

**ADVISORY PANEL – REGISTER OF INTEREST (UPDATED 31 January 2024)**

	Own interests				Connected Persons interests
	Current interests	Professional memberships	Previous interests	GOC committee memberships	
Jacqui <b>ADAMS</b> Lay Member	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Lay Chair: Independent Decision-Making Body of the Bar Standards Board</li> <li>• Registrant Panel Member: Fitness to Practice Board of the Health &amp; Professions Council (HCPC)</li> <li>• Director: Adams Consulting Partners Ltd</li> <li>• Board Member: Care Apprenticeships Board Ltd CIC</li> <li>• Occupational Therapist: Health &amp; Care Professions Council</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• None</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• None</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Member: Advisory Panel - Education</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• None</li> </ul>
Kay <b>BAGSHAW</b> Registrant DO	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Online Course Tutor: ABDO</li> <li>• Exam Invigilator: ABDO</li> <li>• Optical Skills Tutor: Woodspeen Training</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Member: Association of British Dispensing Opticians</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Optical Manager: Asda</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Member: Advisory Panel - Standards</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• None</li> </ul>
Nigel <b>BEST</b> Registered OO	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Consultant: Specsavers Professional Services Department</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• None</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Director and Shareholder (50%): Specsavers Darlington</li> <li>• Director and Shareholder (25%) Specsavers Swaledale</li> <li>• Director: Best Optical Consultants (advising body corporate and individual registrants in the optical sector)</li> <li>• Member: Optometry Steering Group, Teesside University</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Member: Advisory Panel - Standards</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Close relative: employee, Specsavers Darlington</li> <li>• Close relative: Director and Shareholder (100%), Best Optical Consultants</li> </ul>
Geraldine <b>BIRKS</b> Lay Member	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Clinical Case Examiner and Investigating Committee Chair: General Dental Council</li> <li>• Dental Specialist Advisor: Care Quality Commission</li> <li>• Dental Workforce Development Postgraduate Tutor: Health Education England/NHS England</li> <li>• Executive Board: Faculty of Dental Trainers, Royal College of Surgeons of Edinburgh</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Society for Advancement of Anaesthesiology in Dentistry</li> <li>• Fellow Faculty of Dental Trainers: Royal College of Surgeons of Edinburgh</li> <li>• Member: Royal Society of Public Health</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• EEA and Non-EEA Registration Assessor: General Dental Council</li> <li>• Quality Assurance Educational Inspector of UK Dental schools: General Dental Council</li> <li>• Clinical Contact Caseworker: NHS</li> <li>• NHS Clinical Contact Caseworker: Public</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Member: Advisory Panel - Registration</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• None</li> </ul>

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			Health England and NHS Professionals <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Lead Dental Nurse Tutor: York College</li> </ul>		
Peter <b>BLACK</b> Registrant (DO)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Employed: Senior Lecturer, University of Central Lancashire (Course Lead BSc Ophthalmic Dispensing)</li> <li>• Board Member Association of British Dispensing Opticians (ABDO)</li> <li>• Trustee Accrington Blind Society</li> <li>• Trustee ABDO Research Fund</li> <li>• Director (non-salaried) and Shareholder (50%): Orbita Black Limited (GOC accredited Continuing Professional Development (CPD) provider) that provides optical, retail, business improvement, training and advice to the optical sector including companies who invest in the optical sector.</li> <li>• Practical Examiner and Practice Visitor / Assessor ABDO</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Fellow of Association of British Dispensing Opticians (FBDO)</li> <li>• Fellow of Higher Education Academy (FHEA)</li> <li>• Fellow of European Academy of Optometry and Optics (FEAEO)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Chair Joint Optical Committee to Europe (ended July 2022)</li> <li>• European Council Optometry and Optics Professional Services Committee (ended July 2022)</li> <li>• Advisor: Association of British Dispensing Opticians Board (ended 2018)</li> <li>• Dispensing Standards Manager: Boots Opticians (ended April 2017)</li> <li>• Past President: Association of British Dispensing Opticians (ended April 2016)</li> <li>• Former Trustee: Association of British Dispensing Opticians College (ended April 2016)</li> <li>• Director Conlons Opticians (2003-2014)</li> </ul>	Member: Advisory Panel – Registration Committee	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Close relative: General Optical Council registrant and CPD provider</li> </ul>
Gordon <b>DINGWALL</b> Registrant (DO)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Director: Boots Opticians</li> <li>• Head: Franchise &amp; Property, Boots</li> </ul>	•	•	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Member: Advisory Panel – Companies Committee</li> </ul>	• None
Dean <b>DUNNING</b> Registrant (DO)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• British and Irish Universities and Colleges of Contact Lens educators (BUCCLE)</li> <li>• Chief Examiner: Contacts Lens Practice: ABDO</li> <li>• Theory and Practical Examiner: ABDO</li> <li>• Deputy Head of Professional Qualifications and Examinations: ABDO</li> <li>• Lecturer: Contact Lens Certificate, Bradford College</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Member &amp; Fellow: British Contact Lens Association</li> <li>• Member &amp; Fellow: International Association Contact Lens Educators</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Dispensing Optician and Contact Lens Optician for Specsavers, Boots Opticians, Rayner Opticians in the last 25 years, although not employed in</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Member: Advisory Panel - Education</li> </ul>	• None

