

# International Glaciological Society British Branch

## Statutes

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1. The British Branch of the International Glaciological Society shall consist of members of the International Glaciological Society resident in the British Isles or Channel Islands. The Objects of the Branch shall be:
  - a. To stimulate interest in and encourage research into the scientific and technical problems of snow and ice in the British Isles and/or studies led by researchers based in the British Isles;
  - b. To facilitate and increase the flow of glaciological ideas and information;
  - c. To sponsor lectures, field meetings and symposia in accordance with Rule 2 of the Society's constitution.
2. The officers of the Branch shall consist of a President, a Vice-President, a Secretary, a Treasurer, and an Early-Career Representative, all elected by members present at a meeting of the Branch. At least 4 weeks' notice must be given of such a meeting, and the Officers shall arrange at least one meeting per year, which may however take place simultaneously with a meeting of the International Glaciological Society if such a meeting is held within the British Isles or Channel Islands. The President and Vice-President shall serve two-year terms of office. The Vice-President shall ex-officio become President for the ensuing term. The Secretary, Treasurer, and Early-Career Representative posts will cover initial terms of 2 years, and thereafter be eligible for re-election. The Early-Career Representative will also be an active member of the Early-Career Glaciology Group of the International Glaciological Society.
3. The Committee of the Branch shall consist of the officers of the Branch, the immediate past President and any members of the Branch on the Council of the International Glaciological Society. The Committee shall assist the Officers in the arrangement of the annual meeting and in any other activities consistent with the Objects of the Branch.
4. The Branch may levy a subscription to cover the office expenses of the Branch; such subscription shall be determined by the Committee. If a subscription is levied, accounts of the Branch shall be presented to the annual meeting.
5. The Committee of the Branch shall be subject to the constitution of the International Glaciological Society, and have full powers to deal with any matter affecting the Branch that is not provided for in the Statutes.