



## Anne Shaw

FCIHT BSc OBE

Being part of CIHT's journey at a more formal level would be an honour. Continuing to support growth of the Institution with diversity of people and thought together with integration with other agendas to increase impact is fundamental to success.

### **Tell us about yourself and your professional background, including why you want to be a Council Member:**

I am passionate about the role transport plays in improving the outcomes for people, in particular to create an equitable system providing sustainable growth with access to vital services, education and employment.

I have spent all my career in the public sector starting as a junior technician and working my way up to where I am now as executive Director responsible for ensuring broader outcomes for a region.

I work as part of an executive team facilitated by integrated policies around Transport, housing, skills and the economy which ensures we are delivering transport solutions alongside other interventions that create the best outcomes for sustainable economic growth.

I have a wealth of experience operating in a political environment, stretching from local to European, building and nurturing multidisciplinary teams, working in complex partnerships within the sector (public and private) which I would bring to this role positively.

### **How will your particular skills and experience benefit Council? Give some examples from your professional or personal life that show you have the right skill set to contribute to the work of Council.**

My particular skill sets are varied having worked in a range of roles in my career. One consistent theme however is how I build teams and partnerships. Through out all of my career I have focussed on working with external organisations to help bring forward initiatives in the best way.

This has required the ability to create positive and productive working relationships and negotiate the best outcomes for all parties. Having a broader understanding of the interplay of transport and other professional disciplines.

I have provided expert transport advice to a range of politicians and policy makers. most recently advising on national policies for transport including removing barriers accessing transport for women and delivery of urban transport within the UK.

As deputy chair of the Urban Transport Group, I'm connected to a wider network of city regions working collaboratively on common issues and can bring a wider view to CIHT.

### **Professional Affiliations:**

Fellow, CIHT

### **Education and Qualifications:**

1986/88, HND Applied Biology; 1988/1990, Bsc Combined Studies (Biology and Environmental Studies); 1995, BTECH Highway Legislation and Administration; 2002, Postgraduate Diploma Highway and Traffic Engineering; 2003, Certificate in Management and Communication

### **Present Post or Occupation:**

Executive Director - Transport for West Midlands (West Midlands Combined Authority)

### **Past and Present Service to the Institution:**

numerous, Whilst not holding formal office I have facilitated and attended a number of events regionally

**Proposers:** Zoe Smith, Farheen Ahmed, Gavin Maciel & Jason Griffin



## Anthony Kivistik

BSc (Hons) MSc CEng CTPP MCIHT

Change is inevitable, not a choice. I envisage that our Institution in 5 years' time will better represent the various specialisms within. I would, in particular, advocate for increased CIHT funding and direct involvement/action in STEM activity in Schools.

### **Tell us about yourself and your professional background, including why you want to be a Council Member:**

As a Technical Director at Mott MacDonald, I lead a team of pedestrian crowd flow analysis, modelling and visualisation professionals who help deliver solutions on projects globally. I have 20 years experience in the profession, working for local government and private organisations.

My career is a passion. I am keen to continue pushing myself in new ways in order to respond as best I can with transport planning solutions to the many societal problems we face. I'm in this profession to help make a difference to society - in particular those with less opportunity and voice than I and we as a collective with influence.

I want to join Council to help steer upcoming changes in our industry and within the institution. Change is inevitable, not a choice, and my perseverance and experience (successes and failures) would, I believe, prove useful in Council.

### **How will your particular skills and experience benefit Council? Give some examples from your professional or personal life that show you have the right skill set to contribute to the work of Council.**

My work experience includes transport engineering, planning and governance. Skills developed through my day-to-day work, CIHT volunteering and STEM volunteering include; quality assurance, stakeholder communication, commercial awareness, business planning, mentoring, team leadership, investment decision making, guideline development and technical leadership.

My skills and experience could, in particular, contribute to CIHT Council by providing advice on; STEM activity/support, member engagement, guideline development and technical innovation.

### **Professional Affiliations:**

Member, CIHT

### **Education and Qualifications:**

2016 - Present, Chartered Engineer; 2020 - Present, Chartered Transport Planning Professional; 2004 - 2008, MSc Transport Planning & Engineering (Distance Learning); 1999 - 2003, BSc (Hons) Civil Engineering Construction.

