# IWFM's Governance Structure

### **Regional Groups Purpose**

To provide a forum through which the IWFM can engage with its membership at a regional level. To drive membership growth through local campaigns and value-driven events that encourage those working in the WFM sector to join the IWFM. To communicate through Members' Council, and directly with the Executive, the needs and concerns of Members in the Region, and to work with IWFM staff to respond to those needs.

### Members' Council Purpose

To be a strategic sounding board to the IWFM Board and Executive, ensuring that the IWFM strategy is informed by its members and that its insight and research agenda is informed by members with direct expertise and experience of workplace and facilities management. To help ensure good two-way communications between the Board, and Executive and the Regions, Networks and Special Interest Groups.

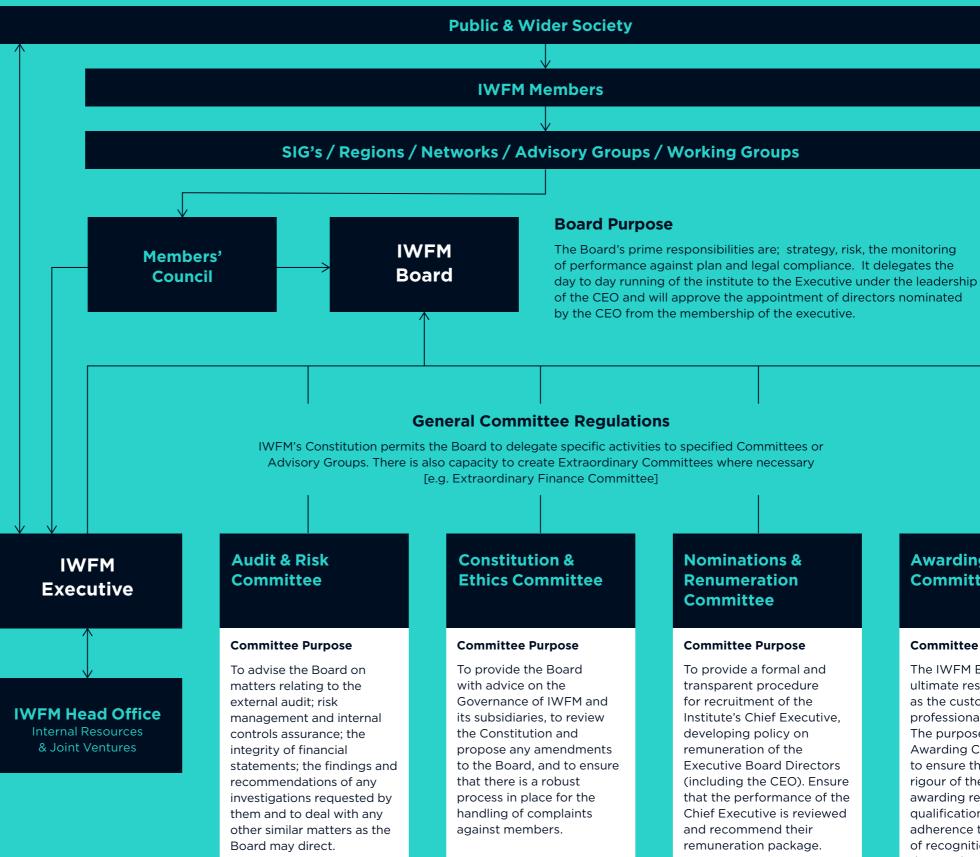
### **Executive Purpose**

The executive is responsible for the day-to-day running and development of the affairs of the institute within the Board Regulations and policies agreed by the Board from time to time. It will make recommendations to the Board to enhance the benefits of the Institute members within reasonable business constraints and represent Institute Members' interests to the outside world.

### **Special Interest, Networks, Advisory & Working Groups Purpose**

To ensure that the IWFM has the strategic and technical input and insight it needs to lead, represent, train, develop and support IWFM Members and WFM professionals effectively. To provide challenge and insight to Members' Council, the IWFM Board and Executive on sector specific issues and challenges as well as public policy agendas where the organisation may need to respond.

To provide a forum and network where professionals with a specific interest in an area of strategic importance to the profession, can come together and agree how it should be addressed and therefore supporting the IWFM decision making process by working with Members' Council and IWFM staff.





## Awarding Committee

### **Committee Purpose**

The IWFM Board has ultimate responsibility as the custodians of the professional standards. The purpose of the Awarding Committee is to ensure the validity and rigour of the process of awarding regulated qualifications and to ensure adherence to the conditions of recognition stipulated by the regulator.