

RSGB Presidential Elections 2021

These are the two candidates standing for election as the RSGB President. Voting information is on page 23.



Dr Stewart Bryant, G3YSX

Curriculum Vitae: I am a current member of the RSGB Board, and have served in various Board roles for eight years. Throughout most of this time I have been the BLM for what is now known as the Operating Delivery Team. I have also been a member of the RSGB Audit and Publications Committees and am a technical reviewer in the Technical Forum. I helped to launch the RSGB Tonight@8 series, and have run the Construction Contest for the last eight years. I work as a research consultant on Internet technologies, and as a Visiting Professor at University of Surrey.

Personal Statement: Being President of the RSGB is a role not to be undertaken lightly. The President has duties and responsibilities to members with a multitude of amateur radio interests and social circumstances, as well as to the staff and volunteers that deliver the RSGB services, to the RSGB business provides the resources to deliver these services, and also to external bodies both within the UK and abroad.

The RSGB has responsibility to both continue to support the traditional amateur radio interests, and to innovate and develop amateur radio and RSGB services for the future, using modern methods and technologies.

The RSGB has evolved during the covid pandemic with particular care being taken to support the mental health of UK radio amateurs. It innovated the online exams that have attracted 4000 new amateurs, provided numerous online talks, and provided a series of short contests to provide enjoyment for many amateurs unable to leave home. It is the duty of the RSGB President to inspire and lead the Society to build from this starting point to deliver even better service to RSGB members and radio amateurs in the UK as a whole.

I hope that RSGB members will entrust me to lead the society as its President to build on the good work that has been done by so many RSGB volunteers and staff so as to develop world leading amateur radio services. I in turn will do my utmost to serve the RSGB to the best of my ability during my tenure.

Nominators

Mr L Paget, GMOONX
Mr T I P Trew, G8JXV
Mr D P Wilde, MOWID
Mr A W Sheppard, M1YAP
Mr K Evans, G3VKW
Dr M Chamberlain, G3WPH
Mr M Davies, GOKAD

Mr R Drinkwater, G3ZIY
Mr M F V Senior, G4EFO
Mr A P R Watt, G3ZBU
Mr A Smith, G7FWE
Mr R J Powell, G3OGP
Mr A Boyd, G4LRP
Mr N Thrower, G3YSW

Mr T Miles, MM0TMZ
Mr M J Niman, G6JYB
Dr B Minnis, MOKGW
Mr I E Shepherd, G4EVK
Mr J Pitty, G4PEO
Mr A Talbot, G4JNT
Mr N Totterdell, G4FAL

Mr D V Wilson, M00BW
Mr R Hadfield, G4ANN
Dr M J Underhill, G3LHZ
Mr D Beattie, G3BJ



Simone Wilson, M0BOX

Curriculum Vitae: 2018 – Current – Part Time Technical Advisor, Barber Wilsons & Co Ltd.
1994 - 2018 – Managing Director, Barber Wilsons & Co Ltd.
1986-1994 Principal Engineer (CAD) Intergraph (UK) Ltd.
2008 – Current RSGB CC Adjudicator
2019-2019 – RSGB Director
2018 – Present – Presenter at Cambridge 105 Radio and TMCR FM (N.E. Doncaster) Community Radio Stations.

Personal Statement: My love of radio was given to me by my Grandmother when we would sit together and tune her SW broadcast radio to listen to stations from around the world. My "Class B" call G6BOX was issued in March 1981. M0BOX was issued in the final tranche of 12wpm callsigns.

I have a deep love of contesting and have served the society as an adjudicator as well as several years for BARTG. Data modes are my thing thanks to my son. He and I would contest together as he loved the marriage of computers and radio but would never use a mic. I have been a member of several contest groups and general clubs with an active contesting team. I am currently a member of the Cambridge Repeater Group and the Cambs-Hams. I've also helped radio marshal various scouting walks over the years also working on special event stations. I enjoy working in the various teams formed for these activities, the social aspect of the hobby makes it so much more enjoyable.

I love to give back to things that I get enjoyment from, hence the volunteer work I do. Radio has been one of two lifelong passions, I wish to continue to help in our hobby, and bringing my work experience to bear, to see it flourish into the future.

Nominators

Mr A Mace, MOMUX
Mr. J S Sawyer, MOJSX
Mr D Miller, RS333812
Mr M B Apperly, G6FSU
Mr B Harrison, M0BTZ
Mr F Handscombe, G4BWP
Mr R Offer, G1ZJP

Mr M Turner, G7LEU
Mr M D Cabban, G0XDI
Mr R Burlingame-Goff, G4FON
Mr D Flanagan, GW4ZAR
Mr M J Tubby, G8TIC
Mr J Ampstead, M7JEZ
Mr J Spurgeon, G4LKD

Mr R Evered, G2RE
Mr R G Titterington, G3ORY
Mrs J Goodey, G6XSY
Mr I W N Pawson, G0FCT
Mr L Micallef, M0LCM
Mr S P White, G3ZVW
Mr J Gascoigne, M5ET

Mr R M Chipperfield, MOVFC
Mr T Hill, 2E0FUV
Mr I R J Aldereton, G6IZA
Mr R J Cooke, G3LDI