

## Nicolette Jones Committees and Panels:

- Trustee, [National Academy of Writing](#), from 2014
- Chair of the judges, National Literacy Trust/Bloomsbury [New Children's Author Prize](#) 2015 with Jonathan Douglas, Katherine Rundell and Rebecca McNally
- Chair, [St Hilda's College Media Network](#), since 2009
- Director, St Hilda's College Writers' Day, [Oxford Literary Festival](#), since 2010
- Founder Editor, Highbury/Finsbury Park Neighbours' News (community news email alert), since February 2008

## Past

- Instigator and co-ordinator of the [Folkestone Plimsoll Memorial Campaign, including Plimsolls for Plimsoll Day](#).
- Children's and Young People's Programme Director, [Oxford Literary Festival](#) 2010-13; Consultant Director 2014
- Co-founder and Vice Chair of [Blackstock Triangle Gardeners](#) (community gardening project), 2009-2013
- Judge of Chartwells children's letter-writing contest The Write Stuff with Prue Leith and Oxford Brookes vice chancellor Janet Beer 2011 and 2010
- Judge of the [Roald Dahl Funny Prize 2010](#) with Michael Rosen, Shappi Khorsandi, Philip Ardagh and Bruce Ingman
- Trustee, Read: [The Reading Agency](#) (library development body) 2000-2009
- Judge of the Desmond Wettern Maritime [awards/Media Awards](#) 2009, administered by the British Maritime Charitable Foundation
- Steering Committee, [Booktrust](#)'s Big Picture Campaign (picturebook promotion) 2007-2009
- Chair, [Booktrust](#)'s Ten Best New Illustrators panel, 2008
- [Macmillan Prize](#) judge 2007, 2008 and 2009 (for unpublished children's illustrators)
- Chair, [Carnegie/Greenaway Medal](#) Anniversary Top 10 selection panel 2007
- [Branford Boase Award](#) judge 2007 (for a first children's book)
- Chair, [Children's Laureate](#) selectors 2005
- Judge of the Orange Prize (now [Bailey's Women's Prize for Fiction](#)) 2003
- [Whitbread Book Award](#) (now Costa) children's book category judge 1999
- Kurt Maschler Award judge 1999 (for an illustrated children's book)