

Membership of the Disciplinary Committee

The Committee oversees and manages the Disciplinary Scheme and reports to the Regulatory Board. The Committee is composed of three lay members, including the Chair, and two Fellows.

The Committee's lay members are:



Rt Hon David Heath CBE (Chair)

David has enjoyed a long career in public life, firstly as a leader of a County Council and Chair of a Police Authority, followed by eighteen years as a Member of Parliament. In 2010 he joined the Government as Deputy Leader of the House of Commons and then Minister of Agriculture, before retiring from politics in 2015. He has since taken on a number of regulatory roles at board level or as Chair. Previously he was Senior Independent Director at the Solicitors Regulation Authority, and has also worked with water consumers, the NHS, and with the IFoA (previously serving as Chair of the IFoA's Policy and Public Affairs Board (PPAB) and currently a member of its successor body, the Policy Advisory Group (PAG)). He is currently Chair of the Cost Lawyer Standards Board and Independent Chair of Standards for MCS, the body ensuring standards of installation and manufacture of low-carbon domestic energy. He also sits on the Disciplinary Committee of the Royal College of Veterinary Surgeons. He is a member of the Privy Council.



Catherine Boyd

Catherine has had lengthy involvement in professional regulation and is committed to ensuring that regulatory processes are fair, robust, transparent and promote the public interest. Catherine is currently a lay member of the ICAEW's Regulatory Board and chairs adjudication tribunals for Social Work England. She previously chaired tribunals and committees for several regulators across a range of professions. Catherine is a magistrate in the adult court. Catherine has extensive experience of governance, public interest and ethical issues including as a lay member of the Research Ethics Committee for Manchester Metropolitan University and previously on the Department of Health's Independent Investigations Governance Committee. She was also on the Independent Ethics Committee for Greater Manchester Police and has chaired the boards of a large independent school and a charity.



Rosalyn Hayles

Rosalyn practised as a litigation solicitor in a City firm, before moving into the field of professional regulation in 2004. She has investigated complaints and prepared disciplinary/fitness to practise cases for hearing at several health professions regulators as well as the Financial Conduct Authority. As Director of Scrutiny & Quality at the Professional Standards Authority she spent six years reporting to Parliament on the overall regulatory performance of the nine individual health professions regulators and challenging individual regulatory decisions in the courts in the public interest. She subsequently worked as a regulatory consultant for the RCVS, and as Chief Executive at the General Chiropractic Council and until recently was a lay member of the Regulatory Tribunal of the Royal Institute of Chartered Surveyors. Rosalyn currently works as a part-time case examiner for the General Medical Council and is a member of the Chartered Institute of Management's Investigation Committee.

The Committee's actuarial members are:



Jeremy Hill FIA

Following a mathematics degree, Jeremy qualified as a UK pensions actuary in 1994. Over the last 35 years he has worked in both consulting and client roles addressing the needs of multinational companies in relation to a wide range of employee benefits, risk financing, governance, health, wellbeing and employee experience. Most recently, he was global Head of Pension and Benefits and then Head of Wellbeing at Standard Chartered Bank, where he was responsible for the development and delivery of the Bank's benefits and wellbeing for some 85,000 colleagues across 59 markets. He was a member of the IFoA's pool of Investigating Actuaries from 2004 to 2023. He is now working as an independent consultant and advisor.



Robert Garvin FIA

Robert joined the actuarial profession in 1975 and qualified with Duncan C Fraser where he worked in pensions and life insurance. He subsequently became a partner in T G Arthur Hargrave before establishing a new pensions actuarial consultancy known simply as Garvins. After that consultancy merged with Barnett Waddingham in 2008, Robert focused increasingly on providing independent trusteeship for pensions schemes and he established an independent trustee company in 2012. Robert ceased working full-time in 2018 after that trustee company was acquired by the Pi Group but he has retained strong links with the profession. He was an Investigation Actuary under the IFoA Disciplinary Scheme between 2005 and 2022. In his spare time, Robert is involved in various local community organisations, and he enjoys cycling. He recently rode the Cathedrals Cycle Route – riding 2,000 miles over 25 consecutive days – to visit all 42 Anglican cathedrals in England to raise money for charity.