

GENERAL OPTICAL COUNCIL – COUNCIL MEMBER REGISTER OF INTERESTS

	Own interests				Connected Persons interests
	Current interests	Professional memberships	Previous interests	GOC committee memberships	
Raymond CURRAN Registrant member (OO)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Head of Ophthalmic Services, Strategic Planning and Performance Group, DoH, NI 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Life Fellow, College of Optometrists Member, AOP 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Council Member (1993-2008) and Trustee (2005-2008), College of Optometrists Member of Court, Ulster University Council Member and President, Northern Ireland Optometric Society NICE Fellow (2022/23) Clinical Tutor, Ulster University 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Member: Audit Risk & Finance Committee Member: Registration Committee 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> None
Kathryn FOREMAN Lay Member	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Lay Member Assurance & Appointments Committee – General Pharmaceutical Council Investigations Panel Member – Architects Registration Board Non-Executive Director- Primary Care 24 (Merseyside) Ltd Lay Member Police Misconduct Panels – NW Police & Crime Commissioners 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Law Society (non- practising) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Lay Member Health & Care Professionals Council (ended December 2023) Associate Midlands and Lancashire Commissioning Support Unit (2022-23) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Lay Council Member Member: Advisory Panel – Registration Committee (from Dec 2024) Member, Audit, Risk and Finance Committee (from Dec 2024) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> None
Lisa GERSON Registrant (OO)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Clinic Tutor: Cardiff University Observer status: Regional Optical Committee (ROC) meetings across Wales Observer status: GOC representative to Optometry Wales 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Member of AOP Member of College of Optometry 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Chair: Optometry Wales Member: GOC Hearings Panel Member/Acting Chair: GOC Investigation Panel Member: GOC Education Visitor Panel College Counsellor: College of Optometrists Trustee: College of Optometrists Trustee: AOP Employee: Ronald 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Registration Committee Chair Nominations Committee Chair Council lead for FtP 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> None

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			Brown Group <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Employee: Boots Optician Primary Care Supervisor: Cardiff University 		
Ken GILL Lay Member	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Independent Management Board member of the Council of the Inns of Court (until 31 December 2024). Main Board Non-Executive Member and Chair: Audit and Risk Assurance Committee at the Legal Aid Agency. Honorary member: Study Portals 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Chartered Accountant Member of the Chartered Institute of Public Finance and Accountancy. Chartered Member of the Chartered Institute of Personnel and Development Fellow of the Royal Society of Arts 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Independent member of the Audit and Risk Committee of the General Medical Council Independent member of the Audit and Risk Committee of the Royal College of Veterinary Surgeons. Vice Chair of Board and Chair of Audit Committee at the Countess of Chester NHS Foundation Trust. Client of FTP auditors Weightmans Weightmans and Stewart Duffy (in role with Countess of Chester NHS Foundation Trust). UK Advisory Board member: Study Portals 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Member: Lay Council member Chair: Audit, Risk & Finance Committee 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> None
Ros LEVENSON Lay member	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Chair of The Expert Advisory Group for the OSIRIS B project at Queen Mary University of London Chair of The SKILL mix-ED study Study Steering Committee at St Georg'es University of London/Kingston University. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Chair of the Patient and Lay Committee (APLC) at the Academy of Medical Royal Colleges (AoMRC) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Lay Member: Council Member: Nominations Committee Member: Standards Committee Council lead for FtP 	None

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Frank MUNRO Registrant (OO)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Director Munro Eyecare Limited (T/A Munro Optometrists) • Clinical Adviser, Optometry Scotland • Optometric Advisor, NHS Lanarkshire • Lead Optometrist, Glasgow City Health & Social care Partnership • Visiting Lecturer, Glasgow Caledonian University • Visiting Lecturer, Edinburgh University (MSc Ophthalmology programme) • Chair, NHS Lanarkshire Optometric Advisory Committee • Member, Greater Glasgow & Clyde Prescribing Review Board 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Past President and Honorary Life Fellow, College of Optometrists • Member, Association of Optometrists • Member, Optometry Scotland • Hon Fellow, Association of Dispensing Opticians • Member, British Contact Lens Association 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Past President, College of Optometrists • Past Chair, Optometry Scotland • Past Chair, Scottish Committee of Optometrists • Past Chair, NHS Education for Scotland Optometry Advisory Board 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Registrant Member: Council • Member: Education Committee • Member: Audit, Risk & Finance Committee • 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • None
Tim PARKINSON Lay Member	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Director: Tim Parkinson Limited (consultancy not to optical sector or organisations linked to optical sector) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fellow: Chartered Management Institute • Membership of the Institute of Water 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • None 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Senior Council member • Chair: Investment Committee • Chair: Companies Committee • Chair: Remuneration Committee 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • None
Prof. Hema RADHAKRISHNAN Registrant (OO)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Professor and Member of the Board of Governors: University of Manchester- • Member of Advisory Board: Zeiss Vision group • External examiner- Aston University Undergraduate and Masters Optometry programmes • Research funding and collaboration with Optegra Eye Hospital group • Associate Editor, Translational Vision Science and Technology, an Association of Research in Vision and Ophthalmology Journal. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Member: College of Optometrists- 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Editorial board member Optometry in Practice, a College of Optometrists journal 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Registrant member: Council • Member: Advisory Panel – Education 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • None
Poonam SHARMA Registrant (OO)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lead Optometry Adviser, NHSE (London) • Occasional locum optometrist, various high street optical practices • Mentor, Social Mobility Foundation 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Member of AOP • Member of College of Optometrists 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Member: Council • Companies Committee • Council lead for regulatory reform 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • None
William STOCKDALE Registrant (DO)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Own an organisation in the Optical Sector - Optimise Ltd 50% Shareholding. • Own an organisation in the Optical Sector - Telford Opticians 50% Stake. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Member of ABDO • Member of FODO • Member of ONI 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Chair: Optometry Northern Ireland • Member of a consultative body in the Optical Sector • Member BSO 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Member: Council Member • Member: Nominations Committee • Member: Advisory Panel – Standards Committee 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • None

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			Ophthalmic Committee. • Non-Executive Director FODO		
Dr Anne WRIGHT CBE Lay Chair	• None	• None	• Committee member: The Shaw Society • Director of Circa management company	• Chair: Council	• None
Catherine YELF Lay Member	• Trustee, Action Against AMD (Eye research charity) unremunerated	• None	• None	• Lay Member: Council • Member: Companies Committee • Member: Investment Committee • Council lead - FtP	• None