



Scottish Charity no: SC046547

Trustee Application Form

Please complete the Trustee application form and submit it together with a CV by 5pm on Friday 9 June 2023 via email to darrenkerr@lawscot.org.uk

or by post to:

Darren Kerr
The Law Society of Scotland
Atria One
144 Morrison Street
Edinburgh
EH3 8EX

YOUR DETAILS

Full name	
Address	
Telephone	
Email	

PERSONAL HISTORY AND EXPERIENCE

In each section please give demonstrable examples wherever possible to support your application.

Summarise why you want to be a Trustee and how you could contribute to the work of the Lawscot Foundation (please limit your response to 350 words)

What relevant knowledge, skills and abilities would you bring to the role of Trustee? Please refer to role description attached (please limit your response to 350 words)

Please list any other trustee roles you hold or have held (please limit your response to 200 words)

Please add any other relevant information (please limit your response to 250 words)

REFERENCES

Please give details of two people who may be approached for a reference and who can comment on your suitability for this application:

Name of referee 1	
Address	
Phone	
Email	
In what capacity does this person know you?	

Name of referee 2	
Address	
Phone	
Email	
In what capacity does this person know you?	

DECLARATION

I declare that (please tick each item):

- I am willing to act as a charity trustee of the above named organisation
- I understand the organisation's purpose and rules set out in its governing document
- I am aware of my duties and responsibilities as a charity trustee in terms of section 66 of the Charities and Trustee Investment (Scotland) act 2005 ("the 2005 Act")
- I am not disqualified from being a charity trustee in terms of the 2005 Act – that is:
- I am not an undischarged bankrupt
 - I have not granted a Protected Trust Deed (PTD)
 - I do not have an unspent conviction for an offence involving dishonesty
 - I do not have an unspent conviction for an offence under the 2005 Act
 - I have not been removed by the Court of Session under the 2005 Act (or earlier legislation) from being a charity trustee or being concerned in the management or control of any charity or body
 - I have not been removed from being a charity trustee by the Charity Commission or the High Court in England due to misconduct or mismanagement
 - I have not entered into an individual voluntary arrangement (IVA) to pay off debts with creditors (This only applies to trustees living in England or Wales)
 - I am not disqualified from being a company director
- I understand this it is an offence under section 26 of the 2005 Act to knowingly or recklessly provide false or misleading information**

Signature

Date:



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Equal Opportunities Monitoring

The data collected in this section will not be available to those involved in the short-listing or interview process. Such information will be held in accordance with the Foundation’s privacy policy.

1. Ethnicity Please put an 'X' in the box you feel best describes your ethnic origins:

White	
Scottish	
Other British	
Irish	
Any other White background - please tell us about this ⇨	
Mixed	
Mixed - please tell us about this ⇨	
Asian, Asian Scottish, or Asian British	
Indian	
Pakistani	
Bangladeshi	
Chinese	
Other Asian background - please tell us about this ⇨	
Black Scottish, or other Black British	
African	
Caribbean	
Other Black background - please tell us about this ⇨	
Other ethnic background	
Other ethnic background - please tell us about this ⇨	
I would prefer not to answer this question...	
I would prefer not to answer this question	

2. Gender Please put an 'X' in the appropriate box:

Male	
Female	
I would prefer to self-identify – please tell us about this ⇨	

3. Would you consider yourself to be transgender? Please put an 'X' in the appropriate box:

According to the Scottish Trans Alliance, transgender/trans person are equivalent inclusive umbrella terms for anyone whose gender identity does not fully correspond with the sex they were assigned at birth. This includes, but is not limited to, trans men, trans women and non-binary people.

Yes	
No	
I would prefer not to answer this question	

4. Sexual Orientation Please put an 'X' in the appropriate box:

Heterosexual	
Gay Man	
Lesbian	
Bisexual Man	
Bisexual Woman	
Other - please tell us about this ⇒	
I would prefer not to answer this question	

5. Religion/Faith/Belief Please put an 'X' in the appropriate box which best describes your religion, religious denomination, or body, if any, you belong to:

None	
Church of Scotland	
Roman Catholic	
Other Christian	
Muslim	
Jewish	
Hindu	
Buddhist	
Sikh	
Other - please tell us about this ⇒	
I would prefer not to answer this question	

6. Disability Do you consider yourself to have a disability?

Yes	
No	
I would prefer not to answer this question	