

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		9 years max
	Warwickshire County Cricket Club	Sports Organisation		Board Member	1 April 2022		
	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	The Oxford Trust	Charitable Trust	292664	Trustee	19 September 2014		

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

	University Alliance	Association	08137679	Director	1 October 2023	September 2026	
	Birmingham Cultural Compact	Partnership / Association		Chair	1 September 2024		
	West Midlands Growth Company	WMCA		Director	December 2023		
	AFB-UK Foundation	Charity	1214815	Trustee	August 2025		
	Advance HE	Charity	1101607	Trustee	October 2024		
	ATLP - The Arthur Terry Learning Partnership	School Academy		Member	May 2025		
	University of Brighton	University		Governor	October 2025		
	OfS Provider Panel	HE Regulator		Member	February 2026		
	The Anti-Racist Foundation	Charity	1219073	Trustee	August 2026		
Justin McCarthy Independent Governor	Capgemini UK	Company	00943935	Employee	November 2017		
Sukhjeeven Nat Independent Governor	Cynergy Bank	Company	04728421	Director	17 April 2023		
	West Midlands Ambulance Service University NHS Foundation Trust	NHS Trust		Non-Executive Director	1 November 2024		
Patrick Nyarumbu MBE Independent Governor	Birmingham and Solihull Mental Health NHS Foundation Trust	NHS Trust	13401196	Deputy Chief Executive & Executive Director of Strategy, People and Partnerships	1 November 2020		
	Yellowwood Healthcare Ltd	Company		Shareholder	1 May 2022		
	Jabali Men's Network	Community Interest Company		Chair	1 February 2020		
	University of Birmingham	University		Alumnus	1 January 2025		
Chiamaka Ogbuefi Vice-President Education, BCUSU	BCUSU	Charity	1142837	Vice-President, Education	1 July 2026	30 June 2027	1 year
Peter Phillips Independent Governor Chair of the Finance Committee	Masteragency Ltd	Company	03530433	Self-employed consultant	3 April 1998		
	Masteragency Ltd	Company	03530433	Director	3 April 1998		
	Ex Cathedra	Charity	1004086	Chair of Trustees	18 January 2021		
	West Midlands Art Trust	Charity	517916	Trustee	4 November 2015		
	Access Skills Ltd	Company	06649072	Chair	12 November 2011		

Brandon Relph Independent Governor	Relph Limited	Company	11777777	Director, Sole Shareholder	January 2019	July 2026	
	Accenture plc	Company	04757301	Employee, Employee Shareholder	November 2024		
	Sigma Squared Society	Charity		Fellow	August 2023		
	Octopus Energy Group	Company	09263424	Partner, Employee/SIP	March 2024		
	Royal Society of Arts	Charity	212424	Fellow	April 2025		
	BBC	Public Broadcaster		Employee	July 2026		
Stuart Tym Independent Governor	Knights PLC	Law Firm/Professional Services	11290101	Employee	29 August 2023	31 July 2026	
	Property for Kids	Charity	1132787	Committee Member (non-Trustee)	November 2023		
	The Law Society	Professional Body		Member	September 2008		
	Turks Head Legal Limited	Trading Vehicle – Self Employed	17252260	Director	June 2026		
	Merali Beedle	Law Firm	11399125	Consultant	August 2026		
Angelina Weybourne Independent Governor	Haleon plc	Company	13691224	Employee	5 January 2026		
Helen White Staff Governor	St Giles Hospice, Lichfield	Hospice	509014	Trustee	1 September 2025	September 2025	4 years
	Health and Care Professions Council	Regulator		Education and Training Committee member	March 2025		
	Health and Care Professions Council	Regulator		Registrant	July 1995		n/a
	College of Radiographers	Professional Body		Professional Leadership Mentoring Scheme	September 2023		
	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	Professional Body		Member			
	Accountancy & Business Consultancy Services Ltd	Company	06637655	Director	11 August 2019		
Natasha Harris Co-Opted Member of the People and Culture and Remuneration Committees	Harris People Solutions	Company	14979192	Director	4 July 2023		
	Auriga Services	Company	05093179	Non-Executive Director	2 January 2025		
	The Rep	Charity	223660	Trustee	9 December 2024		
Neil Jones Co-Opted Member of the Finance Committee	ICAEW	Professional Body		Member (FCA)	August 1994		
	Malvern College	School	527578	Governor	October 2001		
	Ronald McDonald House Charities	US Charity		Trustee	June 2025		
Gurminder Kaur Nijjar Co-Opted Member of the Audit Committee	Irwin Mitchell Group	Law Firm	OC343897	Partner/Director	May 2022		
	DKN Business Solutions	Company	14240913	Director	July 2022		
Bhupendra Pattni Co-Opted Member of the Finance Committee	HSDC (Havant & South Downs College)	Further Education College		Deputy Principal – Senior Postholder	6 January 2025 (Consultant) 1 November 2025 (Employee) – present		
	Association of Certified Chartered Accountants	Professional Body		Member	June 1996		
	Edge Hill Associates Limited	Company for Consultancy		Director	13 June 2016		
	Edge Hill Associates & Consultants Limited	Company for Consultancy		Director	24 June 2025		
Helen Ross	XPS Pensions Group	Company	08279139	Partner	April 2021		

Co-Opted Member of the People and Culture and Remuneration Committees	BCU Support Services Ltd	Subsidiary Company	14309058	Director	1 April 2025		
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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		