



# Annual Report 2025



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*Ambassador  
Ilkka-Pekka Similä*

24th of February 2026 marked a stark anniversary: Russia's unjustified and illegal full-scale war of aggression against Ukraine has continued for four years. European geopolitical landscape has changed dramatically since. Russia's invasion of Ukraine and conflict in the Middle East make global economic outlook very uncertain. Europe's efforts to make defence, resilience, preparedness and strategic autonomy stronger continue. In order to reach this goal increased economic and commercial contacts and cooperation with our closest partners and allies are needed.

Finland and the Netherlands have traditionally been like-minded partners. We share same values and principles. Today our bilateral relations are closer than ever. The State Visit of the President of the Republic Alexander Stubb to the Netherlands last December further strengthened our ties. The overarching theme of the visit was comprehensive security. The President was accompanied by group of Finnish companies representing security and defence, sustainable growth, energy security and infrastructure. The State Visit clearly confirmed the vast business and trade potential between our countries.

My assignment in the Netherlands will come to an end this summer and it is time to thank all the FDCC members for excellent, well-established and inspiring joint actions over the last four years. I look forward to continuing the good cooperation for the remainder of my tenure and I am confident that my successor will be happy to continue the work.



***FDCC Chair  
Ann-Nina Finne***

One year into my role as Chair of the FDCC, it is encouraging to see clear progress. Our membership has grown, strengthening both the relevance and reach of our network. This reflects a shared ambition: to ensure the Chamber delivers tangible value to Finnish-Dutch business cooperation in a rapidly changing environment.

Looking ahead to 2026, our work will be guided by three priorities.

First, we will deepen member engagement and continue to grow our network. Expanding the FDCC remains important, but our focus is equally on delivering value to existing members. The Chamber should serve as a practical bridge between Finnish and Dutch businesses - connecting people, ideas, and opportunities.

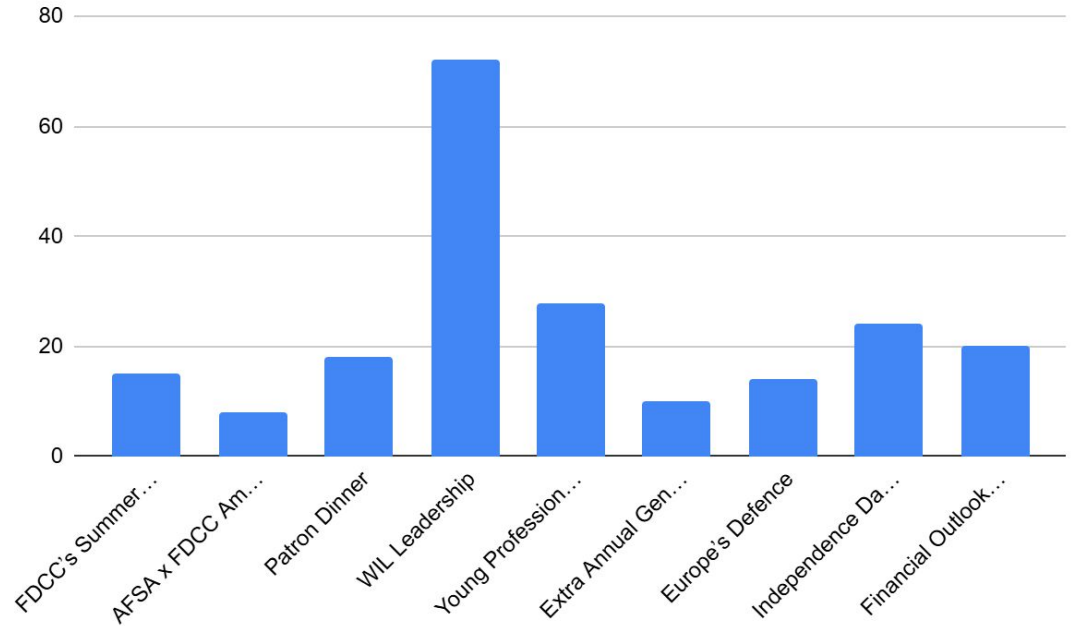
Second, we will focus on high-impact events. Our approach is clear: fewer, larger, and higher-quality events, supported by a structured annual calendar and anchored in our flagship moments.

Third, we will continue strengthening the Board. Clear roles, active engagement, and regular strategic dialogue are essential to delivering consistent value.

