



Newman
University
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Register of Interests for members of Council and attendees at Council meetings

1 August 2022 - 31 July 2023

Name

Bishop David EVANS

Status on Newman University Council:

Independent member

Declared interests:

Institution	Company or Charity	Company / Charity number	Role
Birmingham Diocesan Trust	Charity	234216	Trustee

Additional Notes:

None

Name

Ms Deirdre FINUCANE

Status on Newman University Council:

Independent member

Declared interests:

Institution	Company or Charity	Company / Charity number	Role
Birmingham Festival Choral Society	Charity	510847	Trustee
Hagley Hill Farm Barns Management Company Limited	Company	04067142	Director

Additional Notes:

None

Name

Professor Emeritus Margaret HOUSE

Status on Newman University Council:

Independent member - Chair of Council

Declared interests:

Institution	Company or Charity	Company / Charity number	Role
University of Chichester	Company	04740553	Director

Additional Notes:

None

Name

Mr Phillip LENNON

Status on Newman University Council:

Independent member - Chair of Audit and Risk Committee

Declared interests:

Institution	Company or Charity	Company / Charity number	Role
USP College	Exempt Charity	unknown	Director
ITEC Learning Tech LTD	Company	05191592	Director
Basildon, Billericay and Wickford Council for Voluntary Service	Charity	1148943	Trustee
Basildon, Billericay and Wickford Council for Voluntary Service	Company	08028602	Director

Additional Notes:

None

Name

Mrs Karan GILMORE

Status on Newman University Council:

Independent member

Declared interests:

Institution	Company or Charity	Company / Charity number	Role
Blue Coat School, Birmingham	Charity	1152244	Governor / Director / Trustee
Rishard Kilcuppes Charity	Charity	217310	Trustee

Additional Notes:

Karan's son and daughter are students at Newman University.

Name

Mrs Gayle DITCHBURN

Status on Newman University Council:

Independent member - Chair of Nominations and Governance Committee

Declared interests:

Institution	Company or Charity	Company / Charity number	Role
Pinsent Masons LLP	Limited Liability Partnership	OC333653	Member
Pinsent Masons International LLP	Limited Liability Partnership	OC412076	Member
Rice Chamberlains LLP	Limited Liability Partnership	OC404559	Member
The Church House Holne LLP	Limited Liability Partnership	OC439337	Member

Additional Notes:

None

Name

Mr Stephen KENNY

Status on Newman University Council:

Independent member - Chair of Finance and General Purposes Committee; Chair of Remunerations Committee

Declared interests:

Institution	Company or Charity	Company / Charity number	Role
Newman Firmtrust Limited	Company	02485122	Director
Gowling WLG (UK) LLP	Limited Liability Partnership	OC304378	Member

Additional Notes:

The Gowling WLG (UK) LLP has a Government sector practice which advises Government bodies. The firm has recently been appointed to advise the Department of Education. Gowling WLG (UK) LLP is on the legal panel for Birmingham City University and also advises other Universities. Under the Solicitor's Regulation Authority rules, the firm is required to carry out conflict checks before taking on any instructions.

Name

Professor Femi OYEBODE

Status on Newman University Council:

Independent member

Declared interests:

Institution	Company or Charity	Company / Charity number	Role
University of Birmingham	Company	06490171	Honorary Professor of Psychiatry
Royal Society of Medicine Psychiatry		unknown	Member of Council

Additional Notes:

None

Name

Mr Richard WALLACE

Status on Newman University Council:

Independent member

Declared interests:

Institution	Company or Charity	Company / Charity number	Role
Stylehurst Limited	Company	05699063	Director

Additional Notes:

None

Name

Archbishop Bernard LONGLEY

Status on Newman University Council:

Ex officio member

Declared interests:

