



## Nomination for President Elect: Professor James Curran

- PhD in Statistics (1997), Forensic Applications of Bayesian Inference to Glass Evidence (John Buckleton, Chris Triggs supervisors)
- Post Doc 1997-1999 with Bruce Weir
- Lecturer U. Waikato 1999-2005
- Auckland 2005-(Full Professor, 2013). Currently Head of Statistics
- Senior Consulting Forensic Scientist with UK Forensic Science Service 2001-2010
- Long consulting relationship with ESR
- Fellow of the Chartered Society of Forensic Sciences (2016)
- NZFSS President 2016-2020 (two terms) / VP (NZ) of ANZFSS
- Have represented ANZFSS President at the International Criminal Court in 2018, 2019
- Fellow of the American Statistical Association (2018)
- Fellow of the American Academy of Forensic Sciences (2018)
- Author of ~130 peer reviewed papers including two books on forensic science
- Testified in US, Australia and NZ as an expert witness
  
- As President of ANZFSS I would like to
  - Look at the introduction of Fellow status (like AAFS and the CSFS)
  - Streamline and improve some ANZFSS processes
  - Keep a strong visible presence on the international stage
  - Carry on the excellent work done by previous Presidents