

Vacancy: Appointment Panel Member

IMPRESS is dedicated to acting fairly and impartially as a regulator of news publishers across the United Kingdom. The first Board members took up their posts nearly three years ago, when IMPRESS was in its start-up phase. Now, with more than 100 news publications signed up and a professional staff team in place, IMPRESS is a fully operational regulator.

A number of the current Appointment Panel members who have been involved from the beginning have reached the end of their tenure. We want to build up our compliment again before we next have to conduct a recruitment exercise. The Panel is particularly keen to hear from candidates who have personal experience of journalism or news publishing (particularly serving editors from IMPRESS's membership) and people from backgrounds that are otherwise under-represented in public life.

If you have the experience, skills and dedication to help build a new era of trust between the press and the public, then the IMPRESS Appointment Panel would be delighted to hear from you.

For a detailed Information Pack click [here](#).

Much of the Panel's work is conducted by email. Panel meetings and interview panels will normally be held in London. We would normally not expect the time commitment to be more than 4 days per year.

This is an unpaid role though reasonable expenses can be claimed. Appointments are normally for a period of four years and are expected to commence early in 2019.

All applications will be considered by the IMPRESS Appointment Panel, which will draw up a shortlist for interview. The Panel operates a process that is fair, open and merit-based. To ensure its independence the IMPRESS Appointment Panel is responsible for the appointment process to the Panel. The IMPRESS Board will accept and appoint any applicant recommended by the Appointment Panel.

For details of how to apply, please see the [Information Pack](#). The closing date is 5pm on Monday 28th January.