

THE ROYAL COLLEGE OF PSYCHIATRISTS

COLLEGE ELECTIONS 2020-2021

CLOSE OF VOTING: 12PM ON 13 JANUARY 2021

CONTEST: Election of Dean

The election was conducted using the single transferable vote electoral system.

The following candidate was elected:

ELECTED
Professor Subodh DAVE

Number of eligible voters		15,268
Votes cast by post:	9	
Votes cast online:	3,755	
Total number of votes cast:		3,764
Turnout:		24.7%
Number of votes found to be blank in respect to this contest:		87
Total number of valid votes to be counted:		3,677

CONTEST: Election of Treasurer

The election was conducted using the single transferable vote electoral system.

The following candidate was elected:

ELECTED
Professor John CRICHTON

Number of eligible voters		15,268
Votes cast by post:	9	
Votes cast online:	3,755	
Total number of votes cast:		3,764
Turnout:		24.7%
Number of votes found to be blank in respect to this contest:		493
Total number of valid votes to be counted:		3,271

CONTEST: Child and Adolescent Faculty – Chair

The election was conducted using the single transferable vote electoral system.

The following candidate was elected:

ELECTED
Dr Elaine LOCKHART

Number of eligible voters		3,300
Votes cast by post:	3	
Votes cast online:	640	
Total number of votes cast:		643
Turnout:		19.5%
Number of votes found to be blank in respect to this contest:		85
Total number of valid votes to be counted:		558

CONTEST: Child and Adolescent Faculty – Vice-Chair

The election was conducted using the single transferable vote electoral system.

The following candidate was elected:

ELECTED
Professor Alka S AHUJA

Number of eligible voters		3,300
Votes cast by post:	3	
Votes cast online:	640	
Total number of votes cast:		643
Turnout:		19.5%
Number of votes found to be blank in respect to this contest:		147
Total number of valid votes to be counted:		496

CONTEST: General Adult Faculty - Executive Committee Member

The election was conducted using the single transferable vote electoral system.

The following candidates were elected (in order of election):

ELECTED		
Professor Sonia JOHNSON		
Dr Joanne FARROW		
Dr Joan RUTHERFORD		
Dr Jeya BALAKRISHNA		
Dr Clare Louise MORGANS		
Dr Mudasir FIRDOSI		
Dr Mosun FAPOHUNDA		
Dr Tim ALNUAMAANI		

Number of eligible voters		8,316
Votes cast by post:	3	
Votes cast online:	1,838	
Total number of votes cast:		1,841
Turnout:		22.1%
Number of votes found to be blank in respect to this contest:		276
Total number of valid votes to be counted:		1,565

CONTEST: Liaison Faculty - Executive Committee Member

The election was conducted using the single transferable vote electoral system.

The following candidates were elected (in order of election):

ELECTED		
Professor Liz SAMPSON		
Dr Chloe BEALE		
Dr Amrit E SACHAR		
Dr Isabel MCMULLEN		
Dr Sanjukta DAS		
Dr Murray SMITH		
Dr Mutaz HUSSAIN		

Number of eligible voters		4,246
Votes cast by post:	0	
Votes cast online:	999	
Total number of votes cast:		999
Turnout:		23.5%
Number of votes found to be blank in respect to this contest:		252
Total number of valid votes to be counted:		747

CONTEST: RCPsych in Northern Ireland - Vice-Chair

The election was conducted using the single transferable vote electoral system.

The following candidate was elected:

ELECTED
Dr Stephen MOORE

Number of eligible voters		360
Votes cast by post:	1	
Votes cast online:	121	
Total number of votes cast:		122
Turnout:		33.9%
Number of votes found to be blank in respect to this contest:		0
Total number of valid votes to be counted:		122

CONTEST: Eastern Division - Executive Committee Member

The election was conducted using the single transferable vote electoral system.

The following candidates were elected (in order of election):

ELECTED
Dr Sepehr HAFIZI
Dr Praveen Kumar GANDAMANENI

Number of eligible voters		836
Votes cast by post:	1	
Votes cast online:	255	
Total number of votes cast:		256
Turnout:		30.6%
Number of votes found to be blank in respect to this contest:		41
Total number of valid votes to be counted:		215

CONTEST: South Eastern Division - Chair

The election was conducted using the single transferable vote electoral system.

The following candidate was elected:

ELECTED
Professor Rafey FARUQUI

Number of eligible voters		1,419
Votes cast by post:	1	
Votes cast online:	305	
Total number of votes cast:		306
Turnout:		21.6%
Number of votes found to be blank in respect to this contest:		39
Total number of valid votes to be counted:		267

CONTEST: Middle Eastern Division - Chair

*The election was conducted using the single transferable vote electoral system.
The following candidate was elected:*

ELECTED
Dr Ovais WADOO

Number of eligible voters		222
Votes cast by post:	0	
Votes cast online:	90	
Total number of votes cast:		90
Turnout:		40.5%
Number of votes found to be blank in respect to this contest:		5
Total number of valid votes to be counted:		85

CONTEST: South Asian Division - Chair

*The election was conducted using the single transferable vote electoral system.
The following candidate was elected:*

ELECTED
Dr T Manoj KUMAR

Number of eligible voters		316
Votes cast by post:	0	
Votes cast online:	89	
Total number of votes cast:		89
Turnout:		28.2%
Number of votes found to be blank in respect to this contest:		3
Total number of valid votes to be counted:		86

CONTEST: Volunteering & International SIG - Chair

The election was conducted using the single transferable vote electoral system.

The following candidate was elected:

ELECTED	
Dr Anis AHMED	

Number of eligible voters		2,293
Votes cast by post:	0	
Votes cast online:	605	
Total number of votes cast:		605
Turnout:		26.4%
Number of votes found to be blank in respect to this contest:		137
Total number of valid votes to be counted:		468

The result sheets for each election form the Appendix to this report. They detail:-

- the quota required for election
- each candidate's voting figures, and
- the stage at which successful candidates were elected.

Civica Election Services can confirm that, as far as reasonably practicable, every person whose name appeared on the electoral roll supplied to us for the purpose of the ballot:-

- a) was sent the details of the ballot and
- b) if they chose to participate in the ballot, had their vote fairly and accurately recorded.

All voting material will be stored for twelve months.

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