

Cross-Party Group Registration Form

Name of Cross-Party Group
Cross-Party Group on LGBTI+
Purpose of The Group and Proposed Discussion Topics <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Please state the purpose of the Group.2. Please also provide a brief explanation of the purpose of the Group and why the purpose is in the public interest.3. Please also provide details of any overlaps with the purpose of existing Cross-Party Groups and an explanation of why, regardless of any such overlap, the Group should be established.4. Please also provide an indication of the topics which the Group anticipates discussing in the forthcoming 12 months.
<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. The purpose: The purpose of the group is to promote and discuss issues of importance to the LGBTI+ community in Scotland with a view to helping make their lives better.2. The purpose and public interest: This CPG engages on public and legislative issues that affect the LGBTI+ community in Scotland, for that reason it is of significant public interest. This is an opportunity to bring together various MSPs, third sector people and charities into one place to discuss a wide umbrella of issues which affect this community specifically. This is with a view to helping promote their various causes and looking at pending legislation in the Parliament with a view to ensuring it fully considers matters of importance to this community.3. Overlap with other existing CPGs:<p>There is a little overlap with any CPG which currently looks at issues of public health, mental health, inclusive education, and equality, rural isolation and access, blood born viruses, women's issues, inclusivity in sport, and other minorities and marginalised groups. It is our intention to see which other established group we can work with to help mutually, but avoid repetition. This group will instead focus only on the LGBTI+ community.</p>4. Topics within coming 12 months:

Conversion therapy
Gender recognition reform and the equal recognition campaign
Hate Crime Bill and Hate Crime Awareness
Inclusive Education Implementation
Inclusivity in sport
Intersectionality and equalities competence in Scotland
LGBT Women's equality
LGBTI mental health and wellbeing
LGBTI rural issues
LGBTI visibility
The older LGBTI community
Reproductive Health and Fertility within the LGBT community
Trans Healthcare
Wider LGBTI healthcare and service provision

MSP Members of the Group

Please provide names and party designation of all MSP members of the Group.

Alexander Stewart, MSP, Conservative

Emma Roddick, MSP, SNP

Jamie Greene, MSP, Conservative

Joe FitzPatrick, MSP, SNP

Karen Adam, MSP, SNP

Pam Duncan-Glancy, MSP, Labour

Paul McLennan, MSP, SNP

Paul O'Kane, MSP, Labour

Non-MSP Members of the Group

For organisational members please provide only the name of the organisation, it is not necessary to provide the name(s) of individuals who may represent the organisation at meetings of the Group.

Individuals

Fiona Donaldson Grounds
Heather Herbert
James Banner-Rall

	Kevin Guyan Paul Cockburn Stevie Maybanks Teddy Hope
Organisations	Dumfries and Galloway LGBT Plus EHRC (Equality and Human Rights Commission) End Conversion Therapy Engender Equality Network Four Pillars Gender Inclusion Network LEAP Sports LGBT Health and Wellbeing LGBT Youth Scotland NASUWT OurStory Scotland Rangers Foundation Respect Me Scottish Trans Alliance Secure Scotland See Me Stonewall Scotland Support in Mind Scotland S-X Time for Inclusive Education
<p>Group Office Bearers</p> <p>Please provide names for all office bearers. The minimum requirement is that two of the office bearers are MSPs and one of these is Convener – beyond this it is a matter for the Group to decide upon the office bearers it wishes to have. It is permissible to have more than one individual elected to each office, for example, co-conveners or multiple deputy conveners.</p>	
Convener	Co-convenors: Jamie Greene, MSP (The Scottish Conservative and Unionist Party) and Emma Roddick, MSP (Scottish National Party)

Deputy Convener	None
Secretary	<p>Equality Network</p> <p>We would request that for official secretariat correspondence Rebecca Crowther of the Equality Network is included in any parliamentary correspondence relating to the group – email: rebecca@equality-network.org</p>
Treasurer	None
<p>Financial Benefits or Other Benefits</p> <p>Please provide details of any financial or material benefit(s) the Group anticipates receiving from a single source in a calendar year which has a value, either singly or cumulatively, of more than £500. This includes donations, gifts, hospitality or visits and material assistance such as secretariat support.</p>	
<p>Estimated value of secretarial support provided by the Equality Network: 4 days</p> <p>per year at £200 cost to the Equality Network per day = £800 value</p>	
<p>Subscription Charged by the Group</p> <p>Please provide details of the amount to be charged and the purpose for which the subscription is intended to be used.</p>	
<p>No subscription is charged</p>	
<p>Convener Contact Details</p>	
Name	Jamie Greene
Parliamentary address	<p>Email: jamie.greene.msp@parliament.scot</p> <p>M2.20, Scottish Parliament, EH99 1SP</p>
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Statement on Compliance with The Code Of Conduct

I declare that the Cross-Party Group on LGBTI+ is constituted and will comply with the terms of Section 6 of the Code of Conduct for Members of the Scottish Parliament.

Signed

Jamie Greene

Date

24 September 2021