Mike Morrissey joined the European Cancer Organisation as Chief Executive in the summer of 2019, having previously worked at the European Society of Cardiology (ESC) as their Chief Operating Officer.

Mike has a respected track record in leading and re-energising international not-for-profit organisations in the health and other sectors. He has served in various leadership roles and brings with him over 20 years of experience in association management. Mike is recognised for developing and managing global collaborations as well as for supporting strategic leadership and operational implementation.

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In addition to his work for the European Cancer Organisation, Mike provides advice and services to other organisations through his management company ‘Morrissey Global Management’.