



# **Subject Benchmark Statements: Call for Recruitment to the role of Advisory Group Chair/Deputy Chair**

## **Online survey questions**

**This document provides a copy of the questions to help you prepare your expression of interest. Please use our [online survey](#) to submit your expression of interest. You can submit an expression of interest in Welsh [here](#).**

Please note that the expression of interest form needs to be completed in one sitting. Once the form has been submitted you will not be able to change your answers.

QAA leads the development of [Subject Benchmark Statements](#). These Statements are reviewed on a cyclical basis to ensure they are current and as useful as possible for discipline communities in order to fulfill a range of purposes, such as securing academic standards in course design and review.

We are inviting expressions of interest from the academic and subject community to act as Chairs and Deputy Chairs for the reviews of the following Subject Benchmark Statements:

- Dietetics
- Events, Hospitality, Leisure and Tourism
- Materials
- Sports & Exercise Sciences
- Paramedics
- Cymraeg/Welsh
- Youth & Community Work

**The deadline for submission is midday on Friday 17 October 2025.**

**1) About you:**

Title	
Name	
Role	
Organisation	
Email address	
Any affiliations	

**2) Please select your subject of choice (you can choose more than one if applicable):**

Dietetics	
Events, Hospitality, Leisure and Tourism	
Materials	
Sports & Exercise Sciences	
Paramedics	
Cymraeg/Welsh	
Youth & Community Work	

**3) Please select the role you are applying for:**

Chair	
Deputy Chair	

**a. If you have chosen Chair but are not appointed into that role, please indicate if you would like to be considered for the role of Deputy Chair**

Yes	
No	

**4) Please tick if you have any experience of engaging with the following areas of expertise:**

Accessibility and the requirements of disabled students	
Education for sustainable development	
Enterprise and/or entrepreneurship education	
Equality, diversity and inclusivity - with a focus both on inclusion in the context of curriculum content and student characteristics	
Generative Artificial Intelligence	

## **5) Supporting statement:**

Please provide a statement (400-600 words) to support your application to be Chair or Deputy Chair of the Advisory Group. Drawing on appropriate evidence, please explain how you gained the attributes and experience relevant to these roles.

It would be helpful if you organised your statement around the four domains of attributes and skills found in the Responsibilities of Chairs/Deputy Chairs on our website, you can also find the document in Welsh on our website.

- 1. Academic and pedagogical credibility within the subject community, and an understanding of the role of sector reference points in securing academic standards.**
- 2. Leadership and experience of projects, groups and/or committees.**
- 3. An understanding of wider issues affecting the sector and subject communities relating to social justice, employability and emerging technologies.**
- 4. Project management of report/policy document production, including editing and writing.**

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