

Autumn STAPs

Purpose

The Science and Technical Advisory Panels (STAPs) are established to provide independent, expert advice and guidance on scientific, technical, and policy matters related to ESS's Science Directorate. The panel aims to ensure the highest standards of scientific and technical integrity, fostering innovation and facilitating the achievement of strategic goals.

Charge

- Comment on the information provided during the STAP common session.
- Comment on the progress of the instrument construction projects.
- Comment on the readiness of ESS software to support the user programme including controlling the instruments and enabling data reduction and analysis.
- Comments of the provision of appropriate sample environments for the instruments.
- Advise on the Science Directorate strategy towards first science and the user community.
- Advise on the progress towards selection of instruments 16-22 in science areas relating to your special interest.

Future Meetings

Year	STAPs	STAP dates	SAC Dates
2024	Autumn	22/23 October	24/25 October
2025	Autumn	21/22 October	23/24 October
2026	Autumn	20/21 October	22/23 October