

Register of Interests 2020/21

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Non-members of Court

[Steven Wallace](#)

[Dr Veena O'Halloran](#)

Dame Sue Bruce (Convener of Court)

Directorships (including non-executive):

- Chair, Royal Scottish National Orchestra (RSNO)
- Non-Executive Director, Chair of REM, SSE Plc
- Trustee, The Prince's Foundation
- Director Bruce Consultancy Service Ltd
- Electoral Commissioner, Scotland
- Independent Chair of Nominations Committee, NTS
- Independent Chair, Expert Panel on Environmental Charging & Other Measures (concluding with publication of report summer 2020)

Employment by public/private companies/consultancies: Nil

Significant shareholdings in public/private companies:

- Minor shareholding in SSE PLC.

Ownership/part ownership of other businesses/consultancies:

- Director, Bruce Consultancy Service Ltd

Positions with other higher education institutions:

- Visiting Professor, University of Strathclyde (non-staff)

Significant gifts or hospitality arising from Court membership: Nil

Any other relevant interest: Nil

Relevant and known interests of spouse, partner and close family:

- Director, Bruce Consultancy Service Ltd (Spouse)

Ronnie Cleland (Vice-Convener of Court and Deputy Convener, Staff)

Directorships (including non-executive): Nil

Employment by public/private companies/consultancies: Nil

Significant shareholdings in public/private companies: Nil

Ownership/part ownership of other businesses/consultancies: Nil

Positions with other higher education institutions: Nil

Significant gifts or hospitality arising from Court membership: Nil

Any other relevant interest: Nil

Relevant and known interests of spouse, partner and close family: Nil

Marion Venman (Deputy Convener, Estates)

Directorships (including non-executive):

- Secretary to: Scottish Power Ltd and Scottish Power UK plc
- Director of: Scottish Power UK plc, Scottish Power Investments Ltd, Scottish Power Retail Holdings Ltd, Scottish Power Renewable Energy Ltd, Drummer Investments Ltd.

Employment by public/private companies/consultancies:

- Scottish Power UK plc

Significant shareholdings in public/private companies: Nil

Ownership/part ownership of other businesses/consultancies: Nil

Positions with other higher education institutions: Nil

Significant gifts or hospitality arising from Court membership: Nil

Any other relevant interest: Nil

Relevant and known interests of spouse, partner and close family: Nil

Dr Jeremy Beeton (Co-opted member of Court)

Directorships (including non-executive):

- Non-Executive Director of John Laing Plc
- Non-Executive Director of Pensana Plc.

Employment by public/private companies/consultancies: Nil

Significant shareholdings in public/private companies:

- SSE Plc;
- John Laing Plc;
- National Grid Plc.

Ownership/part ownership of other businesses/consultancies:

- Tanah Merah Ltd.

Positions with other higher education institutions: Nil

Significant gifts or hospitality arising from Court membership: Nil

Any other relevant interest: Nil

Relevant and known interests of spouse, partner and close family: Nil

Paula Galloway (Co-opted member of Court)

Directorships (including non-executive):

- Director and Governor at The High School of Glasgow

Employment by public/private companies/consultancies:

- Employee at French Duncan LLP

Significant shareholdings in public/private companies: Nil

Ownership/part ownership of other businesses/consultancies: Nil

Positions with other higher education institutions: Nil

Significant gifts or hospitality arising from Court membership: Nil

Any other relevant interest (e.g. unremunerated posts, honorary positions and other connections which might give rise to a conflict of interest or trust): Nil

Relevant and known interests of spouse, partner and close family: Nil

Dr Archie Bethel (Co-opted member of Court)

Directorships (including non-executive):

- Babcock International Group Plc
- Babcock Canada Inc
- Babcock Australia PTY
- Society of Maritime Industries

Employment by public/private companies/consultancies:

- Babcock International Group Plc

Significant shareholdings in public/private companies:

