
Education and Training Committee 8 June 2010

Committee membership

Executive summary and recommendations

The Health Professions Council (Education and Training Committee) (Constitution) Rules 2010 provides that the membership of the Education and Training Committee (ETC) shall include at least one registrant from each of the relevant professions. On 1 April 2010 the HPC Register was opened to Hearing Aid Dispensers (HAD), and it was therefore necessary to recruit an HAD to the ETC to fulfil the registrant requirement.

Secretariat undertook a recruitment campaign, in accordance with guidance from the Appointments Commission, to appoint a HAD member. Adverts for the role were placed in the main national professional publication (BSHAA news) and on the Hearing Aid Council and HPC websites.

The panel was chaired by an Independent Assessor from the Appointments Commission and included the HPC Chair and the Chair of ETC. The Council accepted the panels recommendation that Professor Gerald Armstrong-Bednall be appointed to the Education and Training Committee.

Decision

None, the Committee is invited to note the decision.

Background information

The Health Professions Council (Education and Training Committee) (Constitution) Rules 2010 which are available on the Council website as part of the Code of Corporate Governance.

Resource implications

None

Financial implications

Daily fee for independent assessor (from within Secretariat budget)

Appendices

None

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