BIRMINGHAM CITY UNIVERSITY – REGISTER OF INTERESTS

BOARD OF GOVERNORS

Name of Governor	Name of Organisation	Type of Organisation (eg company, charity, professional body)	Company/ Charity Number (where applicable)	Category of interest (eg director, trustee, employee, public appointment, significant shareholder, member)	Date of appointment	Date of resignation (where applicable)	Term of Office (where applicable)
Iftkhar Ahmed Independent Governor	Evershed Sutherland (International) LLP	Partnership	OC304065	Consultant	1 May 2026		
	Warwickshire County Cricket Club	Sports Organisation		Board Member	1 April 2022		9 years max
	The Law Society	Professional Body		Member	15 July 1993		
	Primed for Law	Charity	1152342	Board Member	14 May 2026		
	Access Sport	Charity	1156819	Steering Group Chair	TBC		
Joe Bates Independent Governor Chair of the Audit Committee	Wing Yip Companies	Company		Director	13 September 2018		
	The Henry Barber Trust and non-trading subsidiaries	Charity	528917	Trustee	30 November 2017		
	The Grove Residential Home (Solihull)	Company	04866257	Trustee/Director	9 February 2011		
	The Institute of Chartered Accountants in England and Wales	Professional Body		Fellow (FCA)	1981		
	W Wing Yip & Brothers Foundation	Charity	1187265	Trustee	13 September 2018		
	JFH Wiseman Will Trust	Trust		Trustee	c2010		
Anita Bhalla OBE Independent Governor Chair of the Board of Governors	B:Music	Charity	1053937	Chair	February 2018		
	Iniva	Company	02881612	Chair	October 2013		
	Saintbury Trust	Charity	326790	Trustee	April 2014		
	National Archives Trust	Charity	1187839	Trustee	February 2023	February 2026	
	Arts and Humanities Research Council	Research Council		Council Member	March 2025		
Craig David President, BCUSU	BCUSU	Charity	1142837	President and Trustee	1 July 2026	30 June 2027	1 year

Professor Alistair Fitt Co-Opted Governor	The Oxford Trust Supercluster Board EPSRC Mathematics Knowledge Exchange Hub BCU Support Services Ltd ***Wife is Professor Anne Trefethen, interests are:*** The Alan Turing Institute Glasgow School of Art	Charitable Trust Company Hub Subsidiary Company Company Charity	292664 15865463 14309058 09512457 SCO12490	Trustee Director Chair Director Director Director	19 September 2014 30 July 2024 1 May 2026 7 October 2026 28 November 2024 26 July 2021	21 October 2025	
Dr Melanie-Marie Haywood Staff Governor	Haywood & Associates Consultancy Ltd Advance HE	Company Charity	14203352 1101607	Director Principal Fellow			
Hugh Jones Co-opted Governor Deputy Chair of the Board Chair of the Nominations and Governance Committee	Hugh Jones Consulting Association of Higher Education Professionals (AHEP) (formerly Association of University Administrators (AUA)) University of South Wales Blute	Sole trader Professional Body Charity Company	 1140312 13139159	Self-employed consultant Fellow Coach to Chair of Governing Body Unpaid Advisory Role	January 2014 2006 August 2025 July 2025	 April 2026	
Zubeda Limbada Co-Opted Governor	ConnectFutures	CIC	10012179	Director	2015		
Joanne MacPhail Independent Governor Chair of the People and Culture Committee	West Coast Partnership Section – Railway Pension Scheme Chartered Institute of Personnel and Development International Coaching Federation Avanti West Coast	Pension Committee Professional Body Professional Body Company	 10349442	Chair Member (Fellow) Member People Director	20 February 2025 Ongoing Ongoing 2 November 2024		
Professor David Mba Ex-officio Board Member Vice-Chancellor	University of Huddersfield BCU Support Services Ltd	University Subsidiary Company	 14309058	Visiting Professor (not remunerated) Director and Chair	1 June 2022 17 October 2023		5 years

