

Name:	Mark Billington	Member of the Quality, Curriculum & Students Committee	
Occupation:	Head of Economic Development and Enterprise		
Company:	London Borough of <i>Harrow</i>		
GB Membership	Start Date	August 2017	Re-election August 2021
Background, Skills & Interests:	<p>Mark runs the Enterprise function at Harrow Council, this includes economic development, adult community learning and research. He represents Harrow on the West London Growth Directors Board which drives forward the Action Plan for the West London Vision for Growth. The Plan focuses on skills, employment, productivity, transport, inward investment, and supporting West London businesses to grow.</p> <p>His route to becoming a Governor at Harrow College and Uxbridge College has been varied. At the London Development Agency, he was responsible for Relationships and Investment Planning in West and South London.</p> <p>In the 90's he established community businesses, and a job shop on the Angell Town estate in Lambeth, and later joined Harrow Association of Disabled People (HAD) where he developed an employment and training programme for disabled people.</p> <p>He left HAD to join the public sector and led Hammersmith and Fulham's Regeneration unit, which included key developments at Westfield, Imperial Wharf and Fulham Broadway.</p> <p>Mark managed the first "Modern Apprenticeships" for London East Training and Enterprise Council, where he was responsible for employment, training and apprenticeship programmes in the construction, engineering and manufacturing sector.</p> <p>His first 8 years of employment was spent supplying construction, hair, make up and wardrobe crews for television, theatre and film productions. (Working for the National Association of Television, Theatrical and Kine Employees, now known as BECTU)</p> <p>With Harrow Council he has won awards for work in developing supply chains and supporting businesses, and has been invited by the GLA to act as an expert witness on the future of town centres.</p>		

Name:	Steven Cochran (Vice Chair)	Member of the Search & Governance Committee and Chair of the Remuneration Committee		
Occupation:	Company Director			
Company:	Allied Irish Bank			
GB Membership	Start Date	March 2017	Re-election	March 2018
Background, Skills & Interests:	<p>Steven is Vice-Chair of the Corporation at HCUC after being Chair of the Governing Body of Uxbridge College. He joined the Corporation at Uxbridge College in 2009, chairing the Finance and Property Committee the following year before becoming Vice Chair of the Corporation in 2011.</p> <p>A fully qualified Chartered Banker, Steven has enjoyed a 28 year career in banking, working for Clydesdale Bank for 20 years in various roles in retail, business and corporate banking throughout Scotland, the North of England and London. He joined Allied Irish Bank in 2005, serving as Regional Manager for West London in Uxbridge for three years from 2007 where his association with the College began. Steven was also a Director of Graf Mortgage Corporation in 2011 before returning to AIB in 2012 where he is Head of Products and Customer Proposition for the UK. He was made a Fellow of the Institute of Bankers in Scotland in 2003 and completed an MBA at Ashridge Business School in 2008.</p> <p>Married to Julie with three daughters, Steven lives in Berkhamsted, Hertfordshire. He is keen on most sports, particularly cricket, golf, tennis and football and is an avid reader.</p>			

Name:	Mike Cox	Chair of the Audit Committee	
Occupation:	Managing Director		
Company:	Cox Costello & Horne Limited		
GB Membership	Start Date	December 2017	Re-election December 2018
Background, Skills & Interests:	<p>Mike is originally from Bolton in Lancashire and graduated from Brunel University in 1981. He is a Chartered Accountant and in 1997, he set up his own firm of Chartered Accountants in Rickmansworth where he employs up to 30 staff, 10 of whom are training to be accountants.</p> <p>Between 2002 and 2010 Mike served as a local Councillor representing Ruislip Manor. He has been a governor of two Schools in Ruislip, Hillingdon Home-Start, and a local sports charity providing help to children wanting to be Gymnasts.</p> <p>As well as an active interest in local and national politics Mike admits to supporting Bolton Wanderers and playing golf very badly.</p>		

Name:	Tracey Critchley	Member of Audit Committee, and Harrow College Stakeholder & Scrutiny Committee		
Occupation:	Co-ordinator Communications Support Unit			
Company:	Harrow College			
GB Membership	Start Date	August 2017	Re-election	March 2018
Background, Skills & Interests:	<p>After learning BSL in evening classes at Weald Campus, Tracey initially started work at Harrow College as a full-time volunteer supporting D/deaf learners in September 2001. After formally joining the CSU in January, 2002, she progressed from being a full-time Communicator, to Student Co-ordinator and then co-ordinating the Communication Support Unit for all Deaf and Hard of Hearing Students and the ACL Deaf Studies programmes. In addition, Tracey is part of the Safeguarding team, a regular contributor to the HR Focus Group and has gained the DtLLS teaching qualification. Tracy Was elected as Staff Governor (support) at Harrow College in March 2014.</p> <p>Tracey is committed to enhancing the college experience and development for learners, colleagues and external partners and visitors and to further increasing our reputation through expansion of programmes and awareness of effective inclusion.</p>			

