

The Mercian Trust

The Mercian Trust *Members Declarations for the year ended 31 August 2019*

Name of Governor/Trustee	Type of Member	Chair or Vice-Chair	Name of School	Connections to Staff (Yes or No)	Term of Office End Date	Date of Resignation if applicable	Other School Governor Posts held (Name of School and Type of Governor)	Business Interests declared (Detail if applicable)
Vivian Fairbank	Individual	-	The Mercian Trust	No	n/a	n/a	None	Walsall National Trust Association (Chair); Queen Mary's Schools Foundation (Trustee); Walsall U3A (Membership Secretary); King Morte Proud (owned by daughter and son-in-law);
David Lomax	Trust	-	The Mercian Trust	No	n/a	n/a	Walsall Studio School; Q3 Academy Great Barr (Governor);	The Vine Trust Walsall (and subsidiaries) (Trustee); Ladder Apprenticeship Foundation (formerly Vine Education Trust) (Member)
Brian Powell	Individual	-	The Mercian Trust	No	n/a	n/a	None	The Vine Trust Walsall (Trustee); House on the Corner Community Project (Officer); Junction 10 Counselling Service (Trustee);
John Punch	Individual	-	The Mercian Trust	No	n/a	n/a	Mayfield Preparatory School (Owned by Queen Mary's Foundation; not on Governing Body but do control the school);	John Punch FRICS (Owner/Sole-Proprietor since 12/09/87); PTP Training Ltd (Director and Chairman); Walsall Business Support Ltd (formerly known as EMCCI Ltd) (Director); Queen Mary's Schools Foundation (Trustee); Walsall Chamber of Commerce Engineering Training Ltd (Trustee); Worshipful Company of Coroners Court (Member);
John Vallance	Foundation	-	The Mercian Trust	No	n/a	n/a	Queen Mary's Grammar School;	Farchynys Estate Management Ltd (Director); Queen Mary's Schools Foundation (On Management Committee);

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Will Hodson	Appointed by foundation/Trust	Chair	Mercian Trust	No	07/05/2023	n/a	Aldridge School	Pertemps Recruitment Partnership Ltd, Meriden Hall, Main Road, Meriden, Warwickshire, CV7 7PT (Director);
Beverley Boden	Appointed by GB/board	-	Mercian Trust	No	05/11/2022	n/a	None	Poppysilk Ltd (50% shareholder since 01/01/94, Director and Secretary); Advantia Business Solutions Ltd (Director); Costs Consortium Ltd (dormant) (Director); United Office Products UK Ltd (dormant) (Director); Advantia United Business Solutions Ltd (dormant) (Director); Comgem Ltd (Director); Walsall Methodist Circuit (Trustee)
Jane Bonner	Appointed by foundation/Trust	-	Mercian Trust	No	31/08/2021	n/a	None	None
Melanie Crooks	Appointed by foundation/Trust	Chair of BAR Committee	The Mercian Trust	No	44561	n/a	Birmingham Diocesan Multi Academy Trust - several schools (19 April 2017)	Birmingham Diocesan Board of Finance - Director of Finance; Thrive Together Birmingham (charitable company). Spouse (Andrew Donaldson) is Director of Midlands Fraud Forum; Farchynys Estate Management Ltd; formerly Trustee of Queen Mary's Association (PTA); Equity partner in Dains LLP
Kevin Davis	Appointed by foundation/Trust	-	Mercian Trust	No	31/12/2021	n/a	Has resigned from Walsall Studio School; the Ladder School (25 September 2019)	Vine Trust Walsall (CEO/Secretary since 04/07/97); Vine Education Trust (Trustee since 07/10/13); Ladder Apprenticeship Foundation (Director since 07/10/13); Performance Through People (Director (Levy Apprenticeships) since 28/01/16); Business in the Community (West Midlands Leadership board since 01/05/12); The Black Country Consortium (Director since 01/07/19); Black Country Local Enterprise Partnership (Careers support since 01/07/19); School of Social Entrepreneurs (Director since 05/09/14); Vine Access Centres (Director since 04/05/11); Church at Junction 10 (Director since 15/07/09);
Mark Harland	Appointed by foundation/Trust	-	Mercian Trust	No	31/12/2021	n/a	None	The Vine Trust (Trustee since 27/10/04); Vine Social Enterprises (Director since 04/05/11); Ten Thirty Five Ltd (Director, and Spouse connection); Salt and Light Ministries (Trustee); The Black Country Net (Trustee);
Rebecca Hearsey	Appointed by foundation/Trust	-	Mercian Trust	No	31/12/2021	n/a	Queen Mary's High School	Queen Mary's Schools Foundation (Trustee);
Kevin Hubery	Appointed by foundation/Trust	-	Mercian Trust	No	n/a	09/07/2019	Shire Oak Academy; Leighswood Primary;	None
Caroline Jobling	Appointed by GB/board	-	Mercian Trust	Yes (husband, Neil Jobling, at SOA)	10/09/2023	n/a	Edgar Stammers Primary Academy (Governor); Featherstone Academy (Governor);	None
Eddie Stride	Appointed by GB/board	-	Mercian Trust	No	13/03/2023	n/a	None	TransformUK Communities Ltd (29 November 2016); Ocean Regeneration Trust (charity) (20 May 2011); Work with Kevin Davis on the Ladder Foundation (brand relation to the Ladder School)
Philip Sturrock	Appointed by foundation/Trust	Chair (until resignation date)	Mercian Trust	No	n/a	07/05/2019	None	University College London; Pancathay Consulting Ltd; Queen Mary's Schools Foundation (Trustee); Southwark Cathedral Devpt Trust (Trustee); St Cuthbert's Church, London (Trustee); Salisbury Diocese Investment Panel (Trustee); South Wessex Organ Society