

SG Public Appointments - Come on Board - Monday 4
December 2017 in Edinburgh

The Scottish Government Public Appointments Team is holding a session about the benefits of taking on a board role and the opportunities that are available on the boards of public bodies. Please share!

We would like to invite and inform you of our come on board event on Monday the 4th of December at the Melting Pot in Edinburgh.

**Do you wish a new challenge?
Are you keen to share your views and make a difference?
Do you want to extend your network and enhance your leadership skills?**

Come on Board: delivering diversity in Public Appointments

The Scottish Government Public Appointments Team, would like to invite you to discover the benefits of taking on a board role and the opportunities that are available on the boards of public bodies.

You may never have considered a board position before – but your skills and experience may be invaluable to a variety of organisations.

Come along and explore further!

The session will cover:

- the benefits of being on a public body board and the experiences of those on boards
- the appointment process for public sector boards and the support and help available
- the range of boards looking for people like you and upcoming vacancies

Date **Monday 4 December 2017**
Venue **The Melting Pot, 5 Rose Street, Edinburgh, EH2 2PR**

Time **18:00 for an 18:15 start, speakers until 19:40, closing at 20:00**

Tea and Coffee/Mince Pies from 18:00

You will hear from current Board Chairs and members about their experience and from the Scottish Government Public Appointments Team about the process. Speakers include Amanda Bryan, Board Chair of Crown Estate Scotland (Interim Management), George Walker, Board Chair of the Scottish Housing Regulator, Dr Kate Broughton, Board member of Scottish Natural Heritage and Dr Martin Toye, Board member of Scottish Children's Reporter Administration.

Book your place via [EventBrite](#) or the [Scottish Public Appointments Facebook](#) page by Friday 1 December 2017.

The venue is wheelchair accessible and has an Induction loop. Should you require further assistance or you have any questions about the event, please contact robert.boyter@gov.scot

Many of us do not realise how much we have to offer so even if you are not sure the boardroom is for you, please do come along and learn more. All welcome!