Notice is hereby given that the fifty-fourth Annual General Meeting of the Society will be held at 7.30 p.m. on Monday 17th November 2025 at Churchill College to transact the following business:

Cambridge Society for the Application of Research

Agenda

1. To approve the minutes of the Annual General Meeting held on 18th November 2024.
2. Matters Arising
3. To receive the President's annual report
4. To approve election/re-election membership of Council. The following are proposed by the existing Council:
   i. Professor Sir Richard Friend FRS HonFInstP FREng (*President)*
   ii. Dr. John Cook (*Vice-President)*
   iii. Susan Wright (*Honorary Treasurer)*
   iv. Ursula Dunn (*Secretary to Council)*
   v. Dr Valerie Anderson
   vi. Dr Paul Coxon
   vii. John Grieve
   viii. Jane Baker
   ix. Tanushree Agarwal

5. To approve the Accounts for the year ended 30 June 2025 (see paper)
6. Reappointment of Mr Robin Bligh as Independent Examiner
7. Vote of thanks to Yaning Wu and Dr. Robin Catchpole
8. Any other business

By order of the Council

MINUTES of the 54th Annual General Meeting

Monday 17th November 2025 at 19:30
The Wolfson Lecture Theatre, Churchill College, Cambridge and by Zoom

1. The minutes of the 53rd Annual General Meeting of 18th November 2024 were approved unanimously
   Proposed: John Cook seconded: John Grieve

2. There were no matters arising.

3. The President delivered his annual report mentioning the lectures, the student awards scheme and the membership.

4. The following Trustees were elected/re-elected
   Proposed: Paul Mardon seconded: Nye Osbourne

   - Professor Sir Richard Friend FRS HonFInstP FREng President
   - Dr John Cook Vice-President
   - Susan Wright Honorary Treasurer
   - Ursula Dunn Secretary to the Council
   - Dr Valerie Anderson
   - Dr Paul Coxon
   - John Grieve
   - Jane Baker
   - Tanushree Agarwal

5. The accounts for the year ending 30th June 2025 were approved
   Proposed: Michael Bright seconded: Valerie Anderson

6. The reappointment of Robin Bligh as independent examiner was approved
   Proposed: Susan Wright seconded: Valerie Anderson

7. There was no other business

The meeting finished at 19:38

By the order of the CSAR council
Secretary to the Council Ursula Dunn 18th November 2025

Minutes of the 53rd Annual General Meeting

Monday 18th November 2024 at 19:30
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8. The minutes of the 52nd Annual General Meeting of 22nd January 2024 were approved unanimously.
   Proposed: Valerie Anderson seconded: Nye Osborne

9. There were no matters arising.

10. The Vice President on behalf of the President read out the President's annual report and thanked the outgoing council members R. Catchpole and M. Bell for their contributions

11. The following Trustees were re-elected:
    Proposed: Michael Bright seconded Howard Cadman

    - Professor Sir Richard Friend FRS HonFlnstP FREng President
    - Dr John Cook Vice-President
    - Susan Wright Honorary Treasurer
    - Ursula Dunn Secretary to the Council
    - Dr Valerie Anderson
    - Dr Paul Coxon
    - John Grieve
    - Jane Baker
    - Yaning Wu

12. The accounts for the year ending 30th June 2024 were approved.
    Proposed: Valerie Anderson seconded: Robin Catchpole

13. The reappointment of Robin Bligh as independent examiner was approved.
    Proposed: Michael Bright seconded: Valerie Anderson

14. There was no other business.

The meeting finished at 19:35

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Secretary to the Council Ursula Dunn 18th November 2024