### **Present Post or Occupation:**

Technical Director, Crowd Flow Modelling & Visualisation at Mott MacDonald (from 2017)

### **Past and Present Service to the Institution:**

2021 - Present, Professional Qualifications Reviewer; 2017 - 2022, Scotland Region Committee Member

**Proposers:** Edward Mellor, Stuart Fraser, Cedric Kwok & Julian Howes



## David Ogden

FCIHT

I would like to support the CIHT to continue to improve the diversity of its membership, enabling the institution to challenge and support the sector on the wicked issues that we are facing together.

### **Tell us about yourself and your professional background, including why you want to be a Council Member:**

With over 25 years of experience in the construction, Utilities and infrastructure industries, I am currently the Executive Director of Asset and Maintenance Solutions at Colas, a leading international group in the construction and maintenance of transport infrastructure. In this role, I oversee the development and delivery of innovative and sustainable solutions for the asset management, maintenance, and enhancement of the UK road network, working with a diverse and talented team.

I am a Fellow member of the Chartered Institution of Highways & Transport (CIHT), Chair of the PIARC UK Committee and a member of the ADEPT Live Labs commissioning board.

I would like to join the council to share my thoughts and experience to support the CIHT and the sector through an exciting period of change.

### **How will your particular skills and experience benefit Council? Give some examples from your professional or personal life that show you have the right skill set to contribute to the work of Council.**

I am driven by the mission of creating and maintaining safe, efficient, and sustainable transport infrastructure that enhances the mobility, connectivity, and quality of life of the communities we serve. I am also motivated by the opportunity to work with a diverse and inclusive team of sector colleagues, and to share and learn from different perspectives and experiences.

I believe that I can bring value to the CIHT council and support continued collaboration within the sector.

### **Professional Affiliations:**

FCIHT, Chartered Institute of Highways and Transportation

### **Education and Qualifications:**

1992 - 1997, BSc (Hons) Quantity Surveying

### **Present Post or Occupation:**

2021 - 23, LS&TS Board Member

### **Past and Present Service to the Institution:**

2020 - Present, East Midlands Events Coordinator overseeing delivery of quality technical events aligning with the business case; Present - October 2024, Joint lead Organiser of East Midlands Annual Conference delivered collaboratively with the Landscape Institute; October 2023 - Present, Primary CIHT Strategic Partnership contact and Champion for BWB; March / April 2024, Judge for the EM Dinner and Awards in two categories, Road Safety and Transport Planning; Nov / Dec 2023, Article author Transportation Professional: "What have I learned..." ([https://issuu.com/thinkpublishing/docs/ciht\\_novdec\\_2022/38](https://issuu.com/thinkpublishing/docs/ciht_novdec_2022/38)); May 2022, Sub-committee member for East Midlands Annual Conference first post-covid in-person conference held at Derby FC; 2007, Chapter author on the CIHT document 'Collision Prevention & Reduction (2007)'; 2007, Guest speaker at a number of national CIHT conferences on DfT's Rural Demonstration Project; 2005, Contributing author on Travel Plans in the Institute of Highway Engineers 'Motorcycling Guidelines' (2005)

**Proposers:** Peter Molyneux, Neil Johnstone, Richard Ward-Jones & Owen Jenkins



## Dennis Alan Symons

EngTech FIHE FCIHT FSoRSA RegRSA (IHE)

Serving on SoRSA Committee, since 2011, becoming Chair in 2021, I have been involved in numerous activities promoting CIHT to fellow professionals. I still wish to be part of the natural home for people working in highways & transportation infrastructure.

### **Tell us about yourself and your professional background, including why you want to be a Council Member:**

I have over 20 years of varied experience in attending and dealing with road traffic collisions as part of my 30-year Police career which included 16 years within the Traffic Department including Collision Investigation. I have continued this experience into the private sector and been actively involved in identification and treatment of collision problems including route studies and now have over 15 years' experience of collision investigation, road safety engineering and road safety auditing. I was elected to the SoRSA Committee, Technical Branch of CIHT, in September 2011 and became Vice Chair (June 2019) and Chair (June 2021). I was involved in the Working Group for the CIHT Road Safety Audit Guidelines. As Chair, I have been actively involved with CIHT Council, Membership Board, Regional Panel, CPD Panel and the Awards Judging Panel and wish to continue passing on my knowledge/expertise.