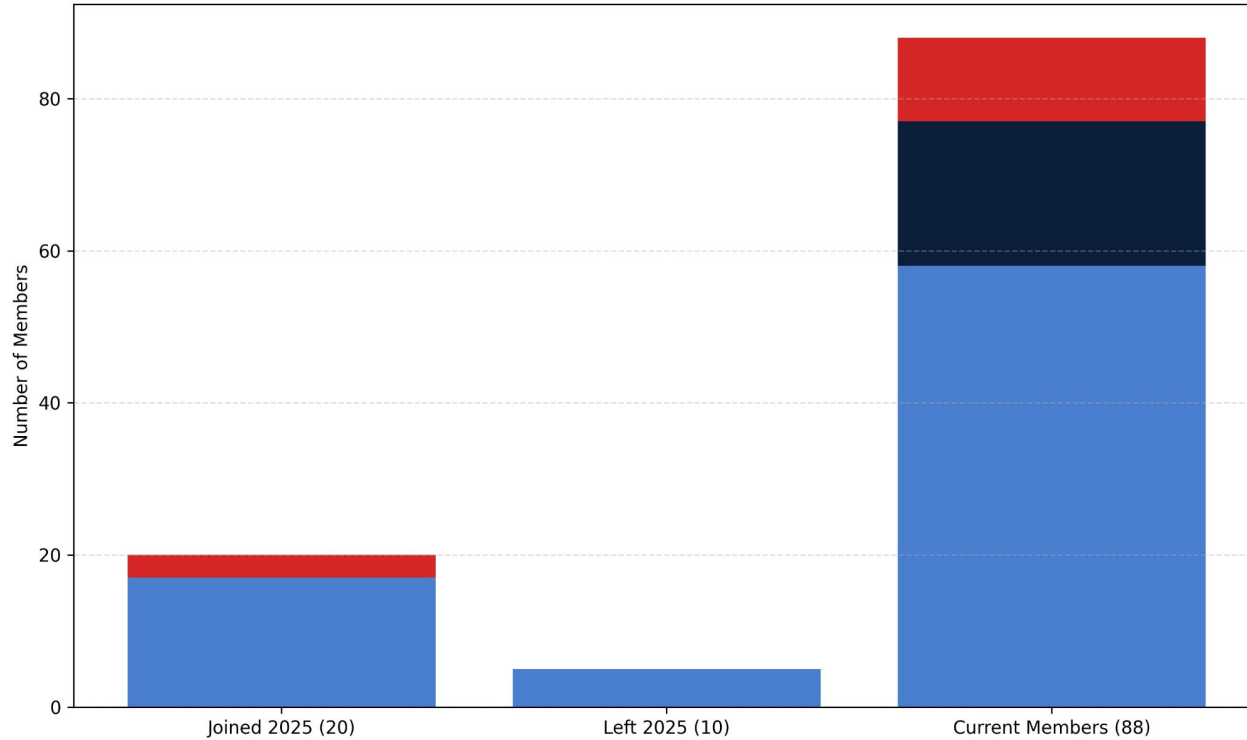
This progress is built on strong teamwork. I would like to thank the Board and the FDCC team for their commitment and professionalism. I also extend my sincere thanks to the Ambassador for the much valued and appreciated cooperation. Our task remains straightforward: to stay relevant, to listen to our members, and to continuously adapt to their needs.

