



**EPSRC EQUALITY, DIVERSITY AND INCLUSION STRATEGIC ADVISORY GROUP**

The EPSRC Equality, Diversity and Inclusion Strategic Advisory Group (EDI SAG) has been convened with the specific goals of:

- **providing EPSRC with strategic advice** that will support the development of evidence based actions, determining what challenges to prioritise and identify areas where EPSRC is uniquely placed to deliver change in the academic community.
- **being a flexible resource**, enabling the EPSRC to obtain the advice they need in a timely manner, **drawing** on a range of perspectives from across our key stakeholder groups.

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- **enhancing our understanding of activities in the broader landscape** and how EPSRC can work effectively within a complex landscape of activity. Alerting us to new and emerging areas or opportunities and helping us identify new stakeholders we might work with from across the sector;
- **acting as advocates for EPSRC’s ED&I approach** and help two-way communication between EPSRC and the broader community.

The EDI SAG will be run as a sub-set of the EPSRC Strategic Advisory Network, with members drawn from EPSRC Council, the Strategic Advisory Network and Strategic Advisory Teams, supplemented by additional external expertise as required.

Members will bring their own expertise and experience of equality, diversity and inclusion in research to this group, but are required to act as ‘generous generalists’, bringing a broad strategic view and advising across the breadth of the EPSRC portfolio.

**MEMBERSHIP (1<sup>st</sup> March 2019)**



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