

Role Description Vice President Engineering

Term of Office	2 years renewable once.
Meetings	4 Professional Advisory Committee meeting normally held face to face in London and York
Why volunteer?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The opportunity to influence policy • The satisfaction of “giving back” your knowledge, expertise and experience to support the Institute’s strategy. • The chance to network with colleagues and share good practice
Where does this role fit in?	<p>The Professional Advisory Committee</p> <p>Provides a mechanism by which the President can obtain information, intelligence and advice, on external developments and contacts, in key areas of interest.</p> <p>Provides a forum for the Vice Presidents and Council Directors to liaise with the President and each other on issues of cross-cutting importance and interest.</p> <p>To agree how and when the Vice Presidents will represent IPEM externally, sharing the ambassadorial and external contributory role of the President.</p>
Who can apply?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fellows or Full Members Fellow • Registered with the Engineering Council as a Chartered Engineer.
Examples of work	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Advise the President on internal and external issues and policies related to engineering practice and activities across the UK, via the President’s Advisory Committee. • Represent the Institute at appropriate meetings/events, as agreed with the President through the President’s Advisory Committee. • Undertake ‘horizon-scanning’ to identify appropriate roles, contacts, partnerships and activities for IPEM in this area. • Maintain and develop relationships between IPEM and appropriate engineering-related bodies. • Advise the Membership team re recruitment and support of engineer members. • Chair the Engineering Registration Panel (virtual group) liaising with the Membership and Training Team and Registrars re Engineering Council registrations and the delivery of work under the Engineering Council licence. • Chair the Engineering Policy and Standards Panel (virtual group) bringing together representatives from all forms of health-related engineering. • Maintain and develop relationships between IPEM and other engineering bodies. • Maintain and develop relationship with Directors of IPEM Science, Research & Innovation Council, Professional & Standards Council and the National Office, to bring expertise to the wider Institute. <p>Engage with the engineers Communities of Interest to encourage participation by these members in working groups and other opportunities.</p>

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Time Commitment	Four meetings of the President’s Advisory Committee per year; in addition there will be ad hoc meetings to attend, and other activity between meetings. Approximately 10-15 days per year.
What you get out of it	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The chance to lead the UK’s Professional Body for those working in engineering in medicine. • The chance to share knowledge and experience. • The chance to interact with other professionals.
Support available	<p>The President works closely with the CEO who is responsible for delivering IPEM’s remit as a charitable body, a professional body and a learned society; as well developing and growing the charity both in terms of its impact and financial strengths.</p> <p>The Vice Presidents are supported by the CEO and Operations and Governance Officer.</p>

Eligibility Requirements

Membership	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be a Fellow or Full Member • Registered with the Engineering Council as a Chartered Engineer.
Experience	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Currently working in professional Practice (in Engineering). • Knowledge of professional standards, practice and developments in engineering in healthcare.
Skills and Attributes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Knowledge of and connections with other PEIs. • Show understanding of different forms of healthcare-related engineering and commitment to engaging with each of them.