



Appointed Member to the Radiology Informatics Committee

Contributor candidate pack



The Royal College of Radiologists

01 Welcome



It's a pleasure to welcome you as you explore the opportunity to contribute to the work of the Royal College of Radiologists. I'm delighted that you're considering joining our committed community of professionals who contribute their time, skills and experience to support our work.

At the RCR, colleagues like you are absolutely vital to the work we do. You play a key role in helping us support excellence in medical imaging, interventional radiology and cancer treatment - both now and in the future. In contributing your time, expertise, and perspective, your involvement strengthens our impact and supports the delivery of safe, high-quality patient care, which sits at the heart of everything we do.

As a Contributor, you will help us deliver the College's strategic priorities, including providing excellent standards and guidance for the workforce, delivery of high-quality professional learning, and being recognised as the experts in our fields. Your insight and involvement help ensure that our specialties continue to grow in both strength and influence.

Many of our Contributors have told us they choose to give their time because they want to make a real difference to our specialties. And by getting involved, they've also found opportunities to build lasting professional networks and stay connected with peers across the UK and beyond. The same will be true for you.

We're proud to be a college that works in partnership with its members. Our Contributors bring energy, ideas, and commitment that shape our work and our future - and we are stronger because of it.

I look forward to the opportunity to work with you.

With warm wishes,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Stephen Harden".

Dr Stephen Harden

President of The Royal College of Radiologists

02 Role Summary

Role title: Appointed Member to the Radiology Informatics Committee

Time Commitment:

Appointed members are expected to attend meetings of the Radiology Informatics Committee three times per year, either in person or remotely via videoconference, and contribute to discussions as appropriate. Each meeting is expected to last approximately two hours, in addition to any travelling time for in-person meetings and the time required to read papers and prepare in advance.

Appointed members may also have additional commitments, for example leading or contributing on specific programmes or pieces of work on behalf of the committee. However, the time commitment associated with this can be difficult to quantify given the variable nature of projects and the opportunities that arise in this constantly evolving area of practice.

Location: UK wide (meetings held virtually and/or in person)

Closing date for applications: 23 October 2026

Why this role exists

The College's Faculty of Clinical Radiology wishes to appoint a new committee member to support the RCR's digital and informatics priorities. The Radiology Informatics Committee provides clinical and technological expertise to the Professional Practice Board (PPB) and plays a key role in helping the College respond to the rapidly evolving digital healthcare landscape. In support of the NHS's digital ambitions, the committee identifies opportunities for the RCR to collaborate with partners, ensuring that technology enhances radiology services and delivers benefits for patients. The committee provides expert advice on emerging informatics-led technologies, evaluates developments across the sector and helps ensure that the RCR is well placed to respond to innovation in a practical, patient-focused way.

Your impact

As an appointed member of the Radiology Informatics Committee, you will play an important role in supporting the RCR's digital and informatics priorities and ensuring that new and emerging technologies are considered in the context of their impact on radiology services and patients. You will contribute clinical and technological expertise to the committee's work programme, support the development of standards and guidance, advise on national policies and initiatives, and help the RCR identify opportunities to collaborate with partners across the wider healthcare landscape. Through your involvement, you will help shape practical, patient-focused solutions and support services to make informed decisions about digital health technologies, artificial intelligence and future developments in radiology informatics.

03 Key responsibilities and requirements

As an appointed member of the Radiology Informatics Committee, you will work collaboratively with fellow committee members to deliver the committee's work programme, contributing your expertise to the development of guidance, standards and digital health initiatives. The role includes advising on national policies and emerging technologies that may impact radiology services, representing the RCR on external working groups when required, and helping to identify opportunities and challenges arising from developments in informatics, digital health technologies and artificial intelligence.

Applicants should be Members or Fellows of the Faculty of Clinical Radiology in good standing with the College, with proven knowledge and experience of digital health technologies and strong communication, collaboration and relationship-building skills. Experience of drafting and reviewing publications, guidance or other complex resources would also be advantageous.

