



BF Disciplinary Panel

1. Purpose of Document

Under the Disciplinary and Grievance Code of British Fencing, the BF Board appoints individuals to the Disciplinary Panel. It is from this Panel that Disciplinary Committees are drawn to hear matters which are referred under the Code. BF is looking to increase the number of members of the Disciplinary Panel to ensure that there are sufficient numbers of independent members available to hear such cases.

As such, the Board is inviting applications for membership of the Disciplinary Panel. Panel members do not need to be members of BF neither do they need to be legally qualified but should be able to demonstrate experience in any or all of the following:-

1. An understanding of the disciplinary process of BF or other similar organisations;
2. Experience as a committee member of disciplinary bodies for other organisations;
3. An understanding of the governance of BF;
4. An understanding of the rules of fencing in so far as they apply to matters contemplated by the Code;
5. Experience in dealing with disciplinary matters arising from Child Protection or Safe Guarding Issues; and/or;
6. Experience in presenting or defending matters either in litigation or in disciplinary hearings.

If you are interested in applying for the role, please supply a CV and covering letter to headoffice@britishfencing.com.

Successful applicants will be appointed for terms to end at the conclusion of the third AGM of BF after their appointment but may be eligible for reappointment.