

Candidates Nominated for Election at the 138th SCI Annual General Meeting

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Prof Kenneth Clive Thompson

Chief Scientist ALS UK (Food Pharmaceutical, Water). ALS is a large contract laboratory organization with (13,000 staff) 300+ locations in 50+ countries. Very large network of worldwide contacts (~ 3,000) in private industry; public & regulatory organisations and academia. Fellow of 5 professional organisations: - RSC; CIWEM; IFST; WMSoc and RSPH. Heavy involvement with BSI, ISO and CEN. In 2015, received a Distinguished Service Certificate from British Standards RAE appointed (2018) Visiting Professor (VP) of Water Engineering at the University of East London (UEL). Previously a VP at Queen Mary, Brunel and Sheffield Hallam Universities. Links with many other Universities.

Aims for SCI:

- ▶ Improve member involvement.
- ▶ Encourage E-members to become full active SCI members. Currently, many E-members boost SCI member numbers, but are virtually inactive. Set up a UEL SCI student group and then, if successful, at some other universities.
- ▶ Organise more regional events including evening events to try and improve outside-London member active participation.
- ▶ Organise some really high profile large controversial conferences together with other professional bodies such as RSC; CIWEM; IFST; WMSoc and RSPH. (E.g. Handling water emergencies; Efficacy of nutraceuticals: Benefits minimal effects or actual adverse effects? Emerging contaminant risks: Are they all significant? etc.)

SCI Member for 25 years. Active member of the EHS; Food; SEG and YHG groups; BoT member from 2011 to 2018 Holder of the 2003 Society of Chemical Industry Environmental Medal.

Closely involved with the organization of many successful SCI one and multi-day national and international conferences often in conjunction with other professional bodies. (e.g. For a series of five SCI/RSC joint events see: <http://pubs.rsc.org/bookshop/bookset/978-1-78262-442-4>)

Involvement in a significant number of SCI initiatives over the last 25 years. Currently trying to set up SCI links with University of East London.

There are two options for voting this year:

1. Voting by post
2. Online voting

Monday 24 June
Wednesday 26 June