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Lecturer: Contact Lens Certificate, Bradford College</li> </ul>		professional practice since 2012 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Programme Leader, Bradford College</li> </ul>		
Giles <b>EDMONDS</b> Registrant (OO)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Director: Specsavers Eye Care Services Limited</li> <li>Director: Aldridge Specsavers Limited</li> <li>Director of Mere Green Specsavers Limited</li> <li>Director: Nottingham Newmedica Limited</li> <li>Director: New Medical Systems Limited</li> <li>Director: Specsavers Healthcall Limited</li> <li>Director: Sutton Coldfield VisionPlus Limited</li> <li>Director: Sutton Coldfield Specsavers Limited</li> <li>Member: Optics and Newmedica Boards</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Member: College of Optometrists</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Director: FODO</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Member: Advisory Panel – Companies Committee</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li></li> </ul>
Lynn <b>EMSLIE</b> Lay Member	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Chair: ARC (Supporting Homeless People)</li> <li>Chair: Independent Advisory Panel on Deaths in Custody</li> <li>Council Member: Nacro</li> <li>Member: Economic and Social Research Council</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>None</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Board Trustee: Gloucestershire Counselling Service (GCS)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Member: Advisory Panel - Registration</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>None</li> </ul>
Dr Josie <b>FORTE</b> Registrant (OO)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Employed optometrist and director (with shareholding): Specsavers (Plymouth Armada Way; Plymstock; and Plymouth Marsh Mills)</li> <li>Consultant: Specsavers Optical Superstores</li> <li>Lead assessor: Wales Optometry Postgraduate Education Centre, Cardiff University</li> <li>Lecturer (occasional, visiting): University of the West of England</li> <li>Lecturer (occasional, visiting): Plymouth University</li> <li>Vice chair (acting): Devon Local Eye Health Network</li> <li>Vice chair (acting): Cornwall Local Eye Health Network</li> <li>VisionForte Ltd (50% shareholding)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Member: College of Optometrists</li> <li>Registered with the Optometrists and Dispensing Opticians Board of New Zealand</li> <li>Liveryman: Worshipful Company of Spectacle Makers</li> <li>Member: Clinical Committee at FODO</li> <li>Member: Royal College of Ophthalmologists</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Member: Devon Local Optical Committee (end May 2017)</li> <li>Optometrist: Specsavers Torquay (end Apr 2014)</li> <li>Optometrist: Lascelles Opticians Plymouth (end Jun 2006)</li> <li>Specsavers Plymouth Cornwall Street Ltd (ended April 2020)</li> <li>Specsavers Saltash Ltd (ended April 2020)</li> <li>Specsavers Devon2 Domiciliary (ended January 2020)</li> <li>Board trustee: Inspiring Schools Partnership, Plymouth</li> <li>Member: AOP<sup>6</sup></li> <li>Board member: Federation of Ophthalmic and Dispensing Opticians</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Registrant Council Member</li> <li>Chair: Standards Committee</li> <li>Member: Remuneration Committee</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>None</li> </ul>

