Role Descriptions

Region Chair

- Decides the means for implementation of the Institution’s international objectives with other members of the International Strategy Board.
- Acts as a spokesperson for the Region at board level.
- The Region Chair holds the position for three years and is voted/elected through the guidance of the International Strategy Board (ISB) and the Institution.
- The Regional Chair is required to report to the ISB up to three times a year to provide feedback on the activities and development within that Region.
- The Regional Chair, together with the Branch and Group Chair where applicable, is required to collate an annual budget request from IMechE Headquarters to carry out IMechE activities/events for the following year.
- The Chair may recommend a sub-structure for the Region dependent on geographical location and quantity of members.
- The Chair may also recommend the formation of a committee or chapter, dependent on the number of members within the geographical location.
- The Chair has a casting vote within the Region.

Region Young Member (YM) Representative

- In conjunction with the Region Chair, decides the means for implementation of the Institution’s international objectives with other members of the International Strategy Board.
- Acts as a spokesperson for the young members of the Region at board level.
- The Region YM Representative holds the position for three years and is voted/elected through the guidance of the ISB and the Institution.
- In all cases the YM Representative works in conjunction with the Chair on a Regional level.
- The Region YM Representative is required to report to the International Young Members Committee (IYMC) to provide feedback on the activities and development within that Region.
- The YM Representative together with the Region Chair (where applicable) is required to collate an annual budget request for submission to IMechE headquarters to carry out IMechE activities/events for the following year.
- The YM Representative may recommend a sub-structure for the Region dependent on geographical location and quantity of members.
- The YM Representative may also recommend a committee or chapter, dependent on the number of members within the geographical location as well as the formation of a student chapter.