Knowledge, qualifications and experience	Essential (E) or Desirable (D)
An understanding of informatics, digital health technologies and/or artificial intelligence.	E
Experience in the drafting and editing of complex materials including publications and/or web-based resources.	E
Skills and abilities	
A commitment to abide by the Contributor Code of Conduct .	E
Excellent interpersonal and communication skills, including the capacity to support and influence others, while working effectively within a team.	E
The ability to develop and build effective professional relationships.	E
Working knowledge of RIS/PACS, AI and other radiology informatics tools	D

Other Requirements

The successful applicant must be a Member or Fellow of the Faculty of Clinical Radiology in good standing with the College, resident in the UK, and in active clinical practice with a current licence to practise. Members must also adhere to the College's requirements regarding confidentiality, data protection, and declarations of interest

04 Commitment and conditions

Contributors at the RCR play a vital role in supporting the College's initiatives and driving its progress. Although our Contributor positions are undertaken on a voluntary basis, each role has optimal impact when Contributors dedicate sufficient time to fulfilling the responsibilities entrusted to them.

Appointed members are expected to attend meetings of the RIC three times per year, either in person or remotely via videoconference and contribute to discussions as appropriate. The time commitment for each meeting would be two hours plus travelling time (if meeting in person) and the time required for reading of papers and preparation.

In addition, appointed members may have additional commitments, for example leading or contributing on specific programmes or pieces of work for the RIC. However, this can be difficult to quantify given the variable nature of projects and opportunities which arise in this constantly evolving area of practice.



05 Support and benefits of the role

Support provided to the role

The RCR will offer you strong support, ensuring that you are informed, feel valued, and are equipped to fulfil your role.

This includes:

- information and administrative support provided by an RCR staff contact
- regular engagement opportunities with RCR staff and fellow Contributors,
- RCR's Contributor Officer, providing high-level support for all Contributors,
- the opportunity to attend induction sessions, providing you with all relevant information to fulfil your role effectively,
- the [Contributor Code of Conduct](#) and [Contributor Handbook](#), which provide reassurance around our expectations of conduct and personal integrity.

Benefits of the role



Networking with a diverse community of Fellows and experts



Clear progression pathways to more in-depth roles



Wide variety of roles tailored to individual interests



Opportunities to advance Clinical Radiology and Oncology and improve patient care



CPD points available for many roles



Dedicated staff contact for personalised support

06 Application process

How to apply

If you are interested in applying, please email a short CV and brief statement outlining any experience that is relevant to the role and your reasons for applying to the [Professional Standards Administrator](#).

Applications will be ranked against the person specification by a selection panel comprising the RIC Chair, Clinical RIC Advisor, the Medical Director for Professional Practice (Clinical Radiology) and the Head of Professional Practice and Quality Improvement. It will be ensured that no member of the selection panel has a conflict of interest with any applicant. It is not anticipated that it will be necessary to hold interviews.

The successful applicant will be asked to complete and return a declaration of interests form.

Closing date for receipt of applications: 23 October 2026

Our commitment to Equality, Diversity, and Inclusion

We are committed to actively fostering an inclusive culture at the RCR. We uphold a commitment to building a Contributor group that reflects the diversity of our global community, and therefore we actively welcome applications from individuals from under-represented groups and diverse backgrounds. We are also dedicated to making reasonable adjustments, for example, offering documents in alternative formats to accommodate neurodiversity. If you would like to discuss this further, please contact the Contributor Officer: contributors@rcr.ac.uk

Important information for Contributors

- We encourage you to explore the [Contributor Code of Conduct](#) and [Contributor Handbook](#).
- We request that all applicants complete our [EDI Monitoring Form](#). The information you provide anonymously will help us to understand how our Contributor group represents a diverse range of experience, views and backgrounds. Please complete the form by clicking this link: [EDI Monitoring Form for Applicants to Contributor Roles](#)
- All data will be handled in accordance with our data protection policy and membership privacy notice.
- Please note that you may be required to complete a 'Declaration of conflict of interest' form.
- For more general queries about the role of an RCR Contributor, please email contributors@rcr.ac.uk



“It’s a great network of colleagues and individuals who share similar interests in education and training.”

“One of the best things I do! Great group of colleagues.”

“An opportunity to work with some inspirational individuals & learn a lot about our specialty.”

“I found it interesting, personally developmental and hugely collaborative.”

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