



Generic Role Description for a PAA Board Director

The role of a Director of the Professional Anglers Association is a voluntary position.

The commitment needed from a PAA Director is:

- attend board meetings as required
- length of term: 3 years
- work in the best interests of the PAA at all times
- assist in team building and delivery of the PAA business plan
- avoid conflicts of interest and to declare any such conflict

The duties and tasks of a PAA Director are:

- carry out duties in the best interests of the PAA
- make reasonable efforts to attend all Board meetings
- persistent non-attendance at Board meetings could result in a Board decision of No Confidence in your position as a Director
- act as an advocate of and for angling and the PAA
- provide leadership to both the voluntary and professional elements of the sport
- demonstrate sound governance by personal and collective actions
- ensure that decisions of the Board are taken within a sound risk management framework

The key competences that Directors need to demonstrate could include the following:

- a high level of integrity
- an ability to think and act strategically
- an understanding of financial management
- experience of at least one of the following areas; angling coaching, business or commercial management, administration, human resource management, volunteer organisations, competitions in sport, marketing, PR, media and comms, IT and web-based communication.
- good leadership skills
- an awareness of and an understanding of the importance of collective responsibility
- an ability to work in partnership
- a commitment to ethics within angling
- a commitment to equality of opportunity and equity
- an awareness of business risk management
- experience suitable to be a Director
- ability to communicate concisely and effectively
- enthusiasm for angling
- experience of social work or working with local social services departments



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Eligibility: -

Any person possessing the necessary and appropriate experience is eligible to be nominated and/or to apply for the position of Director provided they: -

- can meet the requirements of a Directorship under the Companies Act 1985
- are not excluded for any reason from holding a Directorship
- do not possess a criminal record inappropriate for the position within the sport.
- have not previously been removed from the position of Director within an angling body

Print Name	
Signature	
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