# Council Membership

## Council Membership 2021/2022 as at 1 August 2021

University Charter, paragraph 8, prescribes the Council membership as follows:

### (a) Sixteen persons external to the University:

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<tr>
<td>Chair of the Council</td>
<td>Dame Ursula Brennan</td>
<td>(to 31.7.2023)</td>
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<tr>
<td>Deputy Chair of the Council/Chair of the Finance and Resources Committee</td>
<td>Andrew Newell</td>
<td>(to 31.7.2024)</td>
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<td></td>
<td>Colin Carmichael</td>
<td>(31.7.2023)</td>
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<td></td>
<td>Xian Chan</td>
<td>(31.7.2024)</td>
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<td>Daniel Cook</td>
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<td>Michael Crick</td>
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<td>Neil Davies</td>
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<td>Mayuri Lakhani</td>
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<td>Kim Lowe</td>
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<td>Gabriel MacGregor</td>
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<td>Mark Malcomson</td>
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<td>Gill Nicholls</td>
<td>(to 31.12.2023)</td>
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<td>Timi Okuwa</td>
<td>(31.7.2024)</td>
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<td>Mark Preston</td>
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### (b) Two persons elected from among their number by the academic staff of the University:

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<td>Academic staff</td>
<td>Professor Iain Wilkinson</td>
<td>(31.7.2023)</td>
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<td>Dr Owen Lyne</td>
<td>(to 31.7.2022)</td>
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### (c) Two persons elected from among their number by the non-academic staff of the University:

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<td>Academic-related staff and other staff</td>
<td>Chris Barron</td>
<td>(to 31.7.2024)</td>
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<td>Alex Perkins</td>
<td>(to 31.7.2024)</td>
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### (d) One person elected from among their number by students of the University:

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<td>For 2021/2022</td>
<td>Thomas Freeston</td>
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### (e) The Vice-Chancellor and President:

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<td>Professor Karen Cox</td>
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### (f) Up to two officers of the University, appointed by Council following consultation with the Chair and the Vice-Chancellor:

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<tr>
<td>Deputy Vice-Chancellor for Academic Strategy, Planning and Performance</td>
<td>Professor Georgina Randsley de Moura</td>
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<td>Deputy Vice-Chancellor for Education and Student Experience</td>
<td>Professor Richard Reece</td>
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### (g) The President of the University of Kent Students’ Union and the sabbatical officer for postgraduate students:

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<td>President of Kent Union:</td>
<td>Aisha Dosanjh</td>
<td>(for 2021/2022)</td>
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<td>Vice-President Postgraduate Experience</td>
<td>Tobi-Temple Obaremo</td>
<td>(for 2021/2022)</td>
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**Note:**
(a) Total prescribed membership: 25 members  
(b) Council members - Trusteeships for 2021-2022  
(c) Queries should be addressed to Dr Sinead Critchley, Director of Governance and Assurance (Secretary to Council), (email S.Critchley-2002@kent.ac.uk).