

NOTTINGHAMSHIRE LAW SOCIETY



Council Member Role Description

The role of a Council Member requires a commitment of **3 years**, which you should take into consideration before applying.

To give you an idea of the commitment, here is a summary of what is required of the role:

Responsibilities

- Attend a maximum of 10 Council meetings per year, which are a mix of in person and online meetings.
- Attend key society events including: -
 - AGM
 - Annual Dinner
 - New Trainee Solicitor & Pupil Barrister Reception
 - Newly Qualified Solicitor & Tenant Barrister Dinner
 - Networking Events
 - Society Competition finals – President’s Cup & Hammond Cup
- To promote and support the business and profile of Nottinghamshire Law Society.

For Council members of purpose for example In-house Council, Bar Representatives and Academics, reports may be required to update Council of your areas of specialism.

As part of your nomination, the nominee will be required to submit a statement outlining why you wish to stand for the role and what you will bring to Nottinghamshire Law Society’s Council (maximum of 250 words).

The next stage:

Once Council has received your nomination, this will be put forward for ratification at the Council meeting prior to the AGM.

Once ratified, nominees will be put forward for election at the upcoming Annual General Meeting.

If any nomination is not ratified by Council, then the reasons will be given to the nominee.

All nominations must be received by the closing date specified on the nomination form.