**Solihull College and University Centre**

**Current Register of Interests for Governors, EMT and Director of Corporate Governance, Risk and Compliance**

**Effective 1st September 2026**

## Highlight when received and updated

| Name | Position | Committee Member | Pecuniary Interests and Financial and non-financial interests (including those of immediate family) | Date of Return |
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| **Susie Ankrett** | Full Member | Member of Education Village SiG | Ankrett Partnership Plum Executive | 07.10.2026 |
| | | | Memberships:<br><br>**Recruitment and Employment Confederation** Honorary Fellow; Member of Advisory Council; Employment Policy Committee<br>**Solihull Chamber of Commerce** Executive Board member<br>**Solihull MBC** Solihull Employment and Skills Board<br>**SC&UC** Employer Advisory Board: Business School<br>**C&W LSIP** Working Party for Priority 3: Bolstering Work-Readiness and Foundational Skills | |
| | | | No Financial and non-financial interests (including those of immediate family) to be declared. | |
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| **Paul Assinder** | Full Member & Chair of Corporation | Remuneration Committee<br>Search & Governance Committee<br>Member of Education Village | Non-Executive Director (part time) at Walsall Healthcare NHS Trust | 15.10.2026 |
| | | | Director of Rodborough Consultancy Ltd (unpaid). A family personal services company. | |
| | | | Committee Member – Walsall Wellwishers healthcare charity (unpaid) | |
| | | | Branch Treasurer – Parkinson's Society local branch (unpaid) | |
| | | | Fellow of Association of Chartered Certified accountants (FCCA) | |
| | | | Qualified member Chartered Institute of public finance & Accountancy (CIPFA) | |
| | | | Debra Assinder (Wife) Newman University, Birmingham<br>Occasional unpaid membership of business employer's panel. | |
| | | | No Financial and non-financial interests (including those of immediate family) to be declared. | |
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| **Holly Bayliss** | Staff Governor | | | |
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| **Rebecca Gater** | Ex-Offico/Principal & Chief Executive | Remuneration Committee<br><br>Search & Governance Committee | Principal and CEO Solihull College & University Centre | 20.08.2026 |

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| | | Financial Oversight Group (FOG) | | |
| | | | Company Directorships:<br>Greater Birmingham and Solihull Institute of Technology | |
| | | | Chairty Trustees:<br>Citizen's Advice Solihull Borough<br>Skills and Education Group | |
| | | | Memberships:<br>Vice President - Solihull Chamber Executive Committee (Finished March 2026)<br>Ofsted Inspector dates 2016 to present | |
| | | | No Financial and non-financial interests (including those of immediate family) to be declared. | |
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| **Susan Hopewell** | Full Member | | CLAS Education Consultancy Limited<br>Birmingham Metropolitan College – short term contract from Sept 26-Dec 26<br><br>Businesses and Company Directorships: CLAS Education Consultancy Limited | 09.09.2026 |
| | | | Governor: Leicester College, Quality Co-opted Governor, 11.03.2025 – 10.03.2027 | |
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| **Sarah Horton-Walsh** | Full Member<br><br>Careers Link Governor | Audit & Risk Committee | Head of School – Coventry University | 05.09.2025 |
| | | | No Financial and non-financial interests (including those of immediate family) to be declared. | |
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| **Helen Kinghorn** | Full Member<br><br>Children in Care and Care Leavers Link Governor | Member and Chair of the Quality SiG | Part Time Ofsted Inspector for West Midlands region<br><br>Director of HK Quality Improvement Specialist Ltd<br><br>Madresfield Primary School – Foundation Governor<br>January 2026 – January 2030 | 25.09.2026 |
| | | | No Financial and non-financial interests (including those of immediate family) to be declared. | |
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| **Ravi Kumar** | Full Member<br><br>Skills Link Governor | None | Strategic Partnership Manager at HS2 | 14.09.2026 |
| | | | No Financial and non-financial interests (including those of immediate family) to be declared. | |
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| **Tony Lucas** | Full Member & Vice Chair<br><br>SEND & Sustainability Link Governor | Remuneration Committee –<br>Chair of Committee/ Search & Governance Committee<br><br>Member and Chair of Financial Oversight Group (FoG) | Retired<br><br>Membership: Secretary of Knowle & Dorridge Racquets Club (unpaid) | 04.08.2026 |
| | | | No Financial and non-financial interests (including those of immediate family) to be declared. | 04.08.2026 |
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| **Gerard McGrory** | Full Member | None | Knightsbridge Educational Trust, Open University, Milton Keynes. | 04.09.2026 |
| | | | No Financial and non-financial interests (including those of immediate family) to be declared. | |
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| **Dr Mehreen Mirza** | Full Member<br><br>Safeguarding Link Governor | None | Head of School of Law & Social Sciences: University of Derby | 08.09.2025 |
| | | | No Financial and non-financial interests (including those of immediate family) to be declared. | |
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| **Dave Nanda** | Full Member | Audit & Risk Committee<br><br>Financial Oversight Group (FoG) | Employer – National Gas Transmission Plc<br><br>Membership: Institute of Chartered Accountants in England & Wales (ICAEW) | 21.10.2026 |
| | | | No Financial and non-financial interests (including those of immediate family) to be declared. | |
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| **Mia Needle** | Student Governor FE | None | None | 01.07.2026 |
| | | | No Financial and non-financial interests (including those of immediate family) to be declared. | |
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| **Amirun Nehar** | Full Member | Audit & Risk Committee – Chair of Committee | Gatehouse Bank – Head of Operational Assurance and 1st Line Risk<br><br>Chair of Governors – Tiverton Academy June 2013 | 13.10.2026 |

