

Governor Profile

Name:	Mr David Bond
Category of governor:	Co-Opted
Appointed by which body:	Governing Board
Term of Office Ends:	31.05.22
Member of Committee:	Leadership, Teaching & Safeguarding Finance, Staffing & Premises
Position within Governing Body:	Chair of Leadership, Teaching & Safeguarding Committee
Link Governor Responsibility:	Safeguarding



I believe a life-long love of learning enables a child to reach their full potential, both whilst in school and much later as an adult. I am proud to volunteer as a co-opted governor at the CPD Federation, however, in my professional career I am Chief Financial Controller for the Lion Academy Trust; a group of nine primary schools based in East London, Essex, and Northamptonshire serving the needs of over 4,200 children. In that role I oversee the Finances of the Trust, and our individual schools, to ensure that we are consistently operationally effective and support our teaching staff in delivering the highest-quality teaching and learning. This role provides me with the unique skills and experience to directly support the leadership at the CPD Federation, and both Dersingham and Central Park Primary Schools, in making strategic decisions to maintain and improve the quality of our provision. This direct career experience is complemented through being an active member of the Institute of School Business Leadership and holding a Fellowship at the Institute of Corporate Responsibility and Sustainability. In addition to these roles, I have also volunteered as a STEMnet ambassador since 2010 to promote sciences, technology, engineering and maths in schools and am a Trustee for a registered charity and HMRC recognised payroll giving provider. On a more personal level, I enjoy reading, photography, running, and have an active interest in sustainability.