

The future of ESAF

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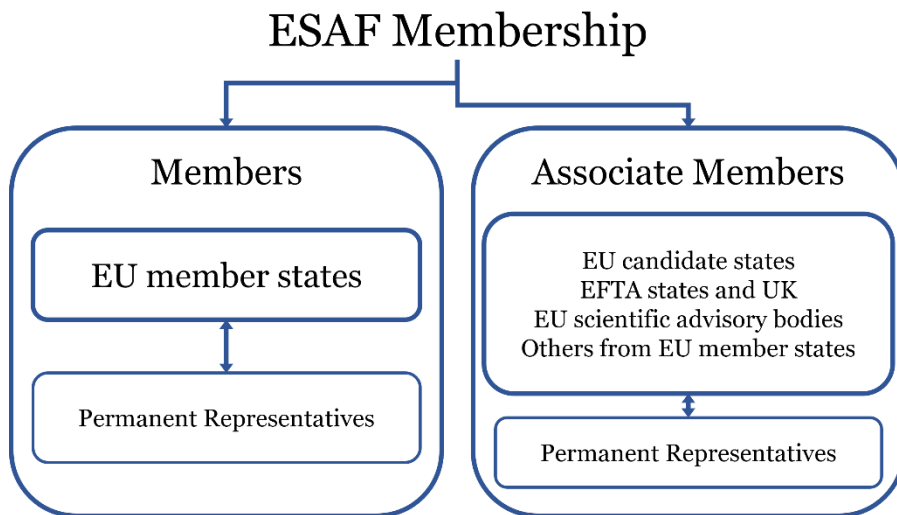
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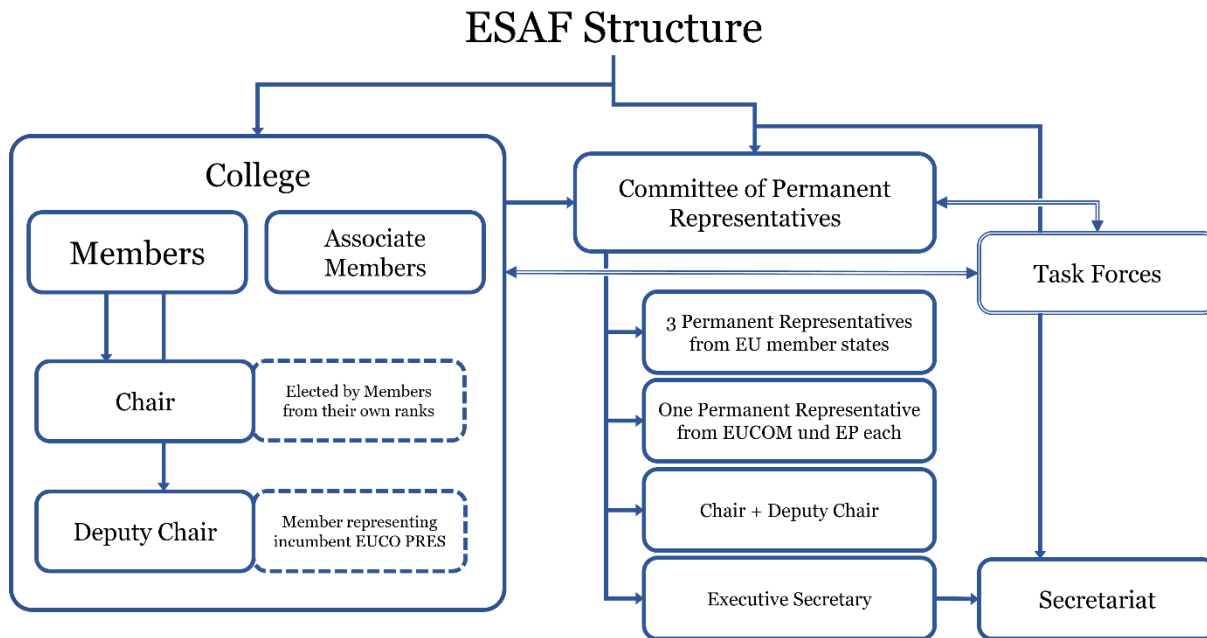
Undertake a reflection on ESAF's future; put forward proposals for reform

→ to be used as a basis for consultation among ESAF members at the annual meeting in Timisoara

ESAF Membership



ESAF Structure



Agenda for discussion

- The operationalisation of new proposed structure: assumes that there is commitment from the members to contribute more actively
 - Do the members support this assumption?
 - Are there practical issues we need to solve to make this possible?
 - How to consult with members not present?
- Ambition: what type of activities or outputs do we want to realize?
- The relation with EU bodies
 - Do the members support the ambition to broaden the connection between ESAF and the EU?
 - Who should discuss this relation on behalf of ESAF with the EU bodies?

Discussion on the draft statute

- Step 1: Discussion about the draft statute with the members, collect suggestions for amendments. Decide on mandate for further internal and external consultation.
- Step 2: Consultation with ESAF members not present
- Step 3: Consultation with the EU bodies on their role within ESAF
- Step 4: Finalizing new statute