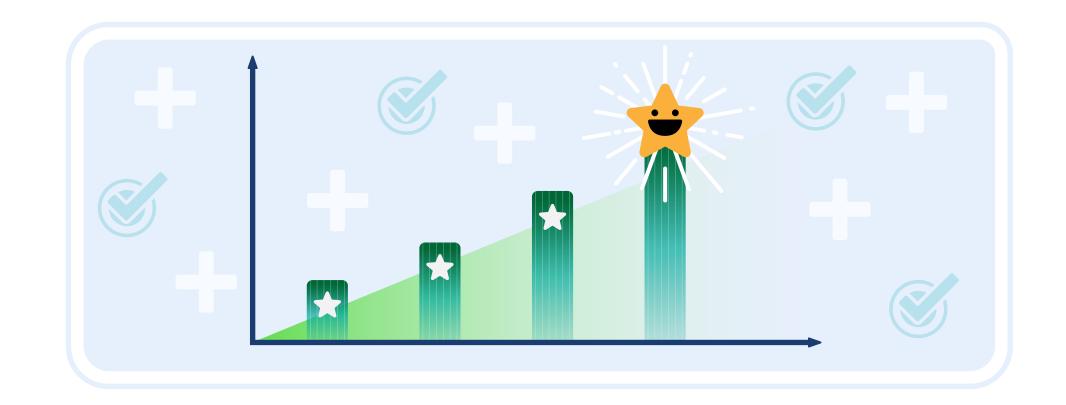


Association of British Neurologists Services Committee

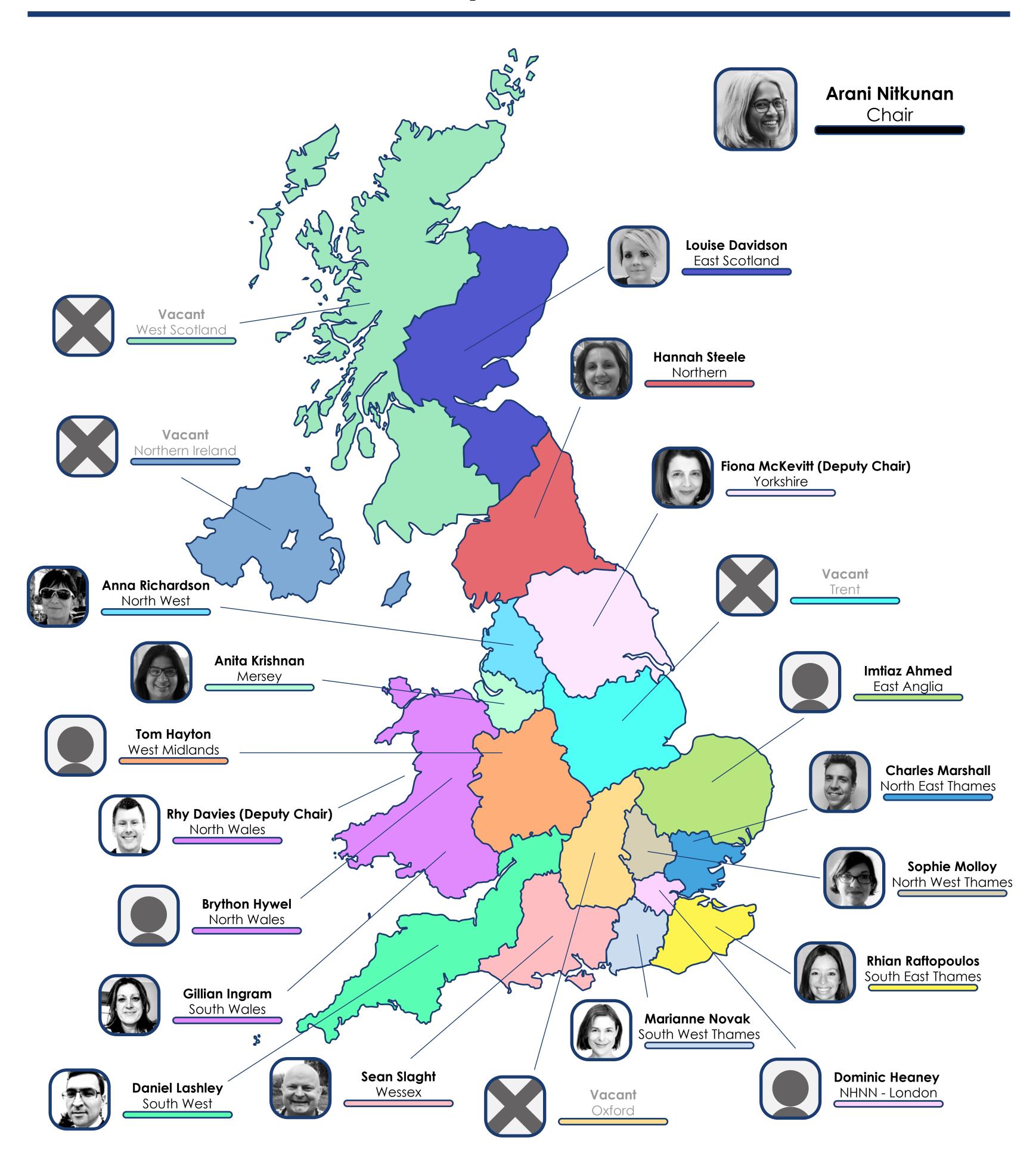
The Services Committee (SC) advises the ABN on all matters relating to neurology services nationwide. Elected committee members represent different geographical regions of the UK and report on service issues to the committee at regular meetings. There has been considerable change in membership in recent years. Contact your regional representative if there are any topics you wish to discuss with the ABN.

2023 Annual Review



- 1. In the last year, there has been a significant drive to ensure that there is a representative for each of the 20 regions across the UK and we are almost at full representation. Their role includes reaching out to the leads at each of the acute trusts within their region to enable dissemination of information up and down systems.
- 2. The Services Committee has agreed on three key workstreams:
 - a. Workforce develop a document outlining the neurological workforce needed to serve a 100,000 population.
 - b. Scope and identify three areas of good neurological practice that can be scaled nationally; headache (specifically migraine), GIRFT Southampton guidance on discharge/follow-up, and Advice & Guidance.
 - c. Job planning document revision.
- 3. Via the RCP Joint Clinical Neurosciences
 Committee, we have decided to focus on acute neurology using this unique forum, which includes the NCDs for Neurology and Stroke, the GIRFT leads for Neurology and Stroke, and representatives from other specialities. We want to move this work forward to improve the outcome of the 20% of acute medical patients with neurological issues.
- 4. Via the NHSE Liaison Neurology Task and Finish Group, drafting a description of what liaison neurology services ICBs in NHS England need to commission for their populations for the new service specification.
- 5. We have contributed to documents ranging from the Northern Ireland Regional Review of Neurology Services to the vision document on NHSE Transforming Outpatients to a model of planned specialist care.

Committee Membership



Co-opted Members







Sofia Eriksson Quality Chair











Join Our Committee!

We've had the honour of working with several members who have come to the end of their terms. If you are interested in joining the committee to represent the regions below, please scan the QR code for more information!

Regions: Trent, West Scotland & Northern Ireland.

