Volunteers required for Statisticians for Society Review Panel

We are looking for new members to serve on the Review Panel of the <u>Statisticians for</u> <u>Society</u> initiative. Statisticians for Society was established to enable members of the Royal Statistical Society (RSS) to donate their time and skills to third sector organisations in need of pro bono statistical expertise. Read more about <u>past Statisticians for Society projects</u>.

What is involved?

As a member of the Review Panel, you will be involved in the delivery of the initiative's review process. You will appraise the work carried out by volunteer statisticians before it is handed over to the participating organisations. You will check the quality of the work, whether it meets the organisation's needs and matches what was agreed in the initial project scope.

We are looking for RSS fellows with statistical expertise and five years or more field experience, who can demonstrate the following experience and attributes:

- Proven ability to evaluate and critique project outputs and to communicate this to others
- Excellent communication and interpersonal skills
- Proven ability to work independently and meet deadlines
- Project management experience
- Consultancy skills
- Knowledge of the voluntary, community and social enterprise sector (desirable)

In total over the length of the project, you will spend around 4 hours reviewing the project and providing guidance and support if necessary. At a review call, you will be able to meet initially with the volunteer. You will be provided with a project report and other supporting documents to help you understand what was requested and delivered. The Review Panel also meets virtually twice a year, jointly with the Scoping Committee and in between meetings, communication will be by email.

Express interest

If you are interested in getting involved, please send us your CV and a short supporting statement (no more than 400 words), summarising your background and how your skills and experience are relevant to the role. The deadline for expressions of interest is **EOD Friday 6**th **December 2024.**

To express interest, or discuss the opportunity, please contact Emma Lawford s4s@rss.org.uk

The RSS is committed to ensuring an inclusive and welcoming environment for all who care about good data and statistics.