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Mike <b>GALVIN</b> Lay Member	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Non-executive Director: Martello Technologies Group Inc</li> <li>• Non-executive Director: ThinkRF</li> <li>• Director of Streetwave Ltd (a company registered in the UK)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Member: Institution of Engineering and Technology</li> <li>• Fellow: Institute of Telecom Professionals.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• None</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Lay member: Council</li> <li>• Chair: Education Committee</li> <li>• Member: Audit, Risk and Finance Committee</li> <li>• Council Lead: GOC Refresh</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• None</li> </ul>
Lisa <b>GERSON</b> Registrant (OO)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Primary Care Supervisor: Cardiff University</li> <li>• Observer status: Regional Optical Committee (ROC) meetings across Wales</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Member of AOP</li> <li>• Member of College of Optometry</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Chair: Optometry Wales</li> <li>• Member: GOC Hearings Panel</li> <li>• Member/Acting Chair: GOC Investigation Panel</li> <li>• Member: GOC Education Visitor Panel</li> <li>• College Counsellor: College of Optometrists</li> <li>• Trustee: College of Optometrists</li> <li>• Trustee: AOP</li> <li>• Employee: Ronald Brown Group</li> <li>• Employee: Boots Optician</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Registration Committee Chair</li> <li>• Nominations Committee Member</li> <li>• Council lead for FtP</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• None</li> </ul>
Sally <b>GOSLING</b> Lay Member	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Subject matter expert for credentials: NHS England (with wider input to eyecare education and workforce development initiatives)</li> <li>• Quality assurance education inspector: Social Work England</li> <li>• Adviser: College of Optometrists</li> <li>• Revalidation reviewer: General Pharmaceutical Council</li> <li>• Quality assurance/CPD expert adviser: Bar Standards Board</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• None</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Director of education for the College of Optometrists</li> <li>• External adviser to Aston University (advanced practice MSc in eyecare)</li> <li>• External adviser to University of Hertfordshire (pre-reg. MOptom)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Member: Advisory Panel - Education</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• None</li> </ul>

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Lay assessor for fitness to practise processes: British Association for Counselling and Psychotherapy</li> <li>Lay council member: Institute of Osteopathy</li> </ul>				
Louise <b>GOW</b> Registrant (OO)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Employed: Clinical lead eye health, optometry and low vision Royal National Institute of Blind people.</li> <li>Visiting Clinical Supervisor (Low Vision): City University</li> <li>Bank staff Specialist Optometrist: SeeAbility Special Schools Eyecare Service</li> <li>Bank staff specialist optometrist St Thomas' Hospital</li> <li>Committee member National Institute for Health Research (ophthalmology)</li> <li>Volunteer classifier British Blind Sport</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Member: Association of Optometrists</li> <li>Member: College of Optometrists</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Former Council Member: Association of Optometrists</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Member: Advisory Panel - Registration</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>None</li> </ul>
Imran <b>HAKIM</b> Business Representative	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Director, Hakim Associates</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>None</li> <li>Member: FODO</li> <li>Member: AOP</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>None</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Member: Advisory Panel - Companies</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>None</li> </ul>
Anthony <b>HARVEY</b> Registrant (DO)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Dispensing Optician: Locum in high street practices</li> <li>S.T.E.M Ambassador, East Midlands Region</li> <li>Pre-registration Auditor, ARU</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Member: Association of British Dispensing Opticians</li> <li>Member: Nottinghamshire LOC</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Boots Opticians Professional Services. Bayfields opticians. Quirke and King optical Ltd.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Member: Advisory Panel - Registration</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Close acquaintance: serving GOC Hearings Panellist</li> <li>Close relative: Product Manager Boots Opticians Professional Services</li> </ul>
Gordon <b>ILETT</b> Business Representative	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Senior Optometrist: University Hospitals Plymouth (part-time)</li> <li>Associate Tutor/lecturer: Wales Optometry Postgraduate Education Centre (Cardiff University)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Member: College of Optometrists</li> <li>Member: Association of Optometrists</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Managing Director &amp; Shareholder: Linklater Warren Ltd (ended 2018)</li> <li>Optometrist: Linklater Warren Ltd (ended November 2019)</li> <li>Director (no shareholding): Primary Ophthalmic Solutions (provides community optometric services to six SE London CCGs)</li> <li>Optometric Advisor: NHS England (South)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Member: Advisory Panel - Companies</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>None</li> </ul>

