Deanery of Viljandi of the EELC • Estonian Academic Society of Theology • Estonian Bible Society • Societas Liturgica • EELC's committees: Education Committee, Hymnal Committee, Office of Clergyman Committee, Liturgy Committee • Education Roundtable and Theological Committee of the Estonian Council of Churches 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Theological Education Formation Workgroup of the Lutheran World Federation as representative of EELC
Tauri Tõlpt <i>Coordinator of the Chair of Orthodoxy</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Estonian Academic Society of Theology 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Artistic Advisory Board of the Centre of Arvo Pärt
Margit Ubaleht <i>Learning Management Specialist</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Naiskodukaitse (Women's voluntary defence organization) 	