Institution	Company or Charity	Company / Charity number	Role
Birmingham Diocesan Trust	Charity	234216	Chair
Catholic Trust for England and Wales	Charity / Company	1097482/ 04734592	Trustee / Director
The British Trust For The Ecumenical Institute For Advanced Theological Study In Jerusalem	Charity	261410	Trustee
The Valladolid Trust Fund	Charity	206957	Trustee
The Venerable English College Trust	Charity / Company	1142558 / 07476683	Trustee / Director
Mater Ecclesiae College	Charity	1186431	Trustee
Birmingham Churches Together	Charity	243931	Trustee
Farther Hudson's Society	Charity / Company	512992 / 0165338	President

Additional Notes:

None

Name

Professor Jackie DUNNE

Status on Newman University Council:

Ex officio member - Vice Chancellor of Newman University

Declared interests:

Institution	Company or Charity	Company / Charity number	Role
Children's University Trust	Charity	06018900	Trustee and Chair
Newman Firmtrust Limited	Company	02485122	Director

Additional Notes:

None

Name

Ms Leoarna MATHIAS

Status on Newman University Council:

Staff member

Declared interests:

Institution	Company or Charity	Company / Charity number	Role
None	None	None	None

Additional Notes:

None

Name

Dr Mehreen MIRZA

Status on Newman University Council:

Staff member

Declared interests:

Institution	Company or Charity	Company / Charity number	Role
Council of Deans of Arts, Social Sciences and Humanities	Interest group	N/A	Honorary Chair

Additional Notes:

None

Name

Mr David BROOKS

Status on Newman University Council:

Independent member

Declared interests:

Institution	Company or Charity	Company / Charity number	Role
None	None	None	None

Additional Notes:

None

Name

Dr Angel GARCIA-VELAZQUEZ

Status on Newman University Council:

Independent member

Declared interests:

Institution	Company or Charity	Company / Charity number	Role
Fairlands Primary School	Charity	10461895	Governor
Five Rivers Multi Academy Trust	Charity	10070417	Director

Additional Notes:

None

Name

Professor Tony HARRIS

Status on Newman University Council:

Independent member

Declared interests:

Institution	Company or Charity	Company / Charity number	Role
ICMP Management Ltd	Company	04780788	Executive Director and Dean
Contemporary Music for All	Company	03429608	Director
Contemporary Music for all	Charity	1067282	Trustee
Staffordshire University Academies Trust - Charnwood Primary Academy	Company	145680	Vice-chair of Council
Met Film School Ltd	Company	6723644	Non-executive Academic board member
UK Arts and Design Institutions Association			Board Member

Additional Notes:

None

Name

Miss Zoe HARRISON

Status on Newman University Council:

Student member

Declared interests:

Institution	Company or Charity	Company / Charity number	Role
NSH Investments Ltd	Company	09758716	Company Secretary

Additional Notes:

None

Name

Professor Peter CHILDS

Status on Newman University Council:

Observer - Deputy Vice Chancellor

Declared interests:

Institution	Company or Charity	Company / Charity number	Role
None	None	None	None

Additional Notes:

None

Name

Mr Tony SHARMA

Status on Newman University Council:

Observer - Chief Financial Officer

Declared interests:

Institution	Company or Charity	Company / Charity number	Role
Sandwell College, Spon Lane, West Bromwich	unknown	unknown	

Additional Notes:

None

Name

Professor Richard MEDCALF

Status on Newman University Council:

Observer - Pro Vice-Chancellor (Students)

Declared interests:

Institution	Company or Charity	Company / Charity number	Role
Active Black Country	Charity	5159791	

Additional Notes:

None

Name

Mrs Andrea BOLSHAW

Status on Newman University Council:

Observer - Secretary and Clerk

Declared interests:

Institution	Company or Charity	Company / Charity number	Role
None	None	None	None

Additional Notes:

None

Name

Mrs Jackie FLOWERS

Status on Newman University Council:

Observer - Minute Taker

Declared interests:

Institution	Company or Charity	Company / Charity number	Role
None	None	None	None

Additional Notes:

None

Name

Miss Siobhan WHEELER

Status on Newman University Council:

Observer - Assistant to the Clerk

Declared interests:

Institution	Company or Charity	Company / Charity number	Role
None	None	None	None

Additional Notes:

None