British Association for Irish Studies

EXECUTIVE ELECTIONS
1990

This paper contains guidance on how to complete and return your ballot form. Please read the instructions carefully.

There has been only one nomination for each of the Officers positions on the Executive. They are as follows:

Chair: Ruth Dudley Edwards Vice-Chair: Jim O'Hara Hon Secretary: James W McAuley Treasurer: Graham Davis

Conference Secretary: Jonathan Moore

There will, therefore, be no election for those positions.

You will receive your ballot paper for the election of <u>eight</u> <u>members</u> of the Executive Committee of BAIS with this post. Please note that it contains biographical information on each of the candidates standing for election.

Instructions are given on the ballot section of the paper as to how it should be completed.

When you have completed your ballot paper, please fold it and place it in an envelope, sealing the envelope. Use one of the two adhesive labels included in this post to address the envelope to the Returning Officer. You must sign the other label in the appropriate place and place it on the back of the envelope.

In order to be included in the count, ballots must be received at the address indicated on the label not later than Monday, 24 September 1990.

Envelopes containing ballots will remain unopened until the poll has closed. Signatures on labels on the back of envelopes will then be checked against the membership list, and ballots arriving in envelopes which do not bear a signature will be deemed spoilt votes. Envelopes will then be opened, and the ballots will be counted by three Scrutineers in the presence of the Returning Officer who, in this case, is the Executive Director.