**Application to stand for election to the Housing Studies Association Board**

**Full name:**

**Email address:**

**Employer/Organisation:**

**Role/Occupation:**

The Housing Studies Association is a learned society run by members on behalf of members. The expectation of board members is to:

* Attend all board meetings (x4 per year, including two in-person meetings),
* Co-lead on the organisation of a conference during their term as board member
* Co-lead on the organisation of an Autumn Lecture during their term as board member
* Support other activities/events as required.

There are specific Officer roles on the board who are responsible for the day-to-day running of the Association. It is anticipated that board members will contribute to the running of the Association as Officers over their terms. We are particularly interested in colleagues with experience of financial planning, strategic decision making, and communications.

Please can you write on the next page a statement of interest for joining the HSA board. This should be a maximum of 750 words. The statement of interest should include:

* The skills you would bring to the Association more broadly, but also for any specific Officer role(s)
* What do you hope to contribute to the Board and the Association?
* What is your interest and motivation for serving on the board?

**To be eligible to join the Housing Studies Association Board, you must have valid membership of the Association.**

Individuals must be eligible to serve as a Director of a Ltd Company and be UK based.

Please return this form to Lynne McMordie (lynne.mcmordie@housing-studies-association.org) by **5pm on Friday 28th March**.

**Statement of Interest in joining the HSA BOARD (max. 750 words):**