



The Director's role in supporting ALL's governance

The Association's Director is the most senior member of paid ALL staff.

The Director sits on the Management Board in an ex-officio role. The Director is line managed by the Chair of the Management Board and reports into the Board, whilst maintaining day to day responsibility for leading and managing ALL, with delegated authority from the Trustees.

The Director supports the Chair in drafting the agendas for each of the Management Board meetings, which take place four times a year. Matters for discussion are often generated by members raising issues or concerns, or items referred from the ALL Council, as well as developmental, business and standing items.

Likewise, the Director supports the presidential team and the Honorary Membership Officer to draft agendas for the two Council meetings held every year, which include opportunities to report back matters from the Management Board, updates on initiatives, developments in members' services and feedback from members of the Association. There is usually a half day every meeting dedicated to fostering constructive debate on current issues, trends, suggested.