- Babcock International Group Plc

Ownership/part ownership of other businesses/consultancies: Nil

Positions with other higher education institutions: Nil

Significant gifts or hospitality arising from Court membership: Nil

Any other relevant interest: Nil

Relevant and known interests of spouse, partner and close family: Nil

Gillian Hastings (Treasurer)

Directorships (including non-executive):

- Non-Executive Director, Livingston James Ltd
- Non-Executive Director, Central Investment Services (Scotland) Ltd

Employment by public/private companies/consultancies: Nil

Significant shareholdings in public/private companies: Nil

Ownership/part ownership of other businesses/consultancies: Nil

Positions with other higher education institutions: Nil

Significant gifts or hospitality arising from Court membership: Nil

Any other relevant interest: Nil

Relevant and known interests of spouse, partner and close family: Nil

Alison Culpan (Co-opted member of Court)

Directorships (including non-executive): Nil

Employment by public/private companies/consultancies:

- ABPI

Significant shareholdings in public/private companies: Nil

Ownership/part ownership of other businesses/consultancies: Nil

Positions with other higher education institutions: Nil

Significant gifts or hospitality arising from Court membership: Nil

Any other relevant interest: Nil

Relevant and known interests of spouse, partner and close family: Nil

Peter Young (Co-opted member of Court)

Directorships (including non-executive):

- Executive Chairman, Director, GSI Ltd
- Founder member of Scottish Space Leadership Council (pro bono)

Employment by public/private companies/consultancies:

- Senior Advisor to Stevenson Astrosat Ltd
- Member of Scottish Centre of Excellence in Satellite Applications (SoXSA) Strategy Board (2017 – to date) – *pro bono*

Significant shareholdings in public/private companies: Nil

Ownership/part ownership of other businesses/consultancies: Nil

Positions with other higher education institutions: Nil

Significant gifts or hospitality arising from Court membership: Nil

Any other relevant interest: Nil

Relevant and known interests of spouse, partner and close family: Nil

Stephen Ingledew (Co-opted member of Court)

Directorships (including non-executive): Nil

Employment by public/private companies/consultancies:

- Chief Executive, FinTech Scotland

Significant shareholdings in public/private companies: Nil

Ownership/part ownership of other businesses/consultancies: Nil

Positions with other higher education institutions: Nil

Significant gifts or hospitality arising from Court membership: Nil

Any other relevant interest: Nil

Relevant and known interests of spouse, partner and close family: Nil

Malcolm Roughead (Co-opted member of Court)

Directorships (including non-executive):

- Non-Executive Director, SCDI

Employment by public/private companies/consultancies:

- CEO at VisitScotland

Significant shareholdings in public/private companies: Nil

Ownership/part ownership of other businesses/consultancies: Nil

Positions with other higher education institutions: Nil

Significant gifts or hospitality arising from Court membership: Nil

Any other relevant interest: Nil

Relevant and known interests of spouse, partner and close family: Nil

Susan Kelly (Co-opted member of Court)

Directorships (including non-executive): Nil

Employment by public/private companies/consultancies: Nil

Significant shareholdings in public/private companies: Nil

Ownership/part ownership of other businesses/consultancies:

- Partner of Dentons UK & Middle East LLP

Positions with other higher education institutions: Nil

Significant gifts or hospitality arising from Court membership: Nil

Any other relevant interest: Nil

Relevant and known interests of spouse, partner and close family: Nil

Brenda Wyllie (Co-opted member of Court)

Directorships (including non-executive):

- Techfest Board of Directors

Employment by public/private companies/consultancies:

- Oil & Gas Authority, Northern North Sea and West of Shetland Area Manager

Significant shareholdings in public/private companies: Nil

Ownership/part ownership of other businesses/consultancies: Nil

Positions with other higher education institutions: Nil

Significant gifts or hospitality arising from Court membership: Nil

Any other relevant interest: Nil

Relevant and known interests of spouse, partner and close family: Nil

Virginia Beckett (Co-opted member of Court)

