



## Nomination Form for a Trustee of the Society for the History of Natural History

*This nomination form must be completed by the Proposer, having obtained the name and agreement of a seconder and ascertained the willingness of the nominee to stand. The proposer, seconder and nominee must all be members of the Society for the History of Natural History. Individuals can only be proposed for one portfolio. This form must be delivered to the Society's Secretary (secretary@shnh.org.uk) before the deadline for nominations (no later than 28 days before the date of the AGM).*

### **Name of Portfolio** Newsletter and Website Editor

### **Name of Nominee** and date of agreement to stand for the Portfolio

Name: Elaine Shaughnessy

Date 21/04/2024

### **Name of Proposer** and date of proposal

Name: Gina Douglas

Date 21/04/2024

### **Name of Secunder** and date of agreement to second the nomination

Name Dr Mark Watson

Date 21/04/2024

### **Brief Biography of the Nominee** (100 words maximum)

Elaine Shaughnessy FLS is a highly-experienced communications professional with expertise gained across a range of reputable national and international organisations and charities. Roles have included working for the publisher Editions Alecto on *Banks' Florilegium*, Audubon's *Birds of America* and a new edition of *Domesday Book*, Head of Publishing, IUCN – the World Conservation Union, Head of Development, Linnean Society of London, and Communications Development Coordinator, World Land Trust. Elaine is an Associate Editor for *Archives of Natural History* and has served both on SHNH Council as Representatives' Coordinator and as Newsletter and Website Editor. Elaine has also served on the Councils of the Linnean Society of London and the World Land Trust, is a member of the IUCN Commission for Education and Communication (IUCN-CEC) and also CIEP – Chartered Institute of Editing and Proofreading.

**Date submitted to the Secretary** 21/4/2024

