

The House of MacAlpine seeks formal recognition of the Chief of the Name of MacAlpine by The Lord Lyon King of Arms.

In 2017, after a family convention supervised by the Court of the Lord Lyon, Michael T. McAlpin was unanimously recommended to be Commander of MacAlpine. This was accepted by the Lord Lyon.

There is now an opportunity to choose a Chief of the Name of MacAlpine. A Nominee will be selected by a Family Convention of MacAlpines, overseen by Prof. Gillian Black, Carrick Pursuivant, the Supervising Officer appointed by the Lord Lyon. The family Convention will be held at a place in Scotland on 19 June 2027.

Candidates bearing the name MacAlpine or variants, and with the appropriate qualifications and interest, may apply before February 12, 2027 to be considered for the Chiefship. Candidates must bear their own expenses and attend the Family Convention, preferably in person or if unable, by video link

MacAlpines wishing to attend the Family Convention in person or by video link may also apply for a space.

Full information and forms can be found at <https://macailpein.com/>

Call for candidates – <https://macailpein.com/second-family-convention>

Apply to participate – <https://macailpein.com/second-family-convention>

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