

Membership

Co-Chairs; Education Secretary SCTS / Chair SAC

Deputy Chair of the SAC
The Cardiothoracic Dean
The Cardiothoracic Surgical Tutor of the RCS (London)
Deanery Representative
Academic Representative
The Chair of the Intercollegiate Exam Board
Secretary SCTS

If the above membership does not contain 2 Trustees of SCTS then a further Trustee will be included

The committee has the power to co-opt other members with extra experience / expertise to cover specific issues. Such co-opted members should be full or associate members of SCTS.

Terms of Reference

1. To provide working liaison between SCTS and SAC regarding training, education and Manpower.
2. To provide representation at the Executive and at the Representative Board of SAC issues
3. To create active specialty liaison with the Schools of Surgery and the Deaneries
4. To guide academic development particularly with regard to academic clinical fellows (ACF) and Clinical Lecturers (CLs) [Walport].

Work Plan

1. Attention to the taught courses. The role of a Tutor and the remuneration, in particular the contribution of the Society to the College for this post.
2. Medical student scholarships in CT Surgery – I thought we had agreed that we should encourage members to provide SSCs within their medical schools
3. Mentoring – is this a role for the Education committee?
4. Contribution to the Speciality Review being conducted by the Society
5. To advise the Society on “implantation” of EWTD
6. Selection of Higher Surgical Trainees through MMC and MTAS
7. The post CCT Fellowships.