

Positive Money Europe is looking for its next treasurer

About us

Positive Money is a leading international progressive research and campaigns organisation seeking to reform the economic system so that it serves people and the planet. In the EU office, our expertise lies within monetary policy from which we are building various policy interventions for a fairer, more democratic and sustainable economic system in the EU. We produce ground-breaking research and policy proposals, advocate for them with EU policymakers, and we engage in the public debate through regular media appearances and social media channels.

Positive Money Europe was founded in 2018 and has grown to a team of about 10 people. We are registered as a Belgian non-profit organisation (asbl) based in Brussels. We collaborate with the Positive Money UK office, with whom we develop our international culture, values and overall mission. Our organisation is on a strong development path to fight against all structures of oppression. We are working towards systematically enhancing diversity, equity and inclusion in our practices and projects. We actively cultivate support, respect, open communication and collaboration with each other, and encourage creativity and innovation.

About our Board

Positive Money Europe's Board of Directors is a non-executive body responsible for the organisation's vision, mission, strategic direction, finances and governance. The Board has the fiduciary duty to ensure that the organisation complies with all legal and statutory requirements and that the organisation's finances are properly managed and scrutinised. The Board has the authority to appoint and/or dismiss the Executive Director, and to hold the Executive Director accountable towards the organisation's documented strategy and targets.

Our current Board is composed of seven skilful individuals coming from a variety of backgrounds and bringing legal, political, management, governance and content expertise to the organisation. Jill Warren, ex-CEO of the European Cyclists Federation, was appointed Chair in December 2024. You can discover the profiles of all of our Board members here.



About you

Are you aligned with <u>our values</u>, passionate about our mission and enthusiastic in contributing to meaningful economic reforms in the EU? Are you experienced with Belgian accounting, financial management of non-profit organisations, legal requirements applying to Belgian ASBL or auditing processes? Then you may be the person we need!

About the treasurer's role

We are looking to onboard a new treasurer in the course of 2026 as our current treasurer will reach the end of his term at the end of 2026.

As a board member you will be:

- Providing guidance and leadership by actively participating in the development and execution of our strategies.
- Ensuring that PM EU is adhering to its legal and ethical responsibilities, maintaining the highest level of integrity, and safeguarding our reputation and reminding the board of its collective legal responsibility for finances.
- Assisting in our financial management, including approving budgets, financial reports, and fundraising strategies.
- Evaluating the performance of the Executive Director.
- Attending board meetings, committee meetings, and relevant events, and actively participating in decision-making processes.
- Serving as an ambassador for the organisation.

As a treasurer, you will be playing a bigger role in the following processes, in support of the Head of Finance, Operations and HR:

- Monitoring the association's overall financial health
- Supporting the annual accounts, annual budget and financial planning processes
- Advising on financial and budgeting matters
- Advising on the development and implementation of financial reserves
- Advising on the financial implications of the strategic plan
- Overseeing the implementation of financial controls and their adherence
- Supporting the preparation and smooth running of auditing processes
- Being available to answer financial questions from fellow directors.
- Helping the board understand the financial implications of decisions.
- Ensuring that Belgian regulations concerning ASBL finances are respected

Please note that despite this advisory and supportive role we expect from the treasurer, the full board remains accountable for adopting budgets and ensuring a healthy and sound financial management of the organisation.

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Terms and conditions

Directors are appointed for two year terms, which can be renewed up to 3 times. We have 4 Board meetings in a calendar year, taking place online or in-person in Brussels. Between Board meetings, members may be asked to review policies or documents for the organisation, and may be asked to serve on a working group based on their specific skills and knowledge. We expect a commitment of 3 hours per month on average.

Our board members are volunteers and are unremunerated, but reimbursement is made for all reasonable expenses in the discharge of duties related to the work of the Board.

How to apply

To apply, please fill in <u>this application form</u> detailing your motivation to join Positive Money Europe's Board as treasurer, and attach your CV. The deadline for application is Sunday 1st of February 2026, midnight CET.

If you have any queries about the role and would like to have an informal discussion, please contact our Executive Director, Aurélie Maréchal at <u>aurelie.marechal@positivemonev.eu</u>.

Positive Money Europe is committed to providing equal employment opportunities to all qualified applicants and does not discriminate on the basis of race, colour, ethnicity, religion, sex, gender, gender identity and/or expression, sexual orientation, size, national origin, disability, age, marital status, pregnancy, parental status, or genetic information. We are committed to hiring and retaining a diverse, culturally competent staff at all levels of the organisation. We strongly encourage people from members of groups and communities that are under-represented within the boards of Belgian non-profit associations, including people from racialised communities, LGBTQIA+ individuals, persons living with disabilities, women, non-binary individuals, and people of various socioeconomic backgrounds to apply for this position.

We are committed to making our hiring process as accessible as possible. To request an accommodation, please let us know in your application.