

Sheffield Member Group Treasurer

Volunteer Role Descriptor

1. Vacancy reference

REG/SMG/ST/1.0

2. Background

IChemE's global network of member community groups are central to delivering its vision of advancing chemical engineering's contribution worldwide for the benefit of society.

IChemE member community group activities are devised and delivered by members.

Member Groups, Special Interest Groups and Early Careers Groups create globally accessible output, local activities, and networking opportunities.

3. Main committee positions, duties, and responsibilities

Member Group Treasurer's typically:

- contribute to the planning and delivery of an annual programme of activities
- has the responsibility for the preparation of an annual activity report, activity plan and budget, in co-operation with the relevant member led finance review group
- operate the group's finances.
- review the monthly accounts and report any significant variances

4. Appointment method

Elections for all vacant electable positions are to be conducted as part of the Annual Meeting (AM), or as vacancies arise. Please contact the Regions Team for more information

membergroups@icheme.org

5. Period of appointment

Member Group Committee volunteers can stay in their roles for up to three years. Reappointment is possible for a second term of up to three years. A maximum of six years can be served in one position.

6. Commitment required

In taking up this voluntary unpaid position and carrying out the relevant duties, the time estimates are:

- Treasurer is expected to be able to spend between three to eight hours per month on IChemE business (this may increase slightly during the budget cycle).

7. Training

The role is fully supported by the Regions Team and IT. Training will be provided to support members in this role.

Other standard volunteer training, eg General Data Protection Regulations (GDPR) training, will be provided by IChemE. In some instances, an annual update may be required.

8. Person specification

To successfully fulfil their role and meet their responsibilities and be able to fulfil the following additional criteria:

- be a member of the Institution and abide by IChemE's By-laws.
- possess a good understanding of financial management, management accounting and financial reporting

9. Others

Benefits of volunteering:

- personal satisfaction that your contribution helps to support a global network of chemical engineers
- provides extensive networking opportunities
- enhances volunteer's own CPD for longer term career development and their professionalism in a wider context than their own specific job role / professional interests
- enhances the volunteer's knowledge of chemical engineering and the opportunities it may offer

Expenses:

No significant expenses are expected to be incurred. IChemE policy for Member expenses outlines what costs can be recovered whilst undertaking volunteer activities on behalf of Member Groups

10. Additional details

Area of interest that relates to the role:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Member Groups, Member Engagement Committee
Is the role location specific?	Yes – Sheffield
Total number of volunteers required for role:	One
Closing date:	20 October 2023

To apply please fill out [this online nomination form](#)

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