

IfJ Treasurer's Report & Summary Accounts to 31st July 2015

Income

Member subscriptions	£4340.00
2015 Conference attendance fees	£310.00
Sponsorship	£6502.50
Bank interest	£1.54

	£11,154.04

Grateful thanks to our patron Lady Henrietta St George for her exceptionally generous sponsorship of £6000, which enabled us to offer our first conference free of charge to members, as well as funding some useful resources. Lady Henrietta has very kindly agreed to sponsor our conference 12th March 2016 so that once again members can attend free of charge, for which we are deeply grateful.

Expenditure

The major item of expenditure was the March conference. We were fortunate to have the use of City Law School, and the main costs were catering, printing and travel/accommodation expenses for the presenters, to whom we are very grateful for their great generosity in giving their time free of charge.

Events	
March Conference	£4322.33
Other	£340.94
Admin	
Website	£1199.84
Other	£906.14

	£6769.25

We also owe a considerable debt of gratitude to our web designer, Dan Goddard of Thread Creative, who launched us on our way with a superb website at very modest cost. Its user-friendly design has enabled us to extend it to its current size of over 100 pages, and to incorporate such features as the contact system for defence solicitors seeking the services of an intermediary.

Other items of expenditure include our Launch event last December, resources such as customised IfJ lanyards, credit-card wallets and pens; plus public liability insurance, postage and stationery.

Income	£11,154.04
Expenditure	£6769.25

Net Income	£4384.79

Balance Sheet

Assets	3 rd Dec 2014	31 st Jul 2015
Current account	£0.00	£3290.14
Savings account	£0.00	£1094.65

Total Equity		£4384.79

As of this AGM, I'm standing down from the IfJ committee and my role as Hon Treasurer, and I'm pleased to be able to report that IfJ is in a secure position going forward into the financial year to 31st July 2016. With the promise of further sponsorship our March 2016 conference is secure. However, IfJ may not always be able to rely on such generous support so I would recommend exploring a range of funding options.

I'm proud to have played a significant part in helping to establish this fine Association, and I'd like to conclude by offering my very best wishes for its future, and to my successor.

David Wright