

Confederation of School Trusts

Register of Interests 2023/24

CST Board - Trustees

Name	Appointed	Employment	Memberships	Contacts with Charity	Other
Roy Blackwell MA	1 April 2011	Employment	Worshipful Company of Educators Education Past Master Started June 2022	VOCES8 Foundation Music education Trustee Started 2013 Neuroscience for Educators Trustee Started 2021	City of London Academy Trust Multi academy trust Vice Chair and Trustee Started 2015 Chelsea Academy Education Governor Stated 2022 Schoolswork Academy Trust Multi academy trust Member Started 2023 Director of NTA
					Started 27 January 2023



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Susan Douglas CBE, MBA, BA (QTS) Hons	30 September 2022	The Eden Academy Trust Special school trust CEO Started June 2012 Forter Partnership Educational consultancy (limited company run with husband – employment with The British Council is through this company) British Council, Senior Schools Advisor Director Started September 2009	NAHT Headteacher union Paying member Started 2012 CST Sector body Member Started 2018-19	NFER Educational research company Trustee Started March 2018 BTS Spark Board of Advisory Council Started February 2024	CST Professional Development Ltd Director Appointed 30 November 2023
Lorrayne Hughes BEd Hons	11 November 2016	Cumbria Education Trust Education CEO Started 1989	ASCL Professional Association Member Started 2009		CST Professional Development Ltd Education support services Board member Appointed 20 April 2018



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Hamid Patel	1	Star Academies		Shine Charity	Education Partnership Trust
Chair of CST	September	MAT		Charity	Education
Chair of CS1	2019	CEO/Accounting Officer		Director	Member
Kt.CBE		Started 2007		Started December 2012	Started 2012
					Ofsted
					Education
					Director
					Started 2019
					Youth Endowment Fund
					Grants and Evaluations
					Committee
					Youth
					Chair
					Started 2019
					CST Professional
					Development Ltd
					Education support services
					Director
					Appointed 27 November 2020
					– resigned 30 November 2023



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Jacqueline Russell BA, ACA Appointed Fellow	1 October 2021	Ark and Ark Schools Charity and MAT respectively CFO Started September 2017 COO Started 2022	Ark Globe Academy Local Governing Body (LGB) Chair of Governors Started September 2022, ceased October 2023 Parochial Church Council of St	LGB of Ark Acton LGB Chair Started September 2019, ceased August 2022 Ed City Office Ltd, Ed City	
			Michael & All Angels, Barnes Stewardship of Anglo Catholic COE Church Treasurer and Trustee Started March 2011 ICAEW Accountancy Membership Body Member Started July 1994	Development Ltd Building management and development Trustee Started 20 July 2022 and October 2023 respectively Ed City Management Co Ltd Office management Director Started 28 July 2023	
Stephen Snelson BSc (Hons) PGCE	23 September 2016	Red Hill Field Primary School, Blaby Stokes Primary School All Saints CE Primary School (Learn Academies Trust) State Education Executive Headteacher Started December 2015 Role changed Summer 2022	NAHT Professional Association Member Started 2004		National Teacher Accreditation (NTA) Appropriate body Director Appointed 20 April 2018



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Jame Luke Sparkes BSc (hons), PGCE	Appointed 1 September 2019	Dixons Academies Trust MAT CEO Started 2022 Ambition Institute Programmes Future Leaders programme facilitator Started 2015, ceased 2020	ASCL Professional association Union member Started 2009 QSG A group of trust leaders who meet to support and challenge each other Member Started September 2022	Contacts with Charity	Ambition Institute Programmes Schools Advisory Group member Started March 2019 Teach First Advisory group National Schools' Forum member Started December 2018, ceased December 2021 PTE Advisory group Advisory group Advisory Council member Started September 2016 CST Professional Development Ltd Programmes



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Pamela Tuckett FCA, CTA, DChA	1 September 2020	Bishop Fleming LLP (previously Bishop Fleming) Chartered Accountants Partner Started 1 September 2021 for partnership, 13 March 2014 for LLP. Retired 31 May 2024. Bishop Fleming Investments Ltd Accounting and tax Director Started 1 June 2016. Retired 31 May 2024.	ICAEW Chartered Accountants Member Started 8 December 1988 CIOT Chartered Institute of Tax Member Started 3 September 2001		Youth Centre Action Group (Ivybridge) Landlord of a youth centre Trustee Started before 2010, ceased June 2023 Westcountry Schools Trust Education Director Started 3 December 2013 (9-day gap from 4/12/17- 12/12/17 due to 4-year period of office ceasing)
Ed Vainker OBE	30 September 2022	Reach Foundation Education CEO Started September 2012		Holland Park School Education Governor Started April 2022 Hounslow Education Partnership Education Chair Started September 2022	CST Professional Development Ltd Education support services Board member Appointed 27 January 2023 ELAM Education Governor Started May 2022 STEPLAB Ed Tech Chair of advisory board Started July 2023



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Pamela Avril Wright BA, MBA, FRSA, OBE	23 September 2016	Retired	Royal Society of Arts Supports arts and art education Fellow Started 2004	Soroptimist International Service organisation for women President Elect, South Lancs Started 2014	Wade Deacon Trust Board member Started September 2018 National Teacher Accreditation (NTA) Appropriate body Vice Chair Appointed 20 April 2018