

## caba AGM 2025 – trustee profiles



**Fay Ashwell**

**Trustee and People, Culture & Governance Committee member**

Fay Ashwell has worked in the finance industry for 25 years, most recently as an Executive Director and Chief Operating Officer at Oxford University Endowment Management Ltd. She joined OUem in November 2007 and, prior to this, spent eight years at the Wellcome Trust, the UK's largest medical research charity. Fay is a graduate of the University of Kent (BSc Hons) and qualified as a Chartered Accountant with Arthur Andersen in 1999.



**Toby Bushill**

**Trustee and Finance, Audit & Risk Committee member**

Toby Bushill is a chartered accountant specialising in tax with a focus on the charity sector. He qualified with Price Waterhouse in London and has more than 30 years' experience as a tax specialist, latterly with Deloitte in Birmingham and London. For the past seven years he was Head of Tax at the British Council, a global charity and the UK's international organisation for cultural relations and educational opportunities. Toby has a particular interest in charities and, until 2017, served for some years on the committee of the ICAEW's Charity and Voluntary Sector special interest group. Toby lives in Warwickshire with his wife and has three children. In his spare time, he supports a small conservation charity in East Suffolk and enjoys messing about in boats and amateur choral singing.



**Angela Catlin**

**Trustee**

Angela Catlin is a Chartered Accountant with fifteen years' banking experience. She is an experienced investor relations and corporate communications professional, most recently holding the role as Head of Investor Relations, Corporate Affairs and Brand at The Co-operative Bank where she managed all of the Banks charity partnerships, external communications and investor relations activity. Prior to that, Angela spent five years as an Associate Director of Investor Relations at Lloyds Banking Group where she trained with ICAEW in 2011. She's previously worked closely with ICAEW students as her role as Deputy QPRT for the Finance Graduate Scheme at Lloyds Banking Group and has also spent time as a professional mentor. Angela is married and is mum to twin boys Leo and Logan.



**Roger Merchant**

**Trustee, Chair of Finance, Audit & Risk Committee & Chair Elect of caba**

Roger Merchant is a Chartered Accountant and, until his recent retirement, a Charity Specialist Partner for UHY Hacker Young, a national Accountancy and Business advisory firm. After graduating from Bristol University in Economics and Statistics, Roger worked in London and Warsaw as a partner with PwC, before moving to the East Midlands 25 years ago. He is a former President of the Leicestershire & Northamptonshire District Society and has represented them on the ICAEW Council for ten years, including sitting on the Ethics Advisory Committee. His voluntary roles also include trustee / audit committee of Warwick Care, Derby Museums, Leicester College, East Midland Housing and Leicester Business Voice. Roger enjoys playing golf and is a season ticket holder at Leicester City FC. He is married and lives in a village near Melton Mowbray and has four sons.