*Completion of this form is optional.*

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| **Equal opportunities in governance appointments** |
| The National Trust is committed to ensuring that all applicants are treated fairly regardless of age, disability, gender reassignment, marriage and civil partnership, pregnancy and maternity, race, religion and belief, sex or sexual orientation. We therefore welcome applications from all sections of the community.To help us monitor our performance, we invite all applicants for governance appointments to complete relevant parts of this page. Completing this form is optional with the information treated as confidential and used solely for monitoring purposes. We separate this page on receipt of your application before your application is considered. This form will not be shown to the interview panel. |
| Position applied for:  | **2017 Elections to the National Trust Council**  |
| **How did you hear about this position?** |
| Internet and social mediaCharity jobsNED on board Do it Third sector NCVO | Heritage Link TelegraphNT LinkedIn NT FacebookNI Jobs Jobs Wales | Women on boardsEven breakThe VoiceDiversity jobsOther (pls state) ………………….. |
| InternalMyVolunteeringVCeye |  Via volunteer or member of staff  Information at property  | Other (pls state)………………….. |
| OtherE-newsletter to members | Email to Regional Supporter Group  | Other (pls state)………………….. |
| **Ethnic origin** |
| Asian Bangladeshi Asian IndianAsian Other Asian PakistaniBlack African | Black CaribbeanOther BlackChinese ArabMixed | Not statedOther White British White otherPrefer not to say |
| **Gender** |
|  Male  | Female  |   |
| **Gender identity** |
|  Man (including trans man)  |  Other gender identity (e.g. androgyne person) |
|  Woman (including trans woman |  Prefer not to say |
| **Sexual orientation** |
| Bi-sexual  | Gay man | Gay woman  |
| Heterosexual / straight  | Prefer not to say  |   |
| **Disability** |
| Do you have a disability as defined by the Equality Act 2010? |
|  No |  Yes (pls state) ……………………………………………….. |  Prefer not to say |
| BlindDeafHard of hearingLearning disability | Long term or life limiting illnessMental Health issueOther | Partially sightedPhysical disabilityPrefer not to say |
| If ‘yes’, please give brief details of the effects of your disability on your day-to-day activities, and any other information that you feel would help us to accommodate your needs and thus meet our obligations under the Equality Act 2010. A disability in no way precludes you from consideration for a position and the Trust wishes to assist and support applicants with a disability through the recruitment process. |
| **Age** |
|  24 and under |  25-34 |  35-44 |  45-54 |  55-64 |  65+ |  Prefer not to say |
| **Religion** |
| Christian (all denominations)BuddhistHindu | MuslimSikhNo religion | OtherPrefer not to say |

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| **Northern Ireland only** |
| Regardless of whether you practice a religion, most people in Northern Ireland are seen as either Catholic or Protestant. We are therefore asking you to indicate your community background by ticking the appropriate box below. |
| □ | I am a member of the Roman Catholic community | □ | I am a member of the Protestant community | □ | I am neither a member of the Roman Catholic or Protestant Community | □ Prefer not to say |
| If you do not complete this section, we are encouraged to use the “residuary” method, which means that we have to make a determination on the basis of personal information provided in the application form. |