Directorships (including non-executive): Nil

Employment by public/private companies/consultancies: Nil

Significant shareholdings in public/private companies: Nil

Ownership/part ownership of other businesses/consultancies: Nil

Positions with other higher education institutions: Nil

Significant gifts or hospitality arising from Court membership: Nil

Any other relevant interest: Nil

Relevant and known interests of spouse, partner and close family: Nil

Professor Sir Jim McDonald (Principal)

Directorships (including non-executive):

- Non-Executive Director, Offshore Renewable Energy Catapult
- Non-Executive Director, Weir Group Plc
- Non-Executive Director, National Physical Laboratory
- Non-Executive Director, Scottish Power

Employment by public/private companies/consultancies: Nil

Significant shareholdings in public/private companies: Nil

Ownership/part ownership of other businesses/consultancies: Nil

Positions with other higher education institutions:

- Chair, Energy Technology Partnership (Research Pool)
- Chair, Scottish Research Partnership in Engineering (Research Pool)
- Presidential Fellow, New York University
- Visiting Professor, Department of Electronic and Electrical Engineering, Imperial College, London
- Honorary Professor, Peking University, Beijing

Significant gifts or hospitality arising from Court membership: Nil

Any other relevant interest:

- President, Royal Academy of Engineering
- Co-Chair, Scottish Energy Advisory Board
- Chair, Glasgow Economic Leadership Board
- Member, Sustainable Glasgow Board
- Member, SE Technology Advisory Group
- Trustee, Queen Elizabeth Prize Foundation
- Honorary President, IET Scotland
- Chair and Trustee, Alt Dearg Charity

Relevant and known interests of spouse, partner and close family: Nil

Professor Scott MacGregor (Vice-Principal)

Directorships (including non-executive):

- Samtech Ltd, Nominated Director of Glasgow Chamber of Commerce (representing the University of Strathclyde)

Employment by public/private companies/consultancies: Nil

Significant shareholdings in public/private companies:

- Samtech Ltd

Ownership/part ownership of other businesses/consultancies: Nil

Positions with other higher education institutions: Nil

Significant gifts or hospitality arising from Court membership: Nil

Any other relevant interest:

- Allan Glen's School Club Trustee, Allan Glen's Endowment Scholarship Trust

Relevant and known interests of spouse, partner and close family: Nil

Dr Katharine Mitchell (Senate member of Court)

Directorships (including non-executive): Nil

Employment by public/private companies/consultancies: Nil

Significant shareholdings in public/private companies: Nil

Ownership/part ownership of other businesses/consultancies: Nil

Positions with other higher education institutions: Nil

Significant gifts or hospitality arising from Court membership: Nil

Any other relevant interest: Nil

Relevant and known interests of spouse, partner and close family: Nil

Heather Stenhouse (Professional Services member of Court)

Directorships (including non-executive): Nil

Employment by public/private companies/consultancies: Nil

Significant shareholdings in public/private companies: Nil

Ownership/part ownership of other businesses/consultancies: Nil

Positions with other higher education institutions: Nil

Significant gifts or hospitality arising from Court membership: Nil

Any other relevant interest: Nil

Relevant and known interests of spouse, partner and close family: Nil

Barbara Keating (Professional Services member of Court)

Directorships (including non-executive): Nil

Employment by public/private companies/consultancies: Nil

Significant shareholdings in public/private companies: Nil

Ownership/part ownership of other businesses/consultancies: Nil

Positions with other higher education institutions:

- Open University - Associate Lecturer;
- External Examiner - Aston University

Significant gifts or hospitality arising from Court membership: Nil

Any other relevant interest: Nil

Relevant and known interests of spouse, partner and close family:

- Spouse - Director of Yachting Worldwide

Linda Brownlow (Professional Services member of Court)

Directorships (including non-executive): Nil

Employment by public/private companies/consultancies: Nil

Significant shareholdings in public/private companies: Nil

Ownership/part ownership of other businesses/consultancies: Nil

Positions with other higher education institutions: External Examiner, University of Aberdeen

