

Regional Review and Assurance Boards (Archived Structure)

The Regional Review and Assurance Board (RAB) structure shown below was in place until November 2025. Following a review of governance arrangements, the Trust has now moved to a new governance model. This information is provided for transparency and archival purposes.

Membership

Name	Board	Declaration	Appointed By	Appointment Date	Stepped Down
Stuart Gardner (CEO)	South RAB South East RAB South West RAB	Non-Executive Director of RMET Thinking Solutions for Education Director	Board of Directors	1st September 2024	2 nd November 2025 (<i>RAB structure dissolved</i>)
Daniel Botting (Regional Director of Education)	South RAB	None	Board of Directors	1st January 2025	2 nd November 2025 (<i>RAB structure dissolved</i>)
Mandy Gage (Regional Director of Education)	South East RAB	Ambassador for Chatham Historic Dockyard	Board of Directors	1st September 2024	2 nd November 2025 (<i>RAB structure dissolved</i>)
Peter Martin	South RAB (Chair) South East RAB	Chair, Schools Forum Director/Trustee at The Fortis Trust Director of Thinking Solutions for Education Ltd	Board of Directors	1st September 2024	2 nd November 2025 (<i>RAB structure dissolved</i>)

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		Trustee of Young Medway Chair of the Halpern Charitable Association			
Ashley Hall	South East RAB (Chair)	Employed at Snowflake Computing Ltd.	Board of Directors	1st September 2024	2 nd November 2025 (<i>RAB structure dissolved</i>)
Jon Dunster	South RAB	IT Director for Chichester College Group	Board of Directors	1st September 2024	2 nd November 2025 (<i>RAB structure dissolved</i>)
Ankur Shah	South RAB	None	Board of Directors	1st September 2024	20th May 2025
Sarah Roads	South RAB	None	Board of Directors	1st September 2024	2 nd November 2025 (<i>RAB structure dissolved</i>)
Emma Oakley	South RAB	None	Board of Directors	1st September 2024	2 nd November 2025 (<i>RAB structure dissolved</i>)
Kate Lewis	South RAB	Governance Lead at HISP Multi Academy Trust	Board of Directors	17 March 2025	2 nd November 2025 (<i>RAB structure dissolved</i>)
Michelle Smith (Regional Director of Education)	South RAB	Spouse owner of ADTRES	Board of Directors	1st September 2024	1st January 2025
Claire Dickens	South RAB	None	Board of Directors	1st September 2024	7th November 2024
Derek Morrison	South East RAB	None	Board of Directors	1st September 2024	2 nd November 2025 (<i>RAB structure dissolved</i>)
Simon Wright	South East RAB	None	Board of Directors	1st September 2024	2 nd November 2025 (<i>RAB</i>

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Richard Holdsworth	South East RAB	None	Board of Directors	1st September 2024	2 nd November 2025 (<i>RAB structure dissolved)</i>
David Day	South East RAB	Supply Contract with TSAT	Board of Directors	1st September 2024	2 nd November 2025 (<i>RAB structure dissolved)</i>
Kaye Bettey	South East RAB	None	Board of Directors	1st September 2024	2 nd November 2025 (<i>RAB structure dissolved)</i>
Judy Owens	South East RAB	Trustee of Acorn Village	Board of Directors	1st September 2024	2 nd November 2025 (<i>RAB structure dissolved)</i>
Jay Davenport (Regional Director of Education)	South West RAB	None	Board of Directors	1st September 2024	2 nd November 2025 (<i>RAB structure dissolved)</i>
Clive Star	South West RAB (Chair)	None	Board of Directors	1st September 2024	2 nd November 2025 (<i>RAB structure dissolved)</i>
Andrew Medhurst	South West RAB	Honorary Secretary and Trustee for Torquay Boy's Grammar School Trust Volunteer Trustee for 200 Squadron Air Training Corps Volunteer Trustee for TBGS Charitable Trust	Board of Directors	1st September 2024	2 nd November 2025 (<i>RAB structure dissolved)</i>
Gavin Jones	South West RAB	Gavin Jones Consultancy & Director GJC Marketing Ltd	Board of Directors	1st September 2024	2 nd November 2025 (<i>RAB</i>

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Roger Carlton	South West RAB	None	Board of Directors	1st September 2024	2 nd November 2025 (<i>RAB structure dissolved)</i>
Caroline Knight	South West RAB	Employed at South Devon College	Board of Directors	1st September 2024	2 nd November 2025 (<i>RAB structure dissolved)</i>
Tim Stephens	South West RAB	None	Board of Directors	1st September 2024	2 nd November 2025 (<i>RAB structure dissolved)</i>
Matthew Harbour	South West RAB	None	Board of Directors	1st September 2024	2 nd November 2025 (<i>RAB structure dissolved)</i>
Janina Villalta	South West RAB	None	Board of Directors	1st September 2024	2 nd November 2025 (<i>RAB structure dissolved)</i>

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