	University Alliance Birmingham Cultural Compact West Midlands Growth Company AFB-UK Foundation Advance HE ATLP - The Arthur Terry Learning Partnership University of Brighton OfS Provider Panel The Anti-Racist Foundation	Association Partnership / Association WMCA Charity Charity School Academy University HE Regulator Charity	08137679 1214815 1101607 1219073	Director Chair Director Trustee Trustee Member Governor Member Trustee	1 October 2023 1 September 2024 December 2023 August 2025 October 2024 May 2025 October 2025 February 2026 August 2026	September 2026	
Justin McCarthy Independent Governor	Capgemini UK	Company	00943935	Employee	November 2017		
Sukhjeeven Nat Independent Governor	Cynergy Bank West Midlands Ambulance Service University NHS Foundation Trust	Company NHS Trust	04728421	Director Non-Executive Director	17 April 2023 1 November 2024		
Patrick Nyarumbu MBE Independent Governor	Birmingham and Solihull Mental Health NHS Foundation Trust Yellowwood Healthcare Ltd Jabali Men's Network University of Birmingham	NHS Trust Company Community Interest Company University	 13401196	Deputy Chief Executive & Executive Director of Strategy, People and Partnerships Shareholder Chair Alumnus	1 November 2020 1 May 2022 1 February 2020 1 January 2025		
Chiamaka Ogbuefi Vice-President Education, BCUSU	BCUSU	Charity	1142837	Vice-President, Education	1 July 2026	30 June 2027	1 year
Hannah Pemberton Independent Governor	Travis Perkins plc Chartered Institute of Internal Auditors Institute of Risk Management	Company Professional Body Professional Body	00824821	Employee Member Member	1 October 2018 Ongoing Ongoing		

	Mary Elliott Academy	Education Academy	09064864	Governor	2026		
Peter Phillips Independent Governor Chair of the Finance Committee	Masteragency Ltd Masteragency Ltd Ex Cathedra West Midlands Art Trust Access Skills Ltd	Company Company Charity Charity Company	03530433 03530433 1004086 517916 06649072	Self-employed consultant Director Chair of Trustees Trustee Chair	3 April 1998 3 April 1998 18 January 2021 4 November 2015 12 November 2011		
Brandon Relph Independent Governor	Relph Limited Accenture plc Sigma Squared Society Octopus Energy Group Royal Society of Arts BBC	Company Company Charity Company Charity Public Broadcaster	11777777 04757301 09263424 212424 	Director, Sole Shareholder Employee, Employee Shareholder Fellow Partner, Employee/SIP Fellow Employee	January 2019 November 2024 August 2023 March 2024 April 2025 July 2026	July 2026	
Stuart Tym Independent Governor	Knights PLC Property for Kids The Law Society Turks Head Legal Limited Merali Beedle	Law Firm/Professional Services Charity Professional Body Trading Vehicle – Self Employed Law Firm	11290101 1132787 17252260 11399125	Employee Committee Member (non-Trustee) Member Director Consultant	29 August 2023 November 2023 September 2008 June 2026 August 2026	31 July 2026	
Angelina Weybourne Independent Governor	Haleon plc	Company	13691224	Employee	5 January 2026		
Helen White Staff Governor	St Giles Hospice, Lichfield Health and Care Professions Council Health and Care Professions Council College of Radiographers	Hospice Regulator Regulator Professional Body	509014	Trustee Education and Training Committee member Registrant Professional Leadership Mentoring Scheme	1 September 2025 March 2025 July 1995 September 2023	 September 2025	 4 years n/a

	College of Radiographers	Professional Body		Assessor	2008		n/a
	College of Radiographers	Professional Body		Member	July 1995		n/a
	Heads of Radiography Education (HRE) UK and Ireland	Professional Body		Immediate Past Chair	October 2024 (Previous Chair October 2017- Oct 2024)		
	National Association of Educators in Practice (NAEP)	Professional Association		Exec. Committee Member	April 2024		

CO-OPTED MEMBERS OF THE AUDIT, FINANCE, PEOPLE AND CULTURE AND REMUNERATION COMMITTEES

Name of Member	Name of Organisation	Type of Organisation (eg company, charity, professional body)	Company/ Charity Number (where applicable)	Category of interest (eg director, trustee, employee, public appointment, significant shareholder, member)	Date of appointment	Date of resignation (where applicable)	Term of Office (where applicable)
Mandeep Baidwan Co-Opted Member of the Audit Committee	Dignity Funerals	Company	00041598	Employee	14 February 2011		
Roza Dar Co-Opted Member of the Finance Committee	Institute of Chartered Accountants in England and Wales Accountancy & Business Consultancy Services Ltd	Professional Body Company	 06637655	Member Director	 11 August 2019		
Natasha Harris Co-Opted Member of the People and Culture and Renumeration Committees	Harris People Solutions Auriga Services The Rep	Company Company Charity	14979192 05093179 223660	Director Non-Executive Director Trustee	4 July 2023 2 January 2025 9 December 2024		
Neil Jones Co-Opted Member of the Finance Committee	ICAEW Malvern College Ronald McDonald House Charities Future Founders Fund	Professional Body School US Charity BCU Fund	 527578	Member (FCA) Governor Trustee Committee Member and Mentor	August 1994 October 2001 June 2025 April 2026		
Gurminder Kaur Nijjar Co-Opted Member of the Audit Committee	Irwin Mitchell Group DKN Business Solutions	Law Firm Company	OC343897 14240913	Partner/Director Director	May 2022 July 2022		
Michael Nielsen Co-Opted Member of the Audit Committee	UHY Hacker Young (Birmingham) LLP Haberdashers West Midlands Academy Trust Institute of Chartered Accountants for England and Wales	Company Academy Trust Professional Body	OC327384 06548296	Employee Chair of Audit and Risk Committee & Governor Member	2 July 2018 1 September 2024 1 January 2022		31 August 2027
Bhupendra Pattni Co-Opted Member of the Finance Committee	Eastern Education Group	Further Education College & Academy Trust	09702333	Interim CFO	1 July 2026		

