

## College of Experts – Technical Members

**Vacancy title:** College of Experts – Technical Members

**Hours:** Variable, depending on activity level of funding applications and other research activities.

**Salary:** Unremunerated. Versus Arthritis will pay for reasonable out-of-pocket expenses in line with the Charity's expense policy.

**Contract type:** 3 years.

**Closing date:** Applications are being accepted on a rolling basis

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### About the role

The Versus Arthritis College of Experts (CoE) was created to widen the range of available and committed expertise on Research Funding Panels and Expert Committees. This includes inputting expertise and insight from your respective area to review research funding proposals. There will also be opportunity to take part in insight workshops and panels from time to time.

We are seeking professionals with scientific, clinical, health and research expertise as well as other non-research specialisations including health and social care professionals, policy and public-sector and industry as appropriate to join our College of Experts as members, to engage with the charity on matters related to the review of funding applications. We are particularly interested in professionals with translational research, MedTech and other commercial expertise in applying.

### Key requirements

To be successful in the role, you will be committed to Versus Arthritis values as well as having:

- Expertise and knowledge of, or a willingness to attend training for, reviewing academic research proposals
- Diplomacy and great people skills with the ability to work closely with other members of the Review Panels and Charity staff
- Willingness to engage with other activities related to research from time to time as defined by the charity.

### To apply, please submit:

1. A comprehensive CV.
2. A supporting statement summarising your skills and experience for each of the key requirements above.

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