

News release

SRA recruiting for two new lay Board members

20 September 2022

We are recruiting for two new lay members to join our Board from the start of 2023.

We are particularly interested in individuals with at least one of the following:

- Regulatory, competition and/or consumer protection expertise
- The understanding and experience to enable them to take on the role of Chair of the SRA's Audit and Risk Committee (ARC) when the current role holder's term ends next year, and preferably with an appropriate financial qualification.

Candidates should have previous experience of working with a Board or the ability to do so, a track record of achievement in complex organisations, and the ability to think strategically. They should also possess excellent communication skills and a demonstrable commitment to equality, diversity and inclusion.

The closing date for applications is Wednesday, 5 October. New members will take their places on the Board from 1 January 2023.

Further details of the new Board roles are available to view at: <u>https://www.saxbam.com/appointment/solicitors-regulation-authority-5/</u>[<u>https://www.saxbam.com/appointment/solicitors-regulation-authority-5/]</u>.

Notes to Editors

- 1. The SRA is the regulator of solicitors and law firms in England and Wales, protecting consumers and supporting the rule of law and the administration of justice. The SRA does this by overseeing all education and training requirements necessary to practise as a solicitor, licensing individuals and firms to practise, setting the standards of the profession and regulating and enforcing compliance against these standards. Further information is available at www.sra.org.uk
- 2. The SRA's recruitment partner is Saxton Bampfylde Ltd
- 3. Contact the SRA press office via: 07856 728165