	HSDC (Havant & South Downs College)	Further Education College		Deputy Principal – Senior Postholder	6 January 2025 (Consultant) 1 November 2025 (Employee)	30 June 2026	
	Association of Certified Chartered Accountants	Professional Body		Member	June 1996		
	Edge Hill Associates Limited	Company for Consultancy	10228929	Director	13 June 2016		
	Edge Hill Associates & Consultants Limited	Company for Consultancy	16537903	Director	24 June 2025		
Helen Ross Co-Opted Member of the People and Culture and Renumeration Committees	XPS Pensions Group	Company	08279139	Partner	April 2021		
	BCU Support Services Ltd	Subsidiary Company	14309058	Director	1 April 2025		

SENIOR UNIVERSITY OFFICERS

Name of Officer	Name of Organisation	Type of Organisation (eg company, charity, professional body)	Company/ Charity Number (where applicable)	Category of interest (eg director, trustee, employee, public appointment, significant shareholder, member)	Date of appointment	Date of resignation (where applicable)	Term of Office (where applicable)
Professor Ian Blair Pro-Vice-Chancellor, Academic and Sustainability	Nil return						
Jagrup Dhugga Chief Financial and Commercial Officer	Chartered Institute of Management Accountants (CIMA)	Professional Body		Member			
	ABBE Limited	Subsidiary Company	05347488	Director and Chair	December 2023		
	BCU Enterprise Limited	Subsidiary Company	02416968	Director and Chair	April 2022		
	BCU Property Limited	Subsidiary Company	02776316	Director and Chair	December 2023		
	BCU Support Services Limited	Subsidiary Company	14309058	Director	December 2023		
	BCU Trustees Limited	Subsidiary Company	02967619	Director	December 2023		
	Technology Innovation Centre	Subsidiary Company	03196819	Director and Chair	April 2022		
Adam Race Chief People and Infrastructure Officer	CIPD	Professional Body		Member (Chartered MCIPD)	8 December 2009		
	Institute of Health and Social Care Management	Charity		Fellow (FIHSCM)	6 October 2023		
	BCU Support Services Ltd	Subsidiary Company	14309058	Director	23 August 2024		
Professor Hanifa Shah OBE Pro-Vice-Chancellor, Research, Enterprise, Engagement & STEAM	Millennium Point Trust	Charity	1059451	Trustee	16 December 2019		
	British Computer Society (BCS)	Professional Body		Fellow			
	Advance HE	Charity and Professional Body	1101607	Principal Fellow			
	Technology Innovation Centre	Subsidiary Company	03196819	Director	5 November 2018		

	Greater Birmingham & Solihull Institute of Technology (GBSIoT)	Educational Support Services Company		Director	8 August 2024		
	ABBE Limited	Subsidiary Company	05347488	Director	1 July 2025		
	BCU Enterprise Limited	Subsidiary Company	02416968	Director	1 July 2025		
	Orbit Shift Limited	Limited Company (Dormant)	17169208	Director	20 April 2026		
Karen Stephenson Chief Compliance Officer and University Secretary	Birmingham City College Ltd	Subsidiary Company	05157738	Director and Chair	6 June 2016		
	BCU Property Ltd	Subsidiary Company	02776316	Director	December 2023		
	ABBE Ltd	Subsidiary Company	05347488	Director	December 2023		
	Technology Innovation Centre	Subsidiary Company	03196819	Director	21 June 2023		
	BCU Enterprise Ltd	Subsidiary Company	02416968	Director	December 2023		
	BCU Support Services Ltd	Subsidiary Company	14309058	Director	22 August 2022		
	BCU Trustees Ltd	Subsidiary Company	02967619	Director and Chair	6 June 2016		
	Millennium Point Trust	Charity	1059451	Director	5 March 2024		
Professor Marcia Wilson Pro-Vice-Chancellor, Education and Student Experience	WHEN (Women's Higher Education Network)	Social Enterprise		Steering Group member for the 100 Black Women Professors programme	April 2025		