

**SSG Regional Representative Job Description:**

**1 representative from: Aberdeen, Edinburgh, Glasgow, Tayside**

**Term of office:**

2 years

**Eligibility:**

Active & paid up member of the Scottish Society of Gastroenterology. Nominations will be submitted in writing to the Secretary and will consist of the signed agreement of the nominee, and the signatures of a proposer and seconder drawn from the Society and a 200 word statement from the candidate. If a vote is required then this will be followed in line with the SSG constitution.

**Job outline:**

The Scottish Society of Gastroenterology is an inclusive society which aims to represent and reflect gastroenterology services across Scotland, and also aims to align with services across the rest of the UK, maintaining close links to the British Society of Gastroenterology. The membership of the council is designed to give representation to all aspects of gastroenterology services across Scotland.

The candidate to represent their region should be a consultant Gastroenterologist working within NHS in that region and should act to represent the views and interests of their region's gastroenterological specialties on council. They should have a good understanding of the principles of quality standards and JAG accreditation. They must be prepared to commit time to attend council meetings (4 per year) and to act as the advocate for their region, sharing knowledge with and from their peers on behalf of the SSG. They will be expected to assist in the organisation of the meetings calendar including suggesting speakers, supporting the organisation of the trainees meeting and encouraging colleagues to attend. They will be expected to support the efficient running of the SSG as per the constitution.

**Application Process:**

To apply for one of the roles, your application must be supported by two members of the SSG and a 200 word statement must be submitted.