

The Trustees have pleasure in presenting the Annual Report and Accounts for the year ended 31 March 2020.

Charity name

Edinburgh University of the Third Age known as Edinburgh U3A.

Charity number

SCO20301

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Trustees at the date of agreement of the Annual Report

Bruce Cowan	Acting Chair, Internal Communications	Elected 2016/19
Ann Keating	Vice-Chair	Re-elected 2018
Kathryn Wrench	Secretary	Elected 2017
Hugh Young	Treasurer	Re-elected 2019
Louise Grimm	Groups Co-ordinator	Elected 2019
Jane Garrett	Groups Co-ordinator	Elected 2018
Doreen Barr	Groups Co-ordinator	Elected 2018
Keith Guy	Groups Co-ordinator	Co-opted 2019
Joanna Morris	Groups Co-ordinator	Re-elected 2018
Ann Ryan	Membership Secretary	Re-elected 2018
Andrew Robertson	Technical Officer	Elected 2017
Sheila Harvey	New Members Secretary	Elected 2018
Chris Newman	Website Manager	Re-elected 2019
Patrick Leach	External Communications Officer	Elected 2019
Jenny Clarke	Assistant Treasurer	Elected 2019

Other Trustees during the financial year

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Anthony Trewavas	External Communications Officer	Re-elected 2018		
Karyn Costa	Chair	Elected 2019		

Karyn Costa moved away from Edinburgh, and Bruce Cowan replaced her as acting Chair until June 2020.

Ann Keating became Scottish Representative on the Third Age Trust and was replaced as Groups Co-ordinator by Keith Guy. She remains as Vice-Chair.

Anthony Trewavas resigned from the Committee as External Relations Officer.

Structure, Governance & Management

Edinburgh U3A is an unincorporated association which was granted charitable status by the Office of the Scottish Charities Registrar in 1992. It is governed by the constitution which was adopted in 1992 and last amended in October 2018. The Committee is responsible for the strategy, policies, management, administration, and control of the affairs and resources of Edinburgh U3A. Membership of the Committee is open to all members of Edinburgh U3A. The U3A is affiliated to the Third Age Trust which provides guidance and support, training and common services.

Trustee Recruitment and Appointment

Committee members serve a term of three years and can offer themselves for re-election for one second term. New Committee members are elected at the Annual General Meeting in June each year and the Committee may co-opt a further 2 members during the year to meet any identified needs. Committee members have collective responsibility for all decisions and meet formally at least 10 times a year. All members of the Committee are Trustees of the charity.