### **How will your particular skills and experience benefit Council? Give some examples from your professional or personal life that show you have the right skill set to contribute to the work of Council.**

I hold a Highways England Certificate of Competence in Road Safety Auditing and have carried out over 1000 Road Safety Audits since 2006, including over 700 as Team Leader. These Road Safety Audits on the Trunk Road Network have ranged from simple signing schemes, DDA schemes, road restraint upgrades to major road renewals including new build TPI Major Project Schemes. I have assisted in preparing and presented familiarisation seminars for both National Highways (Formally Highways England) and Kier Highways staff to assist them when preparing schemes that would require auditing in accordance with GG 119. I have also presented at the SoRSA Conference and also locally at the CIHT South West Branch over the years, including Webinars during the Covid lockdown.

I have been actively involved with CIHT Council for the past three years, two as Chair of SoRSA and the last twelve months as a Council Member.

### **Professional Affiliations:**

EngTech, Engineering Council (Institute of Highway Engineers); FCIHT, Chartered Institution of Highways & Transportation; FSoRSA, Society of Road Safety Auditors Chartered Institution of Highways & Transportation); FIHE, Institute of Highway Engineers; RegRSA (IHE), Register of Road Safety Auditors (Institute of Highway Engineers)

### **Education and Qualifications:**

No information provided

### **Present Post or Occupation:**

Principal Engineer - Road Safety (Retired/Independent) - October 2022

### **Past and Present Service to the Institution:**

Sept 2011, Elected onto the SoRSA Committee - Technical Branch of Chartered Institution of Highways & Transportation; Jun 2019 to Jun 2021, Became Vice Chair of SoRSA; Jun 2019 to Jun 2023, Served as representative of SoRSA on CIHT Regional Panel; Jun 2021 to Jun 2023, Became Chair of SoRSA; Jun 2021 to Jun 2023, Served as representative of SoRSA on CIHT Council; Jun 2021 to Jun 2023, Served on Membership and Member Services Strategy Board; Jun 2023 to Jun 2024, Current member on CIHT Council; Jan 2023 to date, Joined the CIHT CPD Panel for annual membership reviews; 2022, 2023 & 2024, Served on judging panel for the annual CIHT Awards (Road Safety)

**Proposers:** Mrs Elizabeth Sands, Mr Ian Medd, Mr John Barrell & Mr Eric Hill



## Mark Harrison

BA, MSc, MCIHT

I'd like the CIHT to lead in transport decarbonisation, representing diversity and elevating the profiles of members and partners to influence the future of sustainable transport. In 5 years, I'd like to see the CIHT leading innovative transport thinking..

### **Tell us about yourself and your professional background, including why you want to be a Council Member:**

I'm a Senior Transport Planner at Mott MacDonald, with 8 years experience in delivering funding applications and sustainable transport strategies to support local, regional and national ambitions to achieve Net Zero targets. I'm passionate about promoting sustainable transport modes and supporting transport in the transition to Net Zero, having previously developed the West Yorkshire Combined Authority (WYCA) Carbon Impact Assessment (CIA), resulting in me winning the CIHT Young Professional Award in 2021.

I want to continue being active in supporting the CIHT, both nationally and regionally. I have been a member of Council since 2021 as an emerging professionals representative and have supported in the development of the Employment Trends Survey, where the CIHT are seeking greater insights into the make-up and skillsets of our industry. At a regional level I have been Chair of the emerging professionals committee and currently sit on the Yorkshire and Humber regional committee.

### **How will your particular skills and experience benefit Council? Give some examples from your professional or personal life that show you have the right skill set to contribute to the work of Council.**

As someone in a transitional period of my career I feel I am well placed to continue offering the perspective of emerging professionals in the industry, as well as providing steer to how the industry must continue to adapt in order to support a transition to Net Zero within the UK, and beyond.