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Imran <b>JAWAID</b> Registered Medical Practitioner	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Director and shareholder (50%): Optometry Consultancy Ltd (registered provider of Continuing Education and Training for optometrists)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• None</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• None</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Member: Advisory Panel - Education</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• None</li> </ul>
Sarah <b>JOYCE</b> Business Representative	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Superintendent Optometrist, ASDA</li> <li>• NED &amp; Chair, FODO</li> <li>• Disciplinary Panel Member, College of Optometrists</li> <li>• NED: LOCSU</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• College of Optometrists</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• None</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Member: Advisory Panel - Companies</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Hearings Panel member Sarvat Fida is an employee.</li> </ul>
Wayne <b>LEWIS</b> Registered Medical Practitioner	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Performance Assessment Team Leader Associate: General Medical Council</li> <li>• Internal Professional Adviser: Public Service Ombudsman of Wales</li> <li>• GOC Case Examiner</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• None</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• None</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Member: Advisory Panel – Companies</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• None</li> </ul>
Haseena <b>LOCKHAT</b> Lay Member	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Chartered Consultant Clinical Psychologist: NHS, CAMHS, Worcestershire Health and Care Trust (HACT)</li> <li>• Partner, Registration Assessor: Health and Care Professions Council (HCPC)</li> <li>• Trustee: Midlands Arts Centre</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• None</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• None</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Member: Advisory Panel - Standards</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• None</li> </ul>

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Andrew <b>LOGAN</b> Registrant (OO)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>External Advisor: Cardiff University (one-off assignment to prepare a report, as an external advisor, on two postgraduate programmes 15/05/2023- 02/06/2023)</li> <li>CET/CPD Speaker/Facilitator- Freelance for various providers: for various e.g. Association of Optometrists, EyeCare</li> <li>Senior Lecturer (Vision Sciences): Glasgow Caledonian University*</li> <li>External Examiner- University of Sheffield (Fee received for work carried out)</li> </ul> <p>* As part of my role of Lecturer in Vision Sciences at Glasgow Caledonian University, I am in receipt of research funding from the College of Optometrists. This comprises (i) a Research Fellowship awarded to my lab and (ii) a PhD studentship for a postgraduate researcher working within my lab. The funding covers research expenses, travel costs (e.g. to present at scientific meetings) and tuition fees + stipend for the PhD student. The funding does not cover any of my salary costs.</p> <p>As part of my research, I collaborate with other researchers at the University of Plymouth and the University of Bradford, both of whom are GOC-approved training providers. The collaborations involve carrying out joint research projects in our respective research labs and publishing the results in scientific journals.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Member: Association of Optometrists</li> <li>Member: College of Optometrists</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Lecturer (optometry): Bradford University (ended 18 January 2019)</li> <li>Member of Panel of Assessors (Optometrists), CORU</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Member: Advisory Panel – Education</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Optometrist- Locum (Self-employed)- Spouse</li> <li>College of Optometrists- Member- Spouse</li> </ul>
Dan <b>MCGHEE</b> Business Representative	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Director, Vision Express</li> <li>Body Corporate Director, Vision Express UK Joint Venture Business</li> <li>Non-Executive Director, FODO</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>None</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>None</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Member: Advisory Panel – Companies</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>None</li> </ul>
Clare <b>MINCHINGTON</b> Lay Member	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Board member and Chair of Audit and Risk Committee for the Government Internal Audit Agency</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Fellow: Association of Chartered Certified Accountants</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Senior Independent Board Member for the College of Policing (until Dec 2021)</li> <li>Chair of Academic Council for BPP University (until Oct 2021)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Lay Member: Senior Council Member</li> <li>Chair: Remuneration Committee</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>None</li> </ul>
Frank <b>MUNRO</b> Registrant (OO)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Director Munro Eyecare Limited (T/A Munro Optometrists)</li> <li>Clinical Adviser, Optometry Scotland</li> <li>Optometric Advisor, NHS Lanarkshire</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Past President and Honorary Life Fellow, College of Optometrists</li> <li>Member, Association of Optometrists</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Past President, College of Optometrists</li> <li>Past Chair, Optometry Scotland</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Registrant Member: Council</li> <li>Member: Education Committee</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>None</li> </ul>

