LSC Pension Scheme: Meet the Trustees

Our Scheme is in the enviable position of being managed by a group of very engaged and business-like Trustees. This is due in no small part to all of you. Our last Member Nominated Trustee election saw a high number of votes cast - proof positive of your interest in how your Scheme is run!

We recently waved goodbye to our trusted Chair, Jill Youds, who guided our Scheme through the challenges of the last 6 years with unwavering diligence and expertise. We thank Jill for her commitment to our Scheme over the years, and we are delighted to introduce her worthy successor, Michelle Darracott. We were also recently pleased to welcome David Collins to the Trustee board, bringing further valued experience to our Board.

It seems only right therefore to let you know a little bit about us, and to put a face to a name.



Michelle Darracott - Chair of Trustees

•Michelle is joining the Board with a wealth of experience, having previously worked on the other side of the table as a qualified Actuary and senior advisor to Pension Schemes. Michelle has a vast knowledge and understanding of pension schemes, specialising in investments and digital solutions, having worked for one of the UK's largest investment managers for over 12 years. She is a professional pensions trustee serving a range of different schemes with diverse memberships. In her spare time Michelle enjoys all forms of yoga and walking Axel her Welsh Terrier.



Rosina Farrell - Member Nominated

•Rosina was with the LSC and LAB for many years as Director of Operations, Head of Audit, and finally Director of Business Development. Rosina has been a Trustee for over 15 years and is a pensioner member of the Scheme. She actively maintains links with colleagues and continues to enjoy responsibility for our communications.



Roger Hamilton - Member Nominated

• Roger is now retired, having previously worked as Legal Director for the Audit Commission and the LSC (and the LAB). He was a Trustee of the Scheme many years ago, before rejoining us in 2015. He is also Finance Officer for the Sing for Joy Charity, is an active participant in the University of the Third Age in Islington and enjoys regular fitness training, cycling and mountain walking.



Giorgio Bugnatelli - Member Nominated

• Giorgio is currently serving his third term as a member nominated trustee. He is the Recruitment Marketing Business Manager at the Ministry of Justice. He also served as Chair of the GMB trade union from April 2013 to September 2023. Giorgio has been awarded a British Empire Medal (BEM) for his work with the Hylands Community Amateur Sports Club since 1990. A place where young people not only learn and play, but also have the opportunity of developing as confident and balanced individuals.



Audrey Fullerton - Employer Nominated

•Audrey is a fellow member of the Institute of Chartered Accountants, Ireland and she has worked in finance roles since joining MoJ in 2012. She is currently a senior manager in the Management Accounting Centre of Excellence. She has been an Employer Nominated Trustee for over 8 years, helping maintain the strong link between the Scheme and the Department. In her spare time Audrey enjoys travelling and walking and is also a regular at her local gym.



Peter Chruch - Employer Nominated

Peter is Finance Business Partner at the Ministry of Justice who provides support to LAA. He joined the LSC in 2004 as a Business Support Administrator and has worked in numerous roles since, predominently in Finance. He is married with two young children and has been a Trustee for the Scheme since July 2015.



David Collins - Employer Nominated

• David works at the Ministry of Justice as the Head of Pensions Operations and joined the Trustee board in 2022. Prior to David's role as a Trustee, he worked closely with the Trustees for 20 years, most recently as the Pensions Manager for the Scheme. David spends most of his spare time with his two children, and enjoys sport.

As a group of Trustees, we have a wide range of complimentary skills, yet our overall focus is simple. We are legally responsible for looking after the investments in the LSC pension scheme and for ensuring your benefits are paid out when they are due; a responsibility that matters to each of us.

Your Trustees