

Would you like to be part of ending homelessness in Scotland?



Simon Community Scotland currently has a vacancy for **4 Trustees to join our Board** and contribute to our respected pool of expertise. Ideally, applicants will have a range of relevant skills and a keen interest in combating the causes and effects of homelessness. We are particularly keen to receive applications from individuals with expertise in:

- Finance and accounting
- Law and legal support
- Impacts of migration and immigration
- Health and/or Social Care Leadership



[Simon Community Scotland](#) is the country's leading provider of responses to the causes and effects of homelessness. We have nearly 60 years' experience of working with partners to design, develop and deliver a whole array of services, responses and initiatives that fit with what people need when they are at risk of or experiencing homelessness and all of the cross cutting impacts.

We are a wholly values-driven provider of specialist street outreach services in Glasgow and Edinburgh, intensive community outreach support emergency and supported accommodation services, and we are the largest provider of specialist homelessness provision for women experiencing homelessness.

We have a team of over 300+ staff and volunteers delivering personalised solutions for around 12000 people per year.

Board / Trustee Requirements

Join one Sub-Committee - (Finance, HR & Governance, Property & Investment).

Attend 6 Board Meetings per year on the last Tuesday (evening) of every 2nd month (commencing in January).

Constructively challenge the Simon Community Scotland team and fellow Board members, contributing to debate and discussion that enhances the work.

Training will be provided where necessary and you will be reimbursed for reasonable expenses incurred in connection with your role.

Visit 2 services per year.

Get to know other Board members and help build a collegial working relationship that contributes to consensus.

Tenure is initially for 3 years (up to a maximum 2 terms of 3 years).

Trustees have the opportunity to support the work of the charity by participating in internal and external events. Email response/exchange will also be an integral part of the role.

Play an active role in the work of the Board and Sub-Committees, including Strategic Planning and ensuring good Governance.

How to Apply

If you've got the right skills for the role, we want to hear from you. We encourage applications from the right candidates regardless of age, disability, gender identity, sexual orientation, religion, belief or race.



If you require assistance with the application process, please contact hello@simonscotland.org

Alternatively, if you would like to discuss the role in further detail, please contact:

Lorraine McGrath, CEO on lorraine.mcgrath@simonscotland.org

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Everyone deserves a safe place to live and access to the support they need