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Lead Optometrist, Glasgow City Health &amp; Social care Partnership</li> <li>• Visiting Lecturer, Glasgow Caledonian University</li> <li>• Visiting Lecturer, Edinburgh University (MSc Ophthalmology programme)</li> <li>• Chair, NHS Lanarkshire Optometric Advisory Committee</li> <li>• Member, Greater Glasgow &amp; Clyde Prescribing Review Board</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Member, Optometry Scotland</li> <li>• Hon Fellow, Association of Dispensing Opticians</li> <li>• Member, British Contact Lens Association</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Past Chair, Scottish Committee of Optometrists</li> <li>• Past Chair, NHS Education for Scotland Optometry Advisory Board</li> </ul>		
Tim <b>PARKINSON</b> Lay Member	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Director: Tim Parkinson Limited (consultancy not to optical sector or organisations linked to optical sector)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Fellow: Chartered Management Institute</li> <li>• Membership of the Institute of Water</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• None</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Lay member: Council</li> <li>• Chair: Investment Committee</li> <li>• Chair: Companies Committee</li> <li>• Council Lead: FTP</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• None</li> </ul>
Neil <b>RETALLIC</b> Registrant (OO)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Head of Professional Development: Specsavers</li> <li>• President and trustee: British Contact Lens Association</li> <li>• Examiner (scheme for registration): College of Optometrists</li> <li>• Assessor and Examiner (Scheme for Registration): College of Optometrists</li> <li>• Committee member: SPOKE</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Member: Association of Optometrists</li> <li>• Executive board member: British Contact Lens Association</li> <li>• Member and Fellow: The International Association of Contact Lens Educators</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Global Professional Services Manager: Menicon</li> <li>• Council Member: College of Optometrists</li> <li>• DOCET committee member</li> <li>• Optometrist and Learning &amp; Development Manager: Vision Express</li> <li>• Employed: Professional Services Manager, Coopervision</li> <li>• Lecturer (visiting): Aston University</li> <li>• Education Committee</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Member: Advisory Panel – Education</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• None</li> </ul>



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			Member: Optical Confederation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Teaching Fellow and Joint Clinic Lead (optometry): Manchester University</li> <li>Previous Chair: British Universities Committee of Contact Lens Educators</li> <li>Previous Member: Dispensing Optician Apprenticeship Trial Blazer Group</li> </ul>		
Chloe <b>ROBSON</b> Registered Medical Practitioner	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ophthalmology Trainee: Maidstone Tunbridge Wells Trust</li> <li>Foundation Doctor: East Kent Hospitals University NHS Trust</li> </ul>	• None	• None	• Member: Advisory Panel - Standards	• None
Roshni <b>SAMRA</b> Registrant (OO)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Locum optometrist (occasional): various high street or independent practices</li> <li>Professional Clinic Manager: City Sight, City University</li> <li>Student: City University (MSc in Clinical Optometry)</li> <li>Global Medical Advisor, Medical and Professional Affairs, at EssilorLuxottica.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Member of the College of Optometrists</li> <li>Member of AOP</li> </ul>	• None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Member: Council</li> <li>Member: Registration Committee</li> <li>Council Lead: GOC Refresh (People Plan)</li> </ul>	• Works with a current General Optical Council Case Examiner
Alison <b>SANSOME</b> Lay Member	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Non-Executive Board Member (Lay): Office of Legal Complaints</li> <li>Non-Executive Board Member: Office of the Public Guardian</li> <li>Independent Vice-Chair: Fire Standards Board</li> <li>Lay Panel Chair: Regulatory Tribunal for the Royal Institution of Chartered Surveyors</li> <li>Non-Legal Member: Employment Tribunal (E&amp;W)</li> <li>Lay Member: Code Adjudication Tribunal, Phone-paid Services Authority</li> </ul>	• None	• None	• Member: Advisory Panel – Registration Committee	• None

