

Record of SoBRA AGM – 10 December 2025

The AGM was held virtually by live-streaming and in-person during the SoBRA Winter Conference, held at Royal Society of Chemistry, Burlington House, London.

Kate Baker delivered a presentation on behalf of the Executive Committee, acting as Chair during 2025.

Details of the AGM are provided in the following, available on the SoBRA website at <https://sobra.org.uk/about-us/annual-reporting/>:

- Chair's Report 2025
- Recording of the AGM
- Chair's presentation as PowerPoint slides
- 2024-2025 Audited Accounts
- Auditor's Report 2024-2025 Accounts

Total conference attendance was approximately ~173 including speakers and SoBRA Executive Committee members (103 in person and ~70 online). Approximately 55 members attended during AGM from 13:40 – 13:55 (45 in person, 10 online).

Constitution amendments – minor amendments to Clause 12. Charity Trustees, Subclause 4(c) were proposed, relating to titles of specific positions held by Executive Committee Members. The amendments were approved by a show of hands in the room and online voting with all who chose to vote being in favour.

It was not possible for the Accounts to be audited before the AGM so Draft Accounts were presented. As such, the Audited Accounts for 2024/2025 could not be approved at the AGM. [Subsequently, the Accounts were audited by Tatiana Cocerva of WSP, and were made available on the SoBRA website on 19th January 2026. Members were alerted by email that the Audited Accounts were available for review and given one week to raise any concerns or that approval would be assumed. No concerns were raised so the Accounts were considered duly approved.]