

## **Membership Report – Louise Dodson**

The membership continues to grow retaining members across both public and private sectors. The membership currently stands at over 400 members and with the introduction of the new website we anticipate this to grow during 2021.

The new website has been developed to help with a seamless renewal process for indiviual and corporate members. It has a host of functions to keep you up to date with information about the status of your membership with automatically generated communications and invoices.

Within the new website a new function has been developed for our corporate members, it now enables us to assign a lead member. We will communicate with you on this in the coming weeks, if we don't already know who this is. Once we have set that up, the lead contact can alter and manage the people within their team, removing and inviting new members to join. All new members continue to be authorised by the membership committee.

On the whole the membership details appear to be upto date with very few journals being returned due to out of date addresses. However please can you check the details we have for you within your online account is correct so that we can make sure you receive any emails and postal items. An important point to note, if you do want to continue to receive communcations from us, please can you click the (happy to receive a newsletter) box within your account.

We are pleased to confirm that membership fees once again remain at £60 with a modest discount for multiple member organisations.

For any help or further information, please do not hesitate to contact me: <a href="mailto:louise.dodson@uk-afi.org">louise.dodson@uk-afi.org</a>

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