

We are pleased to announce that the BSA Education Committee has been renamed the **BSA Professional Practice Committee**. This represents the evolution of the role of the committee, in line with other changes in audiology, over the last decade. The principal role of the committee is the promotion of good professional practice in audiology, with particular focus on cross- and multi-disciplinary issues, through:

- A. The provision and dissemination of guidance (including recommended procedures, guidelines, minimum training standards and study days) on good practice
- B. The support and, where appropriate, accreditation of educational courses that promote good practice
- C. Working in partnership with other groups interested in promoting good practice and with stakeholders in good practice

Specific activities will focus on enhancing the relevance, quality and impact of our guidance on good practice, such as through better communication with stakeholders (including users of guidance and end users of audiology interventions/services) and, in line with BSA's objectives, by promoting enhanced communication within audiology generally. The next issue of BSA News will provide further explanation of the function of the committee and opportunities for you to get involved and have your voice heard.

**Are you passionate about good practice in audiology? Do you want to make a real contribution to audiology nationally and internationally?**

The Professional Practice Committee has vacancies for two new, enthusiastic and hard-working members to help shape and implement our exciting new programme of work. See the next issue of BSA News for more information about what is involved and how to apply! We are particularly interested to hear from student or newly qualified members of BSA and lay members. Note: you must be a member of BSA to apply.