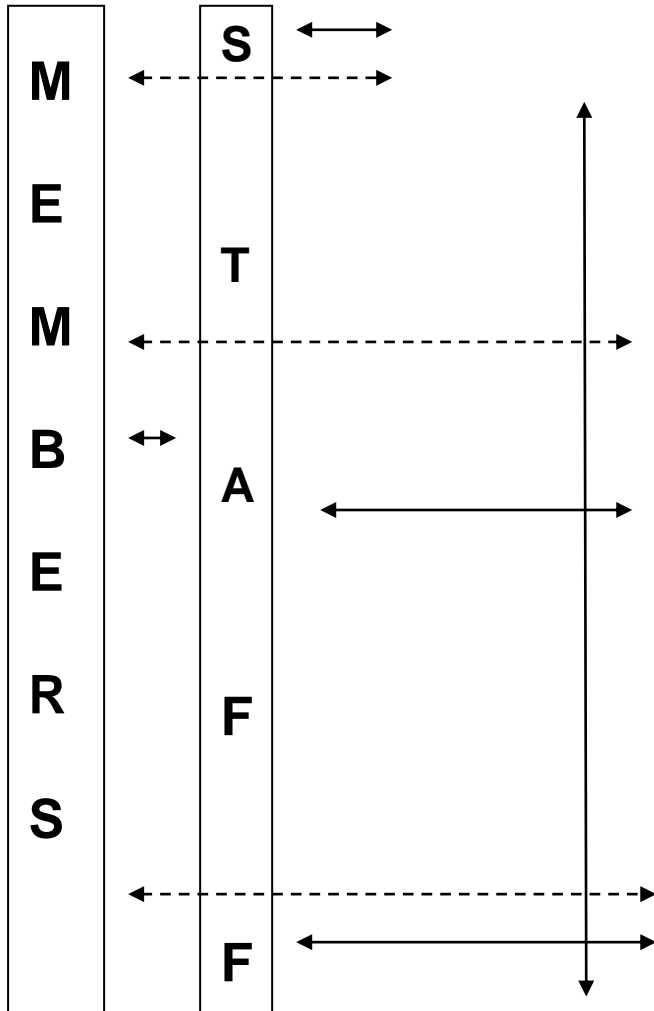


# COSCA GOVERNANCE/MANAGEMENT STRUCTURE

## COSCA BOARD

**Governance, strategic and direction setting**  
Meets 4 x year

**Debate, Modify & Decide on Policy proposals**



## Standing Policy Groups

### Training:

- Trainer Accreditation Standing Policy Group
- Training & Resources Group

### Ethics:

- Ethics Committee

### Counselling Practice:

- Counsellor Accreditation Standing Policy Group

### Children & Young People:

- Children & Young People Standing Policy Group

### Corporate Affairs Group:

- Registration/Membership
- Finance/Human Resources

## Policy Implementation/Operational Groups

### Training:

- Course Validation Panel
- Trainer Accreditation Panel
- Annual Trainers Event Planning Group

### Counselling Practice:

- Counsellor Accreditation Panel
- COSCA Recognition Scheme Assessors/Verifiers

### Membership/Support Services:

- Journal Editorial Group
- National Counselling Agencies Group
- Voluntary Sector Counselling Research Network Advisory Group

## COSCA Membership of External Groups:

- SCVO
- SCVO's National Intermediaries Group
- Scottish Parliament Cross Party Groups on:
  - Children and Young People
  - Mental Health
- Association of Chief Officers of Voluntary Organisations (ACOSVO)
- Voluntary Health Scotland (VHS)
- Scottish Voluntary Sector Leaders Forum
- Volunteer Scotland
- National Counselling Agencies Group
- PSA Collaborative Registers Group