The Music Therapy Charity

Research Committee

Terms of Reference

The Research Committee

1. is a subcommittee of the Board of Governors of the MTC and reports to this Board at their meetings
2. advises the Board on all Research matters
3. is chaired by a member elected from the Board
4. has two other Board members
5. has also the Chairman and Treasurer of the MTC as *ex officio* members
6. has power to co-opt others (e.g. heads of MT schools) for consultation.
7. selects, and monitors the progress of, the Research Fellow(s)
8. vets, prioritises and ranks all research funding applications, including small grants within the annual budget (currently £15,000) and larger projects which will be supported by separate fundraising
9. aims to be available for consultation with schools and individuals
10. aims to promote and support evidence-based research, education and practice
11. draws up transparent policies for the support and assessment of research
12. is funded by the Board for its running expenses