Name:	Nick Davies (Chair)	Member of Remuneration Committee and Chair of Search & Governance Committee	
Occupation:	Senior Police Officer		
Company:	London Boroughs of Islington and Camden Metropolitan Police		
GB Membership	Start Date	1 August 2017	Re-election
Background, Skills & Interests:	<p>Nick is a senior Police Officer based in the London Boroughs of Islington and Camden with responsibility for a wide range of policing operations which include Neighbourhood Policing, Counter Terrorism, Victim Satisfaction and Police Confidence. His 26 year career in the force has been served in the Westminster, Barnet, Harrow and Brent Boroughs. He is a member of the command team for the Wembley Stadium with responsibility for Security Co-ordination.</p> <p>Nick was a Governor at Harrow College for 7 years and has served on a number of committees including Resources, Chair of Student Voice and as the designated Safeguarding Governor. He was Chair of Harrow College since 2013 and was appointed Chair of the HCUC Corporation on 1 August 2017. He has worked in a number of partnerships across London to understand and realise the diverse needs of students and communities. His operating principle as Chair is to provide clear direction through visible, approachable leadership and leading by example. He is committed to a governance ethos of rigorous challenge in a constructive and professional environment. He is committed to ensuring that the governing body gives the support and encouragement to the Principal and senior leadership team so that in their turn they are best able to help College students achieve their full potential both academically and in extra curricula activities such as sport and the arts, so they can move on to further/higher education and employment with confidence and every chance of success.</p>		

Name:	Nasim Khan	Member of the Audit Committee		
Occupation:	Director			
Company:	Triton Media			
GB Membership	Start Date	December 2017	Re-election	December 2018
Background, Skills & Interests:	<p>Nasim has extensive experience in export sales across EMEA markets within office equipment industry and oil/gas industries.</p> <p>His main skills are negotiation and developing long terms partnership programmes with sales side clients and with his new business, supply side vendors also. He has extensive M&A (mergers & acquisitions) experience.</p> <p>Nasim currently runs a business involved in the supply of IT and consumer electronics accessories to SME and broadcast industries.</p> <p>Nasim's interests are mainly following sports, especially cricket and football.</p>			

Name:	Lucy Khennache		Member of the Quality Curriculum & Students Committee, and Uxbridge College Stakeholder & Scrutiny Committee.	
Occupation:	Lecturer of Business and Advanced Practitioner for the Business School			
Company:	HCUC - Uxbridge College			
GB Membership	Start Date	June 2018	Re-election	June 2022
Background, Skills & Interests:	<p>Lucy is a Business Lecturer at Uxbridge College with experience teaching all Levels from Level 1 to Level 3 Year 2. Lucy currently works specifically within the Level 1 and Level 2 team on the new Curriculum introductions.</p> <p>Lucy has also been an Advanced Practitioner for the Business School for the last three years, helping ensure excellence in Teaching, Learning & Assessment and also working with the Teacher Training Department to ensure new Teachers are getting the support and help needed so they can be the best they can be in their new chosen profession. Previously she has worked in the Interior Design Sector for a high-end Interiors business based in Ascot.</p> <p>Lucy came to the FE sector in 2012 after completing her PGCE in Primary Education at Oxford Brookes University and then subsequently completing her QTLS qualification with Uxbridge College. Her Initial Degree was in Business & Management (BSc) at Brunel University.</p> <p>Lucy lives in Berkshire with her husband and enjoys Beekeeping as a member of the BBKA, yoga and other creative pursuits such as mosaic design and upcycling.</p>			

Name:	Alasdair MacLeod	Chair of the Resources Committee		
Occupation:	Risk Manager			
Company:	Xerox			
GB Membership	Start Date	March 2016	Re-election	March 2020
Background, Skills & Interests:	<p>Alasdair moved to West London in 1981, working with Xerox in Uxbridge as a Finance Analyst. Qualified as an accountant (CIMA), he has held many different financial roles in Xerox, leading to his current role as Risk Manager. In this role he assesses and manages risk on behalf of Xerox in the UK and Ireland. He was a previous governor at Uxbridge College, serving on the Governing Body between 1999 and 2008, on the Finance, Remuneration and Search committees.</p> <p>In his free time Alasdair enjoys long distance running, injuries permitting, plays golf locally and watches football.</p>			