## FDCC events after 2025 AGM and the number of participants

- Total number of participants: 209



# FDCC Membership 2025



## 2025 Result

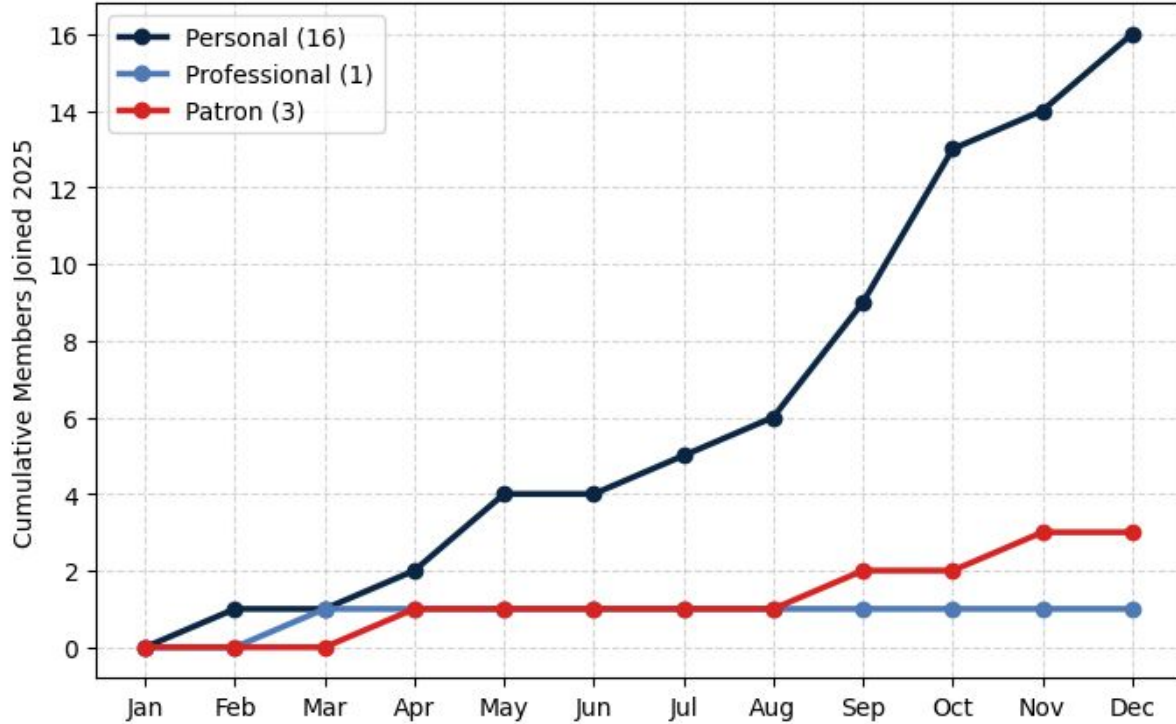
Joined 20

Left 10

Total 88

Net growth: +10

# FDCC Membership Development 2025



## New Members 2025

Personal 16  
Professional 1  
Patron 3

# Balance Sheet

## Balance sheet as at 31 December 2025

(After proposal appropriation of result)

		<u>31-12-2025</u>		<u>31-12-2024</u>	
		€	€	€	€
<b>Assets</b>					
<b>Current assets</b>					
<i>Receivables</i>					
Trade receivables	1	13.758		2.443	
<i>Cash and cash equivalents</i>	2	21.861		16.789	
		<u>35.619</u>		<u>19.232</u>	
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		31-12-2025		31-12-2024	
		€	€	€	€
<b>Equity and liabilities</b>					
<b>Net assets</b>					
<u>Other reserves</u>	3		35.617		17.418
<b>Current liabilities, accruals and deferred income</b>					
Accruals and deferred income	4		2		1.814
			<u>35.619</u>		<u>19.232</u>



Statement of activities for the year 2025

		2025	2025	2024
		€	€	€
<b>Net turnover</b>	5	26.594	20.500	21.878
Cost of sales	6	-2.821	-10.000	-6.423
<b>Gross margin</b>		<u>23.773</u>	<u>10.500</u>	<u>15.455</u>
<b>Expenses</b>				
Housing expenses	7	150	500	2.750
Selling expenses	8	2.777	6.150	1.893
Office expenses	9	2.558	1.960	1.892
General expenses	10	230	2.000	2.653
<b>Total of sum of expenses</b>		<u>5.715</u>	<u>10.610</u>	<u>9.188</u>
<b>Total of operating result</b>		<u>18.058</u>	<u>-110</u>	<u>6.267</u>
Other interest and similar income	11	141	110	109
<b>Total of net result</b>		<u><u>18.199</u></u>	<u><u>-</u></u>	<u><u>6.376</u></u>
<b>Appropriation of result</b>				
Other reserves		<u><u>18.199</u></u>		<u><u>6.376</u></u>





# 2026



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# 2026 Targets

**Growing &  
Engaging  
Members**

**Delivering  
High Impact  
Events**

**Strengthening  
the Board**



# 2026 KPI's

## Members

- Total, split per type
- Loss/gain per member category

## Events

- # events
- # participants

## Interaction and communication

- # of LinkedIn members
- # posts
- # interactions

## Budget 2026:

### Expected expenses & costs 2026

	Income
Membership Fees	23350
Event Fees	500
Interest	100
<b>Total Income</b>	<b>23950</b>
	Expenses
Office Rent	-200
Events	-10000
Planning meetings	-500
Contributions and Subscriptions	-1300
Software and Ebookkeeping	-500
Sponsorship	-2500
Representation and Consumption	-250
Travel Costs	-750
Business Gifts	-750
Bank Charges	-500
Insurances	-500
Accountant and Administration Costs	-1200
Miscellaneous	-1500
Profit Balance	-3500
<b>Total Expenses</b>	<b>-23950</b>



## Board members, Leaving and Proposed

### Leaving:

Reetta Ilomäki

Sebastian Burmeister

Maarten de Smit

Aino Suvanto

### Proposed:

Anja van Maarsen

Victor Donselaar



# Proposed Membership Fees

<b>Personal membership</b>	<b>Professional membership</b>	<b>Patron membership</b>
<b>140 €</b> <i>For individuals (Young Professionals and students at a discount)</i>	<b>440 €</b> <i>For companies.</i>	<b>880 €</b> <i>For companies with extra advantages.</i>
Access to events by the FDCC and co-events with Nordic Chambers	Chance to share company news and insights in our newsletter and social media.	Invitations to Executive Breakfasts and the annual Patron dinner.
	Invitations to speak at events hosted by the FDCC.	Brand visibility in the annual report and on the FDCC website.
		Hosting, co-hosting and sponsoring events of the FDCC or (Nordic) Young Professionals.
		Up to 10 employees attending FDCC events (Exl. Breakfast and Dinners)



## Patron Members:

 AHLSTRÖM	 ANTHONY VEDER	 Svalner Atlas Advisors
 KONE	 NESTE	 NOKIA
 Reaktor	 Spliethoff	 WÄRTSILÄ
 Adven	 forvis mazars	

