

Appointments to Committees

Do you want to make a difference?

We are looking for exceptional solicitors to join The Law Society's policy and regulatory committees to share their legal practice expertise. You will join a talented team that contributes to decisions about legal policy affecting our profession.

Why should you become a Committee Member?

Get involved with issues as they develop, gain great policy-making experience and act as a voice for the profession in England and Wales. Appointments are for three years, with potential for this to extend. Reasonable expenses are reimbursed, along with an annual incidental expenses allowance of £704 (this allowance amount is to be updated for 2020).

Our Structure

We are governed by our Council and supported by Boards and Committees, who work together to discuss matters of legal and regulatory policy. We are committed to the principles of equality, diversity and inclusion, and welcome applications from all members of the profession, irrespective of race, gender, age, sexual orientation, disability or religion. All appointments are made on merit.

The Committees	Number of Vacancies		Dates of Interviews 2020
	CM*	NCM**	
Access to Justice	0	5	Between 14 April & 01 May
Civil Justice	0	3	Between 14 April & 01 May
Company Law	0	13	Between 14 April & 01 May
Education & Training	1	1	Between 14 April & 01 May
Employment Law	0	1	Between 14 April & 01 May
European Law	0	2	Between 14 April & 01 May
Family Law	0	2	Between 14 April & 01 May
Housing Law	1	0	Between 14 April & 01 May
Human Rights	0	1	Between 14 April & 01 May
Immigration Law	1	0	Between 14 April & 01 May
Intellectual Property Law	0	3	Between 14 April & 01 May
International	0	1	Between 14 April & 01 May
Mental Health & Disability	0	1	Between 14 April & 01 May
Money Laundering Task Force	0	1	Between 14 April & 01 May
Planning & Environmental Law	2	0	Between 14 April & 01 May
Professional Indemnity Insurance	0	2	Between 14 April & 01 May
Tax Law	0	3	Between 14 April & 01 May
Technology & Law	0	1	Between 14 April & 01 May
Wales	0	1	Between 14 April & 01 May
Wills & Equity Committee	0	1	Between 14 April & 01 May
TLS Trustees Ltd Charity	1	3	Mon 20 April
Conduct Committee panel members***	0	4	Thu 16 April

CM* = Council Members, seats are reserved for Council Members in the first instance

NCM** = Non-Council Members, seats are open to all members of the profession

***Panel members = seeking HR and conduct-related skills and/or background (eg from the accountancy sector)

Please email completed applications to appointments@lawsociety.org.uk. The closing date is 1700 hours on Thursday 26 March 2020. If you have any queries, please email appointments.

Your interview date and time will be emailed to you if selected for interview. Interviews will take place at 113 Chancery Lane between Tuesday 14 April and Friday 01 May approximately, between the hours of 10 to 4. You will be given a one-hour time slot if chosen for interview. If you cannot attend an interview on that time and day, we cannot guarantee an alternative date will be available.

For complete information on the skills required for the various Committees, and to download an application, visit <https://bit.ly/2UoRLG9> We receive large numbers of applications, so if you have not heard from us within three weeks of the closing date of your application, then you have not been successful on this occasion.