

## Awards Panel - Scientific/Clinical members

## **Person Specification**

Applications are sought from committed UK-based researchers and/or healthcare professionals who have relevant experience and expertise to join our Awards Panel. You will be joining a diverse panel of people who either have scientific or medical expertise of Inflammatory Bowel Disease (IBD) or are directly affected by IBD. Your role will be to review grant applications submitted to us and participate in our Awards Panel meetings to discuss which applications should be recommended for funding to our Research Strategy and Funding Committee. Find out more about our research funding process.

As it is not possible for the membership of the Awards Panel to reflect all the relevant areas of expertise, members are expected to contribute to discussions using their own experience and have the ability to assimilate views from multiple different areas of expertise.

Scientific Expert members of the Awards Panel will be expected to fulfil the following criteria:

- Commitment to the mission and values of Crohn's & Colitis UK and to ensure that research funded aligns closely with the Charity's research strategy.
- Have a broad understanding of the IBD research landscape or other relevant discipline such as data science.
- Be an advocate for the work of Crohn's & Colitis UK and the research it funds.
- An awareness of the grant funding and peer review process and associated governance.
- Experienced in their field of research, either through clinical practice (including the allied health professions) or in a university.
- Willingness to devote the necessary time and effort.
- Success in obtaining research grants/awards.
- Experience in reviewing funding applications and/or research manuscripts.
- Discretion in handling confidential information.

Members will have a Term on the Panel of 3 years, with an opportunity to extend for another 3 years.