

# The Veterans Advisory and Pensions Committee - is this the opportunity you're looking for?

"One is not required to be ex-Service as the principle requirement is a keen interest in veteran's affairs and the ability to chair a committee and provide strategic direction."

Chair - Northern Ireland

"We do make a difference. We are there with a big local voice."

Chair - Wales Committee

"It is a challenge, but immensely rewarding."

Chair - London Committee

"The London committee made it their mission to improve job prospects for veterans and it has worked."

Chair - London Committee

"The pleasure from working with like-minded people of goodwill - and the satisfaction of being able to help veterans who are in need in any way makes the time and effort involved thoroughly worthwhile."

Chair - South-East

"As chairperson you can focus efforts, bring things to the attention of others and make a difference to the veteran who thought he'd been forgotten."

Chair - Wales Committee

"The appointment will strengthen your people skills as there is a need to network across a wide range of statutory and non-statutory agencies and charitable organisations."

Chair - Northern Ireland

"We can make people care, and what's more we do!"

Chair - Wales Committee

"Support for veterans is increasingly delivered at regional and local levels; this landscape has become more crowded and complex as a result and if you want to help steer clear ways ahead to include veterans in their communities, then a Veterans Advisory and Pensions Committee is a good place to be."

Chair - Yorks and Humber Committee

"You will get something out of being a chairman if you make a real effort and commit time and energy to it, but then that is true of anything that is worthwhile."

Chair - London Committee