Name:	Mariann Rand-Weaver	Member of Quality Curriculum & Students Committee and Chair of the Uxbridge College Stakeholder & Scrutiny Committee		
Occupation:	Pro Vice Chancellor (Quality Assurance & Enhancement)			
Company:	Brunel University			
GB Membership	Start Date	May 2017	Re-election	May 2018
Background, Skills & Interests:	<p>Professor Rand-Weaver joined Brunel University as a Research Fellow in 1991. During the past 26 years, she has held various positions and responsibilities, including Director of Biosciences and Deputy Head of School with responsibility for learning and teaching. Since 2011 she has been Pro-Vice Chancellor with responsibility for enhancing the quality of the University's academic provision. She remains committed to teaching and delivers lectures to final year undergraduate students, and is continuing her research through supervision of PhD students. Mariann has achieved the status of Principal Fellow of the Higher Education Academy in recognition of attainment against the UK Professional Standards Framework for teaching and learning support in higher education.</p> <p>Mariann has a BSc and a PhD in Biochemistry from King's College (London). She subsequently worked as a Postdoctoral Fellow at Universities in Norway, Japan and USA.</p> <p>For relaxation, Mariann enjoys running, walking, yoga and reading.</p>			

Name:	Ketan Sheth	Member of the Audit Committee	
Occupation:	Councillor		
Company:	London Borough of Brent		
GB Membership	Start Date	August 2017	Re-election August 2021
Background, Skills & Interests:	<p>Ketan is a councillor in the London Borough of Brent. He is a lawyer by profession and sits on a number of public bodies, including as a Chairman of the Valuation Tribunal for England.</p> <p>Ketan was a Governor for 7 years at Harrow College and served on the Audit Committee and the Curriculum, Quality and Standards Committee. He is now a member of the Resources Committee at HCUC.</p> <p>He passionately believes in the Corporation continuing to providing a high quality academic and vocational education to all the learners within our community.</p>		

Name:	Antonio Weiss		Chair of Quality Curriculum and Students Committee and Chair of the Harrow College Stakeholder & Scrutiny Committee	
Occupation:	Business Writer and Management Consultant			
Company:	Self-Employed			
GB Membership	Start Date	August 2017	Re-election	December 2019
Background, Skills & Interests:	<p>Antonio is a business writer and management consultant. His previous book, Key Business Solutions, published by Financial Times Press, was shortlisted for the Chartered Management Institute Management Book of the Year Award 2013, featured as a WHSmith Business Bestseller, and has been translated into several languages across the globe. He also writes regularly for newspapers and journals and presents at conferences on economic, business and political issues. As a consultant, he has advised public and private sector bodies on major strategy, capability building and performance improvement issues; Antonio has a particular focus on the NHS through his work as a Project Manager at the UK's leading public service specialist consultancy, 2020 Delivery.</p> <p>After originally joining as a co-opted member of the Curriculum, Quality & Standards Committee in 2009, Antonio was appointed to the Corporation of Harrow College in 2011. He is now a Chair of the Quality Curriculum & Students committee.</p> <p>Antonio is also Vice-Chair and Secretary of Harrow West Labour Party, and lives in Harrow-on-the-Hill. He holds a Bachelor's degree (First Class) and Master's degree (Distinction) in History from the University of Cambridge.</p>			

Name:	Tracy Reeve (Clerk)			
Occupation:	Clerk to the Corporation			
Email Address:	treeve@uxbridgecollege.co.uk			
GB Membership	Start Date	April 2009	Re-election	N/A
Background, Skills & Interests:	<p>Tracy graduated in 1984 with a degree in Economics and then joined the Civil Service. A variety of jobs within the Manpower Services Commission and Department of Employment followed. These were in public facing roles within the Jobcentre network as well as policy roles at Regional and Head Office level. Her final role was at the Office of Manpower Economics where she was supporting the Armed Forces Pay Review Body.</p> <p>The move to the world of Further Education came in 2004 when she joined an agricultural college in Berkshire as Clerk to the Corporation. Tracy successfully completed the ICOSA Certificate in FE Governance in 2005 and subsequently took on her second clerking role at Uxbridge College in 2009.</p> <p>When not working, she lives with her husband and two children in Berkshire. She enjoys swimming, reading, sings in her local Rock Choir (with 109 others), and is a member of a not-very-successful pub quiz team.</p>			

Name:	Laraine Smith OBE	Member of Resources Committee, Quality Curriculum & Students Committee, and Search & Governance Committee	
Occupation:	Group Principal & CEO		
Company:	HCUC <i>A merger between Harrow College & Uxbridge College</i>		
Background, Skills & Interests:	<p>Laraine was appointed Principal of Uxbridge College in August 2007, having previously been Vice Principal Curriculum and Standards at the College since October 2003. Laraine was born in Sydney, Australia where she grew up and was educated before coming to London as a qualified teacher in the mid-80s. Laraine has experience of both the secondary school sector and post-16 education in the further education sector. Laraine’s passion for education has resulted in a successful career as both an educator and as a leader in further education.</p> <p>Laraine’s main motivation as Principal is to create an education environment that stretches and challenges students to succeed to the best of their ability and which enables individual students to progress in line with their ambitions. Laraine is also determined to ensure that the College has a broad and positive impact on the locality and the region that it serves.</p>		