

**IN STRICT CONFIDENCE**  
Fellowship Application Form for Members

**Guidance for Applicants**

*This form is for Members of the Society who wish to become Fellows. Please complete Section One only (excluding the column marked 'REFEREE' under Requirement 2) and return the form to the address detailed at the end of this document. Your completed form will be sent to your referees.*

**Guidance for Referees**

*The person named below has applied to become a Fellow of the Royal Meteorological Society and has nominated you as a referee. Please go to Section Two and follow the instructions. Then return the form to the address at the end of this document.*

**SECTION ONE**

**Applicant details – for completion by the applicant**

Name of Applicant:
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Membership Number:
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Address:
Post Code:

Telephone No:	Email:	
Date of Birth:	Nationality:	Gender:

Occupation:
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**Fellowship Requirements**

**Requirement 1**

Fellows must have a formal academic qualification involving meteorology, or a vocational qualification in meteorology, or long involvement in a variety of meteorological activities at a professional level or as an amateur enthusiast.

How do you meet Requirement 1? Use no more than 250 words.

**Requirement 2**

Fellows must make substantial contributions to promoting meteorology as a science, profession or interest. Applicants should meet **one or more** of the ten criteria given in the table. Please only complete the criteria that apply to you.

<i>Criteria</i>	<b>APPLICANT</b> <i>How do you meet these criteria? Use no more than 200 words</i>	<b>REFEREE</b> <i>Tick box to agree that the criteria is met</i>
<b>Professional work.</b> Held a position of responsibility that makes substantial use of meteorological knowledge, understanding, skills and information in the provision of services or in policy, planning and decision-making.		<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Research and development.</b> Advanced the science or applications of meteorology through original research and development.		<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Teaching.</b> Established reputation for effective teaching of meteorology at a university or training institution.		<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Publications.</b> Produced publications of merit that disseminate advances in meteorological knowledge.		<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Innovation.</b> Been responsible for important technological innovations associated with meteorology.		<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Business activities.</b> Demonstrated leadership in the provision and development of meteorological services.		<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Public education and outreach.</b> Taken a leading role in the public education and outreach associated with meteorology.		<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Service to the RMetS.</b> Made a significant and sustained contribution to the activities of the Royal Meteorological Society.		<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Observing.</b> Maintained a weather station to national standards, and made, analysed, shared and used own observations over a long period.		<input type="checkbox"/>

<i>Criteria</i>	<b>APPLICANT</b> <i>How do you meet these criteria? Use no more than 200 words</i>	<b>REFEREE</b> <i>Tick box to agree that the criteria is met</i>
<b>Promotion of meteorology.</b> Promoted meteorology as a science, profession or interest over a sustained period in ways not covered by any of the above categories.		<input type="checkbox"/>

### References

Please provide the details of two referees, **at least one of which should be an existing Fellow of the RMetS**. If you do not know a Fellow who could be a referee, it is recommended that you seek advice from the RMetS Chief Executive ([chief.exec@rmets.org](mailto:chief.exec@rmets.org))

Referees' name and contact details will be deleted before this form is sent on to both referees.

Name of Referee 1:
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Telephone No:	Email:
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Is this referee a Fellow of RMetS?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
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Name of Referee 2:
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Telephone No:	Email:
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Is this referee a Fellow of RMetS?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
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### Terms and Conditions

Please tick the boxes to confirm each statement.

- I have read and agree to comply with the [Code of Conduct](#).
- I have read and accept the [Charter and By-Laws](#) (pdf 300kb).  
I agree that I will be governed by the Charter and By-Laws of the Society and that I will advance the objectives of the Society.
- I agree to the [Terms and Conditions](#) and [Privacy Policy](#)

### Date

Date of completion of Section One by applicant:
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### SECTION TWO - FOR COMPLETION BY A REFEREE

Name of Referee:
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RMetS Membership Number (if applicable):
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Telephone No:	Email:
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Occupation:	Organisation:
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*Please describe your relationship to the applicant.*

## SECTION TWO CONTINUED

### Fellowship Requirements

Can you confirm that the information provided by the applicant above is correct?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
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#### **Requirement 1**

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Does the applicant meet this requirement?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
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#### **Requirement 2**

Fellows must make substantial contributions to promoting meteorology as a science, profession or interest. They must meet **one or more** of the ten criteria given in the table above.

**Please complete the REFEREE column of Section One, Requirement 2 above and then return to Section Two.**

*Do you have any other comments on the suitability of this applicant to become a Fellow of the Royal Meteorological Society? [optional].*

*Please declare any potential conflict of interest you may have in providing a reference for this applicant*

### Terms and Conditions

I agree to the [Privacy Policy](#) (please tick box to confirm)

### Date

Date of completion by referee:

**Further information and all documents can be found at [www.rmets.org/fellowship-scheme](http://www.rmets.org/fellowship-scheme).**

Please return this form via email to [membership@rmets.org](mailto:membership@rmets.org) or to the postal address shown below.

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