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ICAEW PATHWAY BY TUNDE WEY

ICAN UK and District Society organised a Video Conference session in conjunction with ICAEW on Friday 17th of April 2020 regarding the ICAEW Pathway programme designed to facilitate the conversion of members of CCAB affiliated professional institutions to ICAEW. The session was attended by over 50 ICAN UK Members.

Highlight of the session are below:

- Benefits of joining ICAEW were highlighted including – Career support and development; Information services and technical advice; member groups and networking and global reach and influence.
- Details of the ICAEW pathway were also provided and are detailed below:
 - The ICAEW Pathway occurs twice a year:
 - June (entry open 18th of June and closes 30th July with result release 22nd October)
 - November closing end of November
 - There is a fee of £300
 - Criteria include: Full membership of an Accountancy Professional body (e.g. ICAN), up to five years full membership, membership gained through normal education and training route, CPD compliant, good disciplinary record and sponsor support.
 - Members are expected to obtain a letter from their home body indicating they are of good standing and are up to date on MCPE. Letter must also be within 30 days from the point they are applying to entry date.
 - There are 5 questions to answer, each of which are in 2 parts. Applicants can be scored maximum of 10 points for each question part and a maximum of 20 points for each of 4 questions, while question 5 attracts 10 points and good presentation attracts 10 points.

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• The question areas are **Identification**, **Analysis**, **Judgement**, **Advice** and **Ethics**.

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- Answers are expected to be 500 words and should all be about 'HOW' rather than 'WHAT'; should be practical rather than something sourced from a book or Internet.
- Pass mark 55 of 100. Where an applicant scores above 60, he or she can fail one of the questions but must pass all if score is below 60.
- A further focussed session will be held for those interested in applying for the June application window, so what this space.

Presentation slides will be on ICAN-UK website – Technical Resources section. You will need a login to our website to access.

2020 ELECTION TIMETABLE

- 1. Sending of Nomination forms: 10/04/2020
- 2. Return of Nomination forms: 15/04/2020
- 3. Subscription payment Candidates: 15/04/2020
- 4. General Secretary to provide evidence: 20/04/2020 and 09/05/2020
- 5. Unsuccessful candidates-notified: 24/04/2020
- 6. Appeals received: 27/04/2020
- 7. Review of appeals: 28/04/2020 01/05/2020
- 8. Candidates list & nomination forms: 01/05/ 2020
- 9. Voters Subscription payment deadline: 08/05/2020
- 10. Voters list: 11/05/2020
- 11. Election Date: 22/05/2020

Update from Electoral Committee:

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All nominations for the respective posts for the elections were duly received and the electoral committee is on track in its duty and would be communicating in due course the modality for casting our votes online.

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GOVERNMENT SUPPORT FOR BUSINESSES AND WORKERS

The government knows that all these measures have a huge impact on businesses, households and people across the country and has taken action to protect lives and incomes.

For businesses:

- more than £330 billion is being made available in loans and guarantees
- another £20 billion is being given to businesses through tax relief and cash grants
- HMRC is deferring VAT payments for the next quarter

For workers and families:

- the Coronavirus Job Retention Scheme means employees can receive 80% of their wages up to a maximum of £2,500 per month
- the Coronavirus Self Employment Income Support Scheme will provide a grant to most self-employed individuals or partnerships, worth 80% of their profits up to a cap of £2,500 per month
- extra support for the unemployed and those on low incomes through Universal Credit and Tax Credits, worth up to £1,040
- nearly £1 billion of additional support for renters
- mortgage holidays of three months for anyone in difficulty due to coronavirus, including owners of buy to let properties

This is just some of the support available for businesses and workers. Further information is available at <u>gov.uk/coronavirus</u>.

ICAN-UK WEBSITE: MEMBERS' AREA

This write up is aimed to provide information to members about the features available on the District's website for members.

- 1. **Registration:** When you register on our website, an email is sent to the General Secretary who will check against ICAN Membership and get to know you before approving the registration.
- Login and Password Reset: Use the forgot password link to reset your password or contact generalsecretary@ican-uk.org who can resent your details to you from the system. User name is members

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- 1. My Profile: Update your details including Password Recovery Questions and Answers
- 2. Networking: Connect with colleagues
- 3. Notifications: View and accept connection invitation from other members
- 4. **Invoices**: View all invoices and make payment or select event packages and subscription invoices and make payment; members are also able to print invoices and payment receipts.
- 5. **My Subscription**: Displays list of subscription invoices and your subscription status; you can pay subscription invoices that are falling due by selecting the invoices and making payment via our PayPal Integration; you can also print invoices and payment receipt.
- Transactions: Lists all transactions event invoices, subscription invoices and payment enabling you to download a statement
- 7. **Packages and Invoicing:** All events and subscription packages are available for selecting to cart and making online payment.
- 8. **My Events:** You can register for events and make online payment as well as view historical transactions



Happy Birthday to **FEB, MAR & APR** Celebrants! <u>APRIL CELEBRANTS</u>

Charles Oganya, Titi Windapo, Ily Maisanda Fehintola Calfos, Akinyemi Oyegbata, Funsho Akin-Agunbiade Paul Omoju, Tomi Fagbuyi, Gbenga Samuel Peter Ofulue, Tope Imevbore, Saheed Lasisi Arienohi Toby, Abiola Areh, John Ogunesan

Emmanuella Akubo

MARCH CELEBRANTS

Moses Peters, Austin Akhuemokhan, Bola Sho-Silva, Nick Agule, Rufus Oyekan, Edet Nduoyo, Lara Awesu, John Agboola, Atinuke Olanrewaju, Olasunkanmi Ononuga, Yemisi Rotimi, Olabode Farinuola, Andrew Uche, Funso Adebola

FEBRUARY CELEBRANTS

Boniface Ossai, Charles Dibigbo, Don Uduike, Anthony Akinyemi

THE EXECUTIVE YEAR IN PICTURES



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