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| | | Remuneration Committee | | |
| | | | Company Directorships – Amijen Estates Ltd Academy | |
| | | | No Financial and non-financial interests (including those of immediate family) to be declared. | |
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| **Louise Parry** | Full Member | None | Energy & Utility Skills | 25.05.2026 |
| | | | Fellow of CIPD<br>Ambassador of Women's Utilities Network (WUN) | |
| | | | No Financial and non-financial interests (including those of immediate family) to be declared | |
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| **Cheryl Pidler** | Full Member | Search & Governance Committee<br><br>Financial Oversight Group (FoG) | Director of Operations Hinckley & Rugby Building Society | 22.08.2026 |
| | | | No Financial and non-financial interests (including those of immediate family) to be declared | 22.08.2026 |
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| **Arya Yagoubi Shalmani** | Student Governor HE | None | | 02.07.2026 |
| | | | No Financial and non-financial interests (including those of immediate family) to be declared | |
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| **Shaun Staff** | Full Member | None | Group Head of Brand & Communications<br>Azets Opco Limited, London | 06.07.2026 |

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| **Harrison Thompson** | Full Member<br><br>Digital & Technology Link Governor | Audit & Risk Committee | Employee at CGL Inc. | 25.09.2026 |
| | | | No Financial and non-financial interests (including those of immediate family) to be declared | |
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| **Anthony Worth** | External Member | Audit & Risk Committee – Vice Chair of Committee | Senior Internal Audit Manager – Gateley Plc<br><br>No Financial and non-financial interests (including those of immediate family) to be declared | 08.10.2026 |
| | | | Member of ICAEW, but no position of general control or management | |
| | | | Governor and Director at Heart of England School, Balsall Common since July 2017. | |
| | | | Fellow of the Institute of Chartered Accountants in England and Wales (FCA) | |

## EMT & Director of Corporate Governance, Risk & Compliance Register of Interests

| Name | Position | Financial and non-financial interests (including those of immediate family) | Date Disclosed |
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| **Sam Bromwich** | Director of Corporate Governance, Risk and Compliance | No Financial and non-financial interests (including those of immediate family) to be declared | 9/10/2026 |
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| **Nancy Buckley** | Vice Principal Business Growth, Skills & Partnerships | Memberships of professional bodies:<br>Solihull Chamber of Commerce<br>Skills West Midlands and Warwickshire<br><br>Parent Governor and Careers-Link Governor for Kineton High School (March 2023 to present) | 10.08.2026 |
| | | Financial and non-financial interests:<br>Daniel Buckley (Son)<br>Organisation: Digital Garage<br>Role: Apprentice | 10.08.2026 |
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| **Patrick Geary** | Deputy Principal – Education | No Financial and non-financial interests (including those of immediate family) to be declared | 21.10.2026 |
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| **Pete Haynes** | Vice Principal HR and Student Services | Chartered Member of CIPD<br><br>No Financial and non-financial interests (including those of immediate family) to be declared | 18.10.2026 |

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| **Heather Hunt** | Deputy Principal & CFO | Associate Member of the Institute of Chartered Accountants of England and Wales (ACA)<br><br>Stepson Joe Hunt has an apprenticeship with MGAC.<br>Disclosed 23rd August 2023<br>Commences 11th September 2023<br><br>No Financial and non-financial interests (including those of immediate family) to be declared | 02.07.2026 |
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| **Linda McLaughlin** | Vice Principal Curriculum & Quality | Director of DYE-VERT Hair and Aesthetics<br>Related to Jenny Mclaughlin – Stepdaughter<br>Grandmother to a Student Support Officer at the College.<br><br>No Financial and non-financial interests (including those of immediate family) to be declared | 01.10.2026 |