**CALL FOR NOMINATIONS FOR POSITION ON COUNCIL**

**REPRESENTING**

**EARLY CAREER RESEARCHERS**

**For a 3-year term**

This is a new permanent role on Council.

## The Role of all Councillors

**All Councillors must have:**

* Strategic perspective, vision
* Mana, integrity, courage, passion for Society
* Emotional intelligence, listening skills, openness
* Network of value to Society
* Governance understanding
* Criticality
* Appreciation across research/scholarship/ innovation

**Level of commitment**

The Council meets typically 6 or 7 times annually. In association with Council meetings there may be other activities. Hence two of the meetings each require two days of commitment and the other Council meetings normally one day. Councillors also host Research Honours Aotearoa which takes about another day. New Councillors also have a one-day induction. With the necessary reading time, the minimum core time requirement is about 100-120 hours (12-15 days).

Additionally, Councillors may be called on to serve on specific working groups, to host public lectures or speakers in their locality, or to represent the Society from time to time. Such work tends to come in small time slots, but may take up to a further 25-40 hours per year, some of it outside business hours.

Councillors work as volunteers, and whilst their reasonable travel and accommodation costs, public liability and professional indemnity insurance costs are met, there is no honorarium or other payment for their service.

**Nomination Form for position representing Early Career Researchers**

**Please note that each nomination by an Individual Member (Fellow, Companion, Professional Member, Associate Member) must be seconded by one other Individual Member.**

1. Nominee Title and Full Name

Address

Tel. No:

Email:

2. Nominated by

Address

Tel. No:

Email:

3. Seconded by

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Tel. No:

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4. Nominee statement (a maximum of 500 words including addressing the role description). Please send your wording as an email to [gill.sutherland@royalsociety.org.nz](mailto:gill.sutherland@royalsociety.org.nz)

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5. Please send a jpg photo of the nominee to [gill.sutherland@royalsociety.org.nz](mailto:gill.sutherland@royalsociety.org.nz).

6. The statutory documents applicable are as below**:**

* Royal Society of New Zealand Act 1997, amended in 2012

https://royalsociety.org.nz/who-we-are/our-act/

* Royal Society of New Zealand General Rules

https://royalsociety.org.nz/who-we-are/our-rules-and-codes/general-rules/royal-society-of-new-zealand/

# Royal Society of New Zealand Code of Professional Standards and Ethics

# https://royalsociety.org.nz/who-we-are/our-rules-and-codes/code-of-professional-standards-and-ethics/

7. The Nominee is a Financial Member of the Royal Society of New Zealand (Please check)

8. The Nominee has read the role description and is prepared to make the required commitment. (Please check)

Signed by nominator or designated person

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