

71st ANNUAL CONFERENCE OF LOCAL DENTAL COMMITTEES

FRIDAY 10 JUNE 2022

ONLY members of Conference who are representing their Local Dental Committee will be entitled to vote in the following elections:

ELECTION OF AN HONORARY TREASURER
ELECTION OF TWO HONORARY AUDITORS
ELECTION OF ONE CONFERENCE REPRESENTATIVE TO THE GDPC
ELECTION OF MEMBER TO CONFERENCE AGENDA COMMITTEE
ELECTION OF MEMBER TO BRITISH DENTAL GUILD BOARD OF MANAGERS

However, members of Conference who are representing their Local Dental Committees AND GDPC representatives WILL be entitled to vote in the ELECTION OF CHAIR-ELECT (to chair the Conference in 2024)

1. ELECTION OF CHAIR-ELECT (TO CHAIR THE CONFERENCE IN 2024)

To attend LDC Conference Agenda Committee meetings, and the Conference itself, for three years as Chair-Elect, Chair and Immediate Past Chair. The Chair Elect will also be required to attend other meetings, including the LDC Officials' Day and the Scottish LDC Conference. All travel, expenses and loss of earnings can be claimed from the LDC Conference Fund when attending meetings sanctioned by the LDC Conference Committee. The Chair and Chair-elect are also ex-officio members of the British Dental Guild.

NOMINATIONS

NAME: AGI TARNOSWKI REGION: West Sussex LDC

Nominee's supporting statement:

After 25 years I am still a patient focused dental practitioner, I want there to be a NHS Dental Service that delivers to patients and to the profession... Can we advocate and influence for a positive change?

I believe LDC conference offers us a unique opportunity to articulate what we believe in. Do you?

2. ELECTION OF AN HONORARY TREASURER

Present Treasurer: Peter Hodgkinson - elected in 2019

As stated in Conference Standing Orders: it shall be the duty of the Honorary Treasurer to receive monies forming the Conference Fund and to hold and disburse such monies in accordance with the instructions of the Annual Conference. He/she shall prepare and submit such accounts as the Conference shall require.

The Treasurer attends and reports to LDC Conference Agenda Committee meetings and the Conference itself. Travel, expenses and loss of earnings are payable by the LDC Conference Fund.

NOMINATIONS

NAME: PETER HODGKINSON REGION: Birmingham LDC

Nominee's supporting statement:

I have had the privilege of serving Conference for the last three years as Hon. Treasurer and would very much like to continue.

3. ELECTION OF TWO HONORARY AUDITORS

Required to liaise with the LDC Conference Honorary Treasurer concerning the annual accounts. Travel, expenses and loss of earnings payable by the LDC Conference Fund as sanctioned by the LDC Conference Committee.

Present Auditors: Jonathan Randall and Bruce Porteous

NOMINATIONS

NAME: MARTIN DYER REGION: Hertfordshire LDC

Nominee's supporting statement:

I would be pleased to stand as an Honorary Auditor of the LDC Conference accounts if required. I have experience in compiling accounts as a long-term practice owner (now retired) and acting as a scrutineer for Middlesex and Hertfordshire BDA Branch accounts.

NAME: JONATHAN RANDALL REGION: Bedfordshire LDC

Nominee's supporting statement:

I am happy to continue as an auditor of LDC Conference accounts for another year if conference is content for me to do so. Thank you for your support.

4. ELECTION OF ONE CONFERENCE REPRESENTATIVE TO THE GENERAL DENTAL PRACTICE COMMITTEE

Elected Representatives:

Vijay Sudra	3 years ending 2022
Roger Levy	3 years ending 2023
Agi Tarnowski	3 years ending 2024

ONE VACANCY (3 years ending 2025)

The GDPC representatives elected at Conference are expected to attend the three GDPC meetings which take place throughout the year at BDA HQ. There are three Conference representatives, one is elected each year to the GDPC on a three-year rolling basis. Travel and expenses to cover attendance at meetings is claimed from the BDA. Loss of income can be claimed from the Treasurer of the Annual Conference.

NOMINATIONS

NAME: STUART ALLAN REGION: West Pennine LDC

Nominee's supporting statement:

I have a deal of experience having chaired the LDC Conference and currently chairing the Federation of Greater Manchester LDCs.

I would be honoured were conference to entrust the task of representing them to the GDPC.

5. ELECTION OF MEMBER TO CONFERENCE AGENDA COMMITTEE

Current Members:

Elected 2019 - 22 - Judith Husband, Northamptonshire Local Dental Committee

Elected 2020 - 23 – Zoe Connelly, Wakefield Local Dental Committee

Elected 2021 - 24 - Russell Gidney, Gwent Local Dental Committee

Nominations sought for the following:

One member to serve from 2022 to 2025

Further details about the posts:

Information concerning the duties of elected members to the LDC Conference Agenda Committee

At each Annual Conference one person shall be elected to the Conference Agenda Committee to hold office from the end of the Conference at which he is elected for a period of three years. Nominations shall be made from the floor.

The Agenda Committee consists of the Chair, Chair-Elect and Immediate Past Chair of the Annual Conference, the Honorary Treasurer, the Chair of the GDPC, and three Local Dental Committee representatives - members of Conference who are not members of the GDPC at the time of election.

Duties of the Agenda Committee, as set down in standing orders:

- to settle the order of the agenda for the Annual or any Special Conference
- to make recommendations to the Conference as to the conduct of the business and Conference arrangements generally
- to ensure that Conference resolutions are considered expeditiously by the GDPC or other appropriate bodies
- to report to the next Annual Conference

NOMINATIONS

NAME: JUDITH HUSBAND REGION: Northampton LDC

Nominee's supporting statement:

Please lend me your vote to ensure our future conferences are inclusive, engaging and relevant. The last three years on Conference Agenda Committee have given me a wealth of experience dealing with rapidly changing developments including moving to the first virtual conference.

NAME: MARTIN LONGBOTTOM REGION: West Pennine LDC

Nominee's supporting statement:

Having been an LDC member for 25 years, I would like to become more involved in the structuring of LDC conference and the planning of LDC motions for future conferences. I am passionate about the future of dentistry as a profession.

NAME: AGI TARNOSWKI REGION: West Sussex LDC

Nominee's supporting statement:

I would like to help articulate what we as a profession believe in and I hope through the agenda committee we can do this.

6. ELECTION OF MEMBER TO BRITISH DENTAL GUILD BOARD OF MANAGERS

Elected in 2018 - 22 J Randall Elected in 2019 - 23 S Pabary Elected in 2020 - 24 M R H Haigh Elected in 2021 - 25 H Jones

Representatives of the British Dental Guild attend two meetings a year at the BDA London Office. Travel and sessional expenses can be claimed when attending these meetings, as sanctioned by the LDC Conference Committee.

One member to serve from 2022 to 2026.

NOMINATIONS

NAME: JONATHAN RANDALL REGION: Bedfordshire LDC

Nominee's supporting statement:

I am seeking re-election to the British Dental Guild for another year to continue to contribute to the Guild's important work. Thank you for your support