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Amit <b>SHARMA</b> Registrant (OO)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Director: Pinder and Moore Ltd</li> <li>• Director: Davis Optometrists Ltd</li> <li>• Director: Davis (MH) Limited</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• None</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• None</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Member: Advisory Panel – Companies Committee</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• None</li> </ul>
William <b>STOCKDALE</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Own an organisation in the Optical Sector - Optomise Ltd 50% Shareholding.</li> <li>• Own an organisation in the Optical Sector - Telford Opticians 50% Stake.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Member of ABDO</li> <li>• Member of FODO</li> <li>• Member of ONI</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Chair: Optometry Northern Ireland</li> <li>• Member of a consultative body in the Optical Sector Member BSO Ophthalmic Committee.</li> <li>• Non-Executive Director FODO</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Member: Registrant Council Member</li> <li>• Member: Nominations Committee</li> <li>• Member: Advisory Panel - Standards Committee.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• None</li> </ul>
Nigel <b>SULLY</b> Lay Independent Member	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Trustee at Care Support Wiltshire Charity</li> <li>• Member of Wiltshire Football Association Inclusion Advisory Group</li> <li>• Charity Trustee at Prospect Hospice</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Member: Chartered Institute of Personnel and Development</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• None</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Remuneration Committee</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• None</li> </ul>
Alicia <b>THOMPSON</b> Registrant (DO)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Director of Education, Research and Professional Development: Association of British Dispensing Opticians</li> <li>• Education Committee Member: Optical Confederation</li> <li>• Practical Examiner: Association of British Dispensing Opticians</li> <li>• Practice Visitor: Association of British Dispensing Opticians</li> <li>• Writes and marks exam papers: Association of British Dispensing Opticians</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Liveryman: The Worshipful Company of Spectacle Makers</li> <li>• Member: Down's Syndrome Association</li> <li>• Member: Association of British Dispensing Opticians</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Writes and marks exam papers: The Worshipful Company of Spectacle Makers</li> <li>• British Standards Institute (spectacles committee): representative for The Worshipful Company of Spectacle Makers</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Member: Advisory Panel – Education</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• None</li> </ul>
Nilla <b>VARSANI</b> Lay Member	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Employee: General Medical Council</li> <li>• Lay Chair: General Chiropractic Council</li> <li>• Independent Lay Selection Panel Member: Judicial Appointments Commission</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• None</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• None</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Member: Advisory Panel - Standards</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Daughter, Student at Imperial College</li> </ul>
Catherine <b>VINER</b> Registrant (OO)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Optometrist: Special Schools Eye Care Service</li> <li>• Member of Final Assessment Panel: College of Optometrists</li> <li>• Associate Professor: University of Bradford</li> <li>• Examiner and Assessor (sometimes acting as a Chief Examiner): College of Optometrists</li> <li>• Pre-registration training provision: Johnson and Johnson and Vision Express</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Member: College of Optometrists</li> <li>• Member: Association of Optometrists</li> <li>• Fellowship: Higher Education Academy</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• GOC Continuing Education and Training Approver</li> <li>• Freelance: GOC Continuing Education and Training provision and pre-registration training for</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Member: Advisory Panel – Registration</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• None</li> </ul>

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Training Adviser: Directorate of Continuing Education and Training (DOCET)</li> <li>• GOC CPD Registrant Reviewer (Recent appointment - training day for role - 15/6/23)</li> <li>• Optometrist (Non-practising registration): Australian Health Practitioner Regulation Agency</li> </ul>		<p>various companies including Clearview Training, Boots Optician Ltd, various Local Optical Committees, Directorate of Optometric Continuing Education and Training, College of Optometrists and the Association of Optometrists; written GOC Continuing Education and Training produced for 'Optician' magazine</p>		
Marcus <b>WEAVER</b> Registered DO	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Employed dispensing optician: T/A Specsavers (with shareholding and directorship)</li> <li>• Member, Executive Committee: East Yorkshire Local Optical Committee</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Liveryman: The Worshipful Company of Spectacle Makers</li> <li>• Fellow: ABDO</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• None</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Member: Advisory Panel – Standards</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Close relative: employed, same Specsavers</li> <li>• Close relative: Member, Executive Committee, East Yorkshire Local Optical Committee</li> <li>• Close relative: Member, Association of Optometrists</li> <li>• Close relative: Member, College of Optometrists</li> <li>• Close relative: Member, The Worshipful Company of Spectacle Makers</li> </ul>