

**FINANCE AND
RESOURCES COMMITTEE
MEMBERSHIP 2025/26**

Membership

Chair: Lay member of Council appointed by the Council: [Andrew Newell](#) (to 31.7.2027) [Deputy Chair of the Council]

Deputy Chair: None

Members:

Senior management members ex officio

Vice-Chancellor and President: [Professor Georgina Randsley de Moura](#)

Deputy Vice-Chancellor: [Professor Claire Peppiatt-Wildman](#)

Academic Pro-Vice Chancellors (3):

[Professor David Wilkinson](#)

2 x Pro Vice-Chancellor vacancies

Lay members: four, one of whom shall be the Chair of the Council*

[Mark Preston](#)* (to 31.7.2026)

[Julie Kelly](#) (to 04.12.2027)

[Jonathan Steel](#) (to 25.06.2028)

1 x Lay Member vacancy

Non-academic staff representative: one non-academic staff representative on Council: [Jahanara Ahmed](#)

Student Observers (Students' Union sabbatical officers):

President of Kent Union: [Himadri](#)

Vice-President (Education): Cláudia Moreira

In attendance:

Chief Financial Officer: [Jane Higham](#)

Director of Finance: Frank Richardson

Secretary: John Duffy, Chief Operating Officer and University Secretary

Frequency of Meetings: At least 3 each financial year.

Quorum: 4 members of which 3 must be lay.