

## IAN SIMPSON

This is a crucial moment for liberalism in the UK. I want to play my part in the **intellectual rejuvenation** of our tradition, which will be

vital in underpinning renewed electoral success for the Liberal Democrats.

I am excited by the new Director's vision of the SLF becoming a 'think and do tank' and have the experience required to help achieve this goal.

## **THINKING**

- Researcher for the Electoral Reform Society, specialising in the analysis of election results.
- A decade as a researcher at the National Centre for Social Research, including many years working on the long-running British Social Attitudes survey.

## DOING

- Stood as a candidate in a closely fought ward in the Haringey Council local election of 2010.
- Helped Lynne Featherstone and Tom Brake get reelected to parliament in 2010 and 2017 respectively.
- Helped the 3 councillors in my ward get re-elected in 2018, contributing to the Lib Dems retaining control of the London Borough of Sutton Council.