

# Leading Learners Multi Academy Trust

## Register of interests

A register of interests for the selected board. Maintained schools can use this as their register of interests but please make sure you remove any GovernorHub users who don't need to appear on the register. Trusts need to combine all boards and add details of Members and senior employees.

| Name and appointment                                                                                                                                                           | Confirmed                              | Interests                  |                               |                                                                       |            |            |
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|                                                                                                                                                                                |                                        | Organisation               | Type of interest              | Notes                                                                 | From       | To         |
| <b>Name:</b> Yvonne Brown<br><b>Appointment:</b> CEO/Accounting Officer                                                                                                        | <i>Confirmed:</i><br>21/09/26          | Culcheth High School       | Governance Interest           | Governor                                                              | 01/09/2015 | 31/08/2027 |
| <b>Name:</b> Alex Gallimore<br><b>Appointment:</b> Trustee<br><b>Term of office start:</b> 02/09/2024<br><b>Term of office end:</b> 01/09/2028<br><b>Appointed by:</b> Members | <i>Confirmed:</i><br>17/09/26          | Fred Longworth High School | Business or finance interests | Finance Director and Company Secretary for Fred Longworth High School | 01/09/2011 | -          |
| <b>Name:</b> Chris Midgley<br><b>Appointment:</b> Trustee<br><b>Term of office start:</b> 05/09/2023<br><b>Term of office end:</b> 04/09/2027<br><b>Appointed by:</b> Members  | <i>Nothing to Declare:</i><br>23/09/26 | -                          | -                             | -                                                                     | -          | -          |
| <b>Name:</b> Amy Newton<br><b>Appointment:</b> Trustee<br><b>Term of office start:</b> 01/06/23<br><b>Term of office end:</b> 21/05/27<br><b>Appointed by:</b> Members         | <i>Nothing to Declare:</i><br>15/09/26 | -                          | -                             | -                                                                     | -          | -          |
| <b>Name:</b> Sam Quigley<br><b>Appointment:</b> Trustee<br><b>Term of office start:</b> 30/06/2024<br><b>Term of office end:</b> 29/06/2028<br><b>Appointed by:</b> Members    | <i>Confirmed:</i><br>15/09/26          | CCA Recruitment Ltd        | Business or finance interests | Director                                                              | 02/03/2009 | -          |

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|                                                                                                                                                                                                    | <i>Confirmed:</i><br>15/09/26   | Chapelhill Primary School                    | Other governance role         | Local Governing Body Member | 01/09/2025 | -          |
| <b>Name:</b> Catherine Walsh<br><b>Appointment:</b> Trustee<br><b>Term of office start:</b> 21/05/2024<br><b>Term of office end:</b> 20/05/2028<br><b>Appointed by:</b> Members                    | <i>Confirmed:</i><br>24/09/2025 | Co-op Academies Trust                        | Business or finance interests | Finance Business Partner    | 05/01/2026 | -          |
| <b>Name:</b> Carole Gradwell<br><b>Appointment:</b> Trustee (Member Appointed)<br><b>Term of office start:</b> 17/10/2025<br><b>Term of office end:</b> 16/10/2029<br><b>Appointed by:</b> Members | <i>Confirmed:</i><br>23/09/26   | Fred Longworth High School                   | Other governance role         | Member                      | 26/09/2022 | -          |
| <b>Name:</b> Andrea Heaton<br><b>Appointment:</b> Trustee (Member Appointed)<br><b>Term of office start:</b> 04/03/26<br><b>Term of office end:</b> 03/03/30<br><b>Appointed by:</b> Members       | <i>Confirmed:</i><br>17/09/26   | Lowton High School                           | Other governance role         | Foundation Governor         | 04/10/2023 | 04/10/2027 |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                    |                                 | St. John's Mosley Common C.E. Primary School | Employment                    | Headteacher                 | 2004       | -          |
| <b>Name:</b> David Clayton<br><b>Appointment:</b> Committee Member<br><b>Term of office start:</b> 24/09/26<br><b>Term of office end:</b> 31/08/26                                                 | <i>Confirmed:</i><br>02/09/26   | Epworth Education Trust                      | Other governance role         | Trustee                     | 01/09/2023 | -          |
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|  | <i>Confirmed:</i><br>02/09/26 | Arthur Terry Learning Partnership | Other governance role | Trustee | 01/09/26 | - |
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## Members

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| Name and appointment                                                                                                                                                                | Confirmed                              | Organisation                                         | Type of interest                      | Notes                                            | From       | To         |
| <b>Name:</b> Jill Brennan<br><b>Appointment:</b> Member                                                                                                                             | <i>Confirmed:</i><br>18/09/26          | Leading learners                                     | Personal or close family relationship | Daughter - Rebecca Williams                      | -----      | -----      |
| <b>Name:</b> Michelle Foster<br><b>Appointment:</b> Member                                                                                                                          | <i>Confirmed:</i><br>24/09/26          | Carr Mill Primary School, St Helens                  | Other governance role                 | Governor                                         | 19/01/2023 | 18/01/2027 |
|                                                                                                                                                                                     | <i>Confirmed:</i><br>24/09/26          | Wigan Council                                        | Employee                              | Strategic Lead for School and Academy Governance | 08/08/2022 | -          |
|                                                                                                                                                                                     | <i>Confirmed:</i><br>24/09/26          | National Association of Governance Advisory Services | Other governance role                 | Board member / NW Regional representative        | 15/11/2024 | -          |
| <b>Name:</b> Rebecca Williams<br><b>Appointment:</b> Member                                                                                                                         | <i>Confirmed:</i><br>18/09/26          | Leading Learners Trust                               | Personal or close family relationship | Jill Brennan - Mother                            | -----      | -----      |
| <b>Name:</b> Masara Sandells<br><b>Appointment:</b> Governance Manager<br><b>Term of office start:</b> 01/10/24<br><b>Term of office end:</b> -<br><b>Appointed by:</b> Trust Board | <i>Nothing to Declare:</i><br>24/09/26 | -                                                    | -                                     | -                                                | -          | -          |

## Historical positions

| Name and appointment                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | Confirmed                | Interests                |                       |                                                                         |            |         |
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| <b>Name:</b> Leszek lwaskow<br><b>Appointment:</b> Trustee<br><b>Term of office start:</b> 09/09/2024<br><b>Term of office end:</b> 08/09/2028<br><b>Appointed by:</b> Members<br><b>Effective removal date:</b> 09/02/2026           | Confirmed:<br>11/09/2025 | Droysden Academy         | Other governance role | Part Of TAME River Academy Trust                                        | 31/12/2017 | -       |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |                          | L & S Associates         | Education Consultancy | Partner/Consultant and wife has completed work for the Trust previously |            | 04.2024 |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |                          | Geographical Association | Education             | Consultant                                                              | 2017       |         |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |                          | FRGS                     | Education             | Fellow                                                                  | 2001       |         |
| <b>Name:</b> Mark Davies<br><b>Appointment:</b> Trustee (Member Appointed)<br><b>Term of office start:</b> 05/09/2023<br><b>Term of office end:</b> 04/09/2027<br><b>Appointed by:</b> -<br><b>Effective removal date:</b> 30/01/2025 |                          | -                        | -                     | -                                                                       | -          | -       |