Significant gifts or hospitality arising from Court membership: Nil

Any other relevant interest: Nil

Relevant and known interests of spouse, partner and close family: Nil

Andrew Eccles (Trade Union member of Court)

Directorships (including non-executive): Nil

Employment by public/private companies/consultancies: Nil

Significant shareholdings in public/private companies: Nil

Ownership/part ownership of other businesses/consultancies: Nil

Positions with other higher education institutions: Nil

Significant gifts or hospitality arising from Court membership: Nil

Any other relevant interest: Nil

Relevant and known interests of spouse, partner and close family: Nil

William McLachlan (Trade Union member of Court)

Directorships (including non-executive): Nil

Employment by public/private companies/consultancies: Nil

Significant shareholdings in public/private companies: Nil

Ownership/part ownership of other businesses/consultancies:

- Owns 1 taxi and part of Glasgow Taxis Limited

Positions with other higher education institutions: Nil

Significant gifts or hospitality arising from Court membership: Nil

Any other relevant interest:

- Hold the positions of Branch Treasurer ,Workplace rep, Equalities rep and Learning Rep in Unite The Union Strathclyde University Branch.
- Chair - Glasgow Provan Constituency Labour Party
- Chair - Friends of Alexandra Park
- Chair - Glasgow east-centre crime prevention panel

Relevant and known interests of spouse, partner and close family: Nil

Kayla-Megan Burns (Student President, Strath Union)

Directorships (including non-executive):

- Trustee of the University of Strathclyde Students' Association

Employment by public/private companies/consultancies: Nil

Significant shareholdings in public/private companies: Nil

Ownership/part ownership of other businesses/consultancies: Nil

Positions with other higher education institutions: Nil

Significant gifts or hospitality arising from Court membership: Nil

Any other relevant interest: Nil

Relevant and known interests of spouse, partner and close family: Nil

Chelbi Hillan (Student Vice-President (Education), Strath Union)

Directorships (including non-executive):

- Trustee of the University of Strathclyde Students' Association

Employment by public/private companies/consultancies: Nil

Significant shareholdings in public/private companies: Nil

Ownership/part ownership of other businesses/consultancies: Nil

Positions with other higher education institutions: Nil

Significant gifts or hospitality arising from Court membership: Nil

Any other relevant interest: Nil

Relevant and known interests of spouse, partner and close family: Nil

Councillor Ruairi Kelly (Glasgow City Council member of Court)

Directorships (including non-executive):

- Convener, Glasgow City Council Contracts and Property Committee
- Member, City Administration Committee
- Member, Finance and Audit Scrutiny Committee
- Glasgow East Arts Company
- Provan Hall Community Management Trust

Employment by public/private companies/consultancies: Nil

Significant shareholdings in public/private companies: Nil

Ownership/part ownership of other businesses/consultancies: Nil

Positions with other higher education institutions: Nil

Significant gifts or hospitality arising from Court membership: Nil

Any other relevant interest: Nil

Relevant and known interests of spouse, partner and close family: Nil

Steven Wallace (Chief Financial Officer)

Directorships (including non-executive):

- Non-Executive Director on the Ayrshire College Board of Management

Employment by public/private companies/consultancies: Nil

Significant shareholdings in public/private companies: Nil

Ownership/part ownership of other businesses/consultancies: Nil

Positions with other higher education institutions: Nil

Significant gifts or hospitality arising from Court membership: Nil

Any other relevant interest: Nil

Relevant and known interests of spouse, partner and close family: Nil

Dr Veena O'Halloran (University Secretary and Compliance Officer)

Directorships (including non-executive):

- Board Member, Scottish Further and Higher Education Funding Council (until October 2023)

Employment by public/private companies/consultancies: Nil

Significant shareholdings in public/private companies: Nil

Ownership/part ownership of other businesses/consultancies: Nil

Positions with other higher education institutions: Nil

Significant gifts or hospitality arising from Court membership: Nil

Any other relevant interest: Nil

Relevant and known interests of spouse, partner and close family:

- Spouse is Emeritus Professor at University of St Andrews.