# TRUSTEE APPLICATION FORM

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| 1. Membership status
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| **Name:** …………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………….**Membership status:** [ ]  Organisational member  Organisation name: …………………………………………………………………………………………………………. [ ]  Individual [ ]  Associate [ ]  Corporate [ ]  Tenant**Your erosh network:**[ ]  Berks & Oxfordshire [ ]  Kent [ ]  London [ ]  Midlands[ ]  North West [ ]  Sussex [ ]  West of England [ ]  Northern Ireland[ ]  South Wales [ ]  There isn’t a network convenient for me  |
| 1. Contact details
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| 1. About you
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| **Tell us why you are interested in becoming a Trustee:**…………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………….....…………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………….....…………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………….....…………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………….....…………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………….....…………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………….....…………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………….....……………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………..... |
| **Tell us about the particular knowledge, skills and experience you would bring to our board:**…………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………….....…………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………….....…………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………….....…………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………….....…………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………….....…………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………….....…………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………….....…………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………….....……………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………..... |
| **Tell us about any previous experience you have in relation to the following:****Other boards/committees:** …………………………………………………………………………………………………….…………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………….....…………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………….....…………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………….....…………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………….....**Older people:** …………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………..…………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………….....…………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………….....…………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………….....…………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………….....**Social housing:** ……………………………………………………………………………………………………………………….…………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………….....…………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………….....…………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………….....…………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………….....**Other related sectors e.g. health/social care:** ………………………………………………………………………. …………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………….....…………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………….....…………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………….....…………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………….....…………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………….....**Other relevant experience you would like to tell us about:** …………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………….....…………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………….....…………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………….....…………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………….....…………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………….....…………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………….....…………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………….....…………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………….....…………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………….....…………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………….....……………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………..... |
| **Please check the box if you have experience in any of the following in particular:**[ ]  Care sector [ ]  Chairing [ ]  Charities/Charity Commission [ ]  Community development [ ]  Event management [ ]  Finance/accounting [ ]  Fundraising [ ]  Health sector [ ]  Human resources [ ]  People management [ ]  Policy/research [ ]  Private retirement housing  [ ]  Public health [ ]  PR/marketing [ ]  Social care [ ]  Sheltered housing [ ]  Tenant/resident/service user involvement [ ]  Training/staff development [ ]  Web/design management  |
| 1. Other (please check the relevant boxes)
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| **Conflict of interest**[ ]  I confirm that to my knowledge there is no conflict of interest in relation to this role.[ ]  There is a potential conflict of interest I would like to draw your attention to but this should not impact on my role as a trustee. Details: ………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………….....…………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………….....…………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………….....**Role description**[ ]  I have read the trustees ‘information pack’ and understand what the role involves.**Commitment**[ ]  I understand the time commitment involved and responsibility to attend trustee meetings.[ ]  (If employed) I confirm that my employer is happy to let me attend trustee meetings. |
| 1. Eligibility declaration
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| Some people are disqualified by law from acting as trustees, including anyone described in sections 178 to 180 of the [**Charities Act 2011**](http://www.legislation.gov.uk/ukpga/2011/25/contents). This includes:* anyone with an unspent conviction for an offence involving deception or dishonesty
* anyone who is an undischarged bankrupt
* anyone who has been removed from trusteeship of a charity by the Court or the commission for misconduct or mismanagement
* anyone under a disqualification order under the Company Directors Disqualification Act 1986
* anyone who has entered into a composition or arrangement with their creditors which includes an individual voluntary arrangement (IVA), and is currently on the Insolvency Service Register

Click [**here**](https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/finding-new-trustees-cc30/finding-new-trustees) for more information.Therefore, in accordance with the Charity Commission’s requirements, we need to ensure you are qualified to act as a trustee. **Please respond to the following questions then sign and date your declaration.**Are you over the age of 18 years? Yes [ ]  No [ ] Are you an undischarged bankrupt? Yes [ ]  No [ ] Have you previously been removed from trusteeship of a charity by a Court or the Charity Commission? Yes [ ]  No [ ]  Are you under a disqualification order under the Company Directors’ Disqualification Act 1986? Yes [ ]  No [ ] Have you been convicted of an offence involving deception or dishonesty (unless the conviction is spent)? Yes [ ]  No [ ] Do you understand the duties of a trustee and feel able to fulfil them? Yes [ ]  No [ ] ***I declare that, to the best of my knowledge, the information I have provided is complete and true. I understand that if I say or write anything that is not true or is misleading, or if I leave out something important, I may not be offered the opportunity to become a Trustee with erosh, or I may be asked to resign if I have already been appointed.*****Signed:** …………………………………………………………………………. **Date:** ……………………………………….… |

Please return your completed form to Kate Chapman at **info@erosh.co.uk**

**If you would like to discuss the role further or have any questions, please contact:**

Rebecca Mollart, Chief Executive – 01446 679524 / 07803 176957

Or current chair, Robin Deane on 01424 728200 / 07703 200253