

PERSON SPECIFICATION		
Post Title: BIOS Trustee		

Requirements:	Essential:	Desirable:
Qualifications/Training:	Orthoptic qualification recognised for Registration (Diploma or Degree) Registration with the HCPC Member of BIOS Work to requirements of the Professional Standards of the British & Irish Orthoptic Society (BIOS)	Demonstrable knowledge of the mechanisms registration, codes of practice and standards for orthoptists.  Knowledge of BIOS documents and where to direct members to find them on the BIOS website.
Previous Experience:		Evidence of ability to contribute effectively on committees both in preparation, contributions at meetings and feeding back effectively.
Skills:	Well developed organisational skills; use electronic systems to communicate with members; gain the confidence of colleagues that you represent; reflect members views and act as an ambassador for the country or region that you represent; present reports from BIOS council to members in written and verbal form.	
Knowledge:		The structure of the BIOS and articles of association. The role of a charitable trustee
Requirements:	Ability to travel to meetings and take part in teleconferences or video links as required.  Attendance at BOSTU and BIOS Clinical Training days in the country/ region represented  Attendance at trustee, council and BIOS AGM approx. 5 days per year.  Attendance at extra ordinary BIOS meetings or AGM as required Participation in adhoc committees for example to review a complaint or recruitment process  Willingness to lead workstreams /represent BIOS on committees with external organisations as required.  Timely response to BIOS governance issues either electronically or face to face.	