# An Introduction to the RSE movement

#### (and why you want to join!)

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#### **SSI Collaborations Workshop**





### **#RSE10Years**

### Timeline..

- **2014** UK Research Software Association is formed
- **2016** First RSE conference (with attendees from 16 countries)
- 2017 The movement grows with RSE associations forming in other countries
- 2019 The Society of Research Software Engineering charity was formed
- **2020** SORSE Series of Online RSE events
- 2021 International Council of RSE Associations formed

## The Society for Research Software Engineering



University

- Registered charity with 10-12 trustees from across the RSE community, voted in at each AGM
- Membership is £20 per year
- Access the Events & Initiatives fund
- Contribute to special interest groups.
- Apply for the Society's mentorship scheme.



### ScotRSE – a Network for RSEs in Scotland



- Scotland channel on UKRSE Slack
- Mailing list: scotrse@jiscmail
- Proposal:
  - Online meetings every other month with rotating hosts
  - Showcase RSE groups / work
  - Annual in-person meeting (?)



## Thanks



Any questions / comments please let me know:

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