



# THE ROLE OF THE TRUSTEE/BOARD MEMBER IN THE THIRD SECTOR

**4 September - Dumfries, 13 September - Edinburgh  
20 September - Aberdeen, 25 October - Stirling**

## The Workshop

With levels of public scrutiny reaching new levels, customer demand growing and funding ever tighter, IoD Scotland and ACOSVO, with support from the Scottish Government, are delivering this full day course examining the specific role required of Trustees and Board Members of bodies in the Third Sector.

## Who Should Attend?

Exploring how Board members need to fulfil their role and maximise the value they bring, this session is primarily designed for Third Sector Board members who want to strengthen their contribution or understand how to help improve their Board's oversight and governance performance. Those who are thinking about joining a Board will also find it useful in exploring what they need to know as well as what they can bring to the board.

## Workshop Content

- Overview of the particular legal and constitutional position of Boards
- The roles and responsibilities of Board Members/Trustees
- What does Corporate Governance mean?
- Examining the practicalities of oversight and delivery - challenge versus support
- Delivering value as a volunteer Board Member/Trustee
- Building a strong Board – dynamics, teamwork and assessment

## Workshop Benefits

You will have a deeper appreciation of the specific demands on a Board Member in the Third sector and will take away a range of concepts, tools and techniques to help you perform your role. The session will also guide thinking to improve your Board performance enabling it to function more effectively.

*"As an IoD member with Board experience, I very much welcomed the opportunity to participate with my Trustee hat in this excellent IoD initiative. Apart from being an excellent refresher on Governance & Board Roles, it provided new learnings for me with some very appropriate take-aways and some useful introductions too."*



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## Workshop Tutor

The day will run from 9am to 5pm and be led by **David C Watt** – Executive Director of the IoD in Scotland and an experienced Board member in the Third Sector having served on a variety of boards over the last 20 years. A guest speaker will also be in attendance.

## Costs

- IoD Members- £150 ex VAT
- Non IoD Members - £195 ex VAT

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*"I found the workshop informative and enlightening. Interesting to meet others and hear their experiences and some of the similarities. Time well spent."*