



British Society for Surgery of the Hand

APPLICATION FOR FULL MEMBERSHIP

Surname	
Forenames (in full):	
Title:	Male/Female:
Nationality:	
Date of Birth:	

Addresses	
Home:	Hospital:
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Fax No:	Fax No:
Correspondence Address? (<i>circle only one</i>)	Home / Hospital

Qualifications (with dates and awarding bodies):

Post held and Hospital Details:
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Previous Relevant Hand Training (with names of trainers and duration of attachments):
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Current Hand Surgery Commitment:	
Out-Patient Sessions (per week):	Theatre Sessions (per week):
Overall percentage of clinical time related to hand surgery:	

Hand Surgery Publications and Presentations (to this or other Societies):
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Signature of Applicant:

Sponsors	
Proposer:	Signature:
Secunder:	Signature:

DATA PROTECTION ACT:

The Society mailing list will be held in accordance with the Data Protection Act 1998. It will be available to all Royal Surgical Colleges, relevant Specialist Associations and any other bodies who may be running appropriate conferences, courses or clinical research projects. This is only for the organisational activity of the B.S.S.H. and will always be in the legitimate interest of the membership. Any request for a mailing list from one of these bodies will be assessed, and only where it is appropriate will any information be divulged. At no time will any data be disclosed for commercial purposes.

I consent to my records being held in this manner to be released in accordance with this statement.

Signed _____ Date _____

RULES OF MEMBERSHIP

Members and Overseas Members

Members and Overseas Members shall be registered medical practitioners of consultant or equivalent status, and permanently established surgeons, who have given evidence of satisfactory scientific and practical attainments in Hand Surgery, and practitioners in allied disciplines of medicine who are interested in the hand.

The Council of the BSSH is keen to involve the members in more BSSH activities. It is felt that a better understanding of the particular talents and interests of each new member of the Society would be useful in this respect. Therefore, in addition to their full curriculum vitae, applicants should include a separate page with their membership application, outlining their main interest in hand/upper limb surgery.

ELECTION OF MEMBERS AND ASSOCIATES

Candidates for membership shall be sponsored by two Members of the Society. Their names shall be sent to the Honorary Secretary for consideration by the Council. The names of those deemed suitable shall be submitted to a General Meeting for election. If a poll is demanded, a majority of two-thirds of those Members present shall be required.

THIS FORM SHOULD BE COMPLETED AND RETURNED TO THE HONORARY SECRETARY WITH A COPY OF YOUR CURRICULUM VITAE AND A SEPARATE PAGE, INDICATING YOUR MAIN INTEREST IN HAND/UPPER LIMB SURGERY:

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