

Declaration of Interests 2025

Board Directors/ Trustees					
Name	Name of Business Interest	Nature of Business of Interest	Nature	From	To
Bob Bunting	Castle Newham School	Lead Investigator (casual)	Employee	01/05/2019	On-going
	Bedford Borough Council Strategic Partnership Group - Governance	Local Government Group	Member	02/03/2021	On-going
Judy Chandler	The British Educational Leadership, Management and Administration Society	Co-convenor for a Research Interest Group	Member	01/11/2021	On-going
	The Open University	Higher Education	Employee	18/07/2018	On-going
	Bedford Borough Council Strategic Partnership Group - Governance	Local Government Group	Member	01/10/2024	On-going
	University of Northampton	Higher Education	Board Member	08/04/2024	09/04/2027
Jacqueline Henry	Bedford Greenacre Independent School	Education	Employee	01/09/25	On-going
Sally Knight	Agora Learning Partnership	Education	Employee	17/11/2022	On-going
Mark Lehain	Advantage Schools	Education	Member	15/06/2018	On-going
	Wootton Academy Trust	Education	CEO/ Accounting Officer	06/06/2024	On-going
Nick Martin	Best Academies Trust	Education	Principal	01/09/2023	On-going

Ian Sibbald	Cranfield University	Higher Education	Employee	31/05/1994	On-going
	Institute of Chartered Accountants	Professional Association	Fellow	01/03/1994	On-going
	MK:U Ltd	Higher Education	Director	15/08/2018	On-going
Roy Testa resigned 31/07/25	Oro Homes	Property Rental	Finance interests	08/12/2023	On-going
	3 Heads Agency	Media Company	Managing Director	24/09/2020	On-going
	Maenza	Property Investment	Finance interests	24/02/2022	On-going
WAT Members					
Ian Smith	Danesborough Chorus	Member of the Committee	Musical Director	17/04/1977	On-going
	Bedford Choral Society	Member of the Committee	Musical Director	01/09/1985	On-going
	BLMK Music Hub	Member of the Committee	Member	01/09/2023	On-going
Malcolm Chalmers	Nothing to declare				

Directors/ Trustees of Wootton Academy Trust may also be Governors of Wootton Upper School & Arts College and/or Kimberley 16-19 STEM College