My involvement with the CIHT over several years at a national and regional level mean I not only understand the values of CIHT and the membership, but also challenges the organisation faces in giving all members value for money in a challenging economic climate. My involvement in the development of the Employment Trends Survey and on the Membership and Member Services Strategic Board has allowed me insights into how the CIHT is supporting individual members and organisations to benefit the highways and transportation industry.

### **Professional Affiliations:**

Member, CIHT

### **Education and Qualifications:**

2011-2014, BA (hons) Geography, University of Hull; 2015-2016, MSc Transport Planning, University of Leeds; 2020, Better Business Cases Practitioner; 2021, CIHT Young Professional of the Year

### **Present Post or Occupation:**

Senior Transport Planner, Mott MacDonald (August 2019-Present)

### **Past and Present Service to the Institution:**

2021-Present, CIHT Council Member (Emerging Professionals Representative); 2023-Present, Y&H CIHT Regional Committee Member; 2019-2023, Y&H Emerging Professionals Committee Member; 2021-2023, Y&H Emerging Professionals Committee Chair; 2021, CIHT Young Professional of the Year; 2021, CIHT Y&H Emerging Professional of the Year Award (Highly Commended)

**Proposers:** Ed Downer, Michael Chung, Steve Carmody & Tom Howard



## Naomi Cook

FCIHT

I want to the CIHT continue to welcome everyone, to maintain a culture of inclusion embracing everyone, whatever their route into the industry, to encourage and support the next generation into this broad and interesting profession.

### **Tell us about yourself and your professional background, including why you want to be a Council Member:**

My career took an unconventional route after gaining BSc in Media Technology! Unsure of my future, a temporary job as Technical Assistant took me into the world of highways and transportation and I converted my degree to an MSc, graduating in 2008.

As Design Manager I am responsible for design delivery but also afforded the pleasure of incorporating active travel and sustainable transport into my role with WCHARs and Road Safety Audits. I RSAs completed the RoSPA Road Safety Engineering Course in 2004 and National Highways Certificate of Competency meeting the requirements of GG 119.

A student member of the CIHT in 2004, transferring to MCIHT in 2010 and recently accepted as a Fellow in 2023, I have been involved with the CIHT for as long as I have been in the industry and would love to see others do the same making everyone feel welcome whatever their career path!

### **How will your particular skills and experience benefit Council? Give some examples from your professional or personal life that show you have the right skill set to contribute to the work of Council.**

My key skills include empathy, the ability to check and challenge others and to foster a thriving, collaborative working environment.

A people manager for 15 years I have learnt so much about people, how different each person is and the need to be flexible and adaptable when supporting, mentoring individuals to help them to be the best version of themselves. Managing projects for a variety of clients has given me exposure to the different needs, constraints and challenges different authorities and businesses work with daily.

Outside of the industry, I have been privileged to apply the skills gained through my career to support the local community as a co-opted Governor for four years taking an active role to help maintain essential liaison with the parental body. As a member of the Governing body, collectively our role is to hold Senior Leaders to account challenging them to offer the best education possible.

### **Professional Affiliations:**

FCIHT, Chartered Institute of Highways and Transportation

### **Education and Qualifications:**

2005-2008, MSc Transport Planning and Management

### **Present Post or Occupation:**

20-02-23 - Design Manager at BWB Consulting, providing design delivery coordination and resource management, Road Safety Audits and Walking Cycling and Horse Riding Assessments and Reviews.

### **Past and Present Service to the Institution:**

2020 - Present, East Midlands Events Coordinator overseeing delivery of quality technical events aligning with the business case; Present - October 2024, Joint lead Organiser of East Midlands Annual Conference delivered collaboratively with the Landscape Institute; October 2023 - Present, Primary CIHT Strategic Partnership contact and Champion for BWB; March / April 2024, Judge for the EM Dinner and Awards in two categories, Road Safety and Transport Planning; Nov / Dec 2023, Article author Transportation Professional: "What have I learned..." ([https://issuu.com/thinkpublishing/docs/ciht\\_novdec\\_2022/38](https://issuu.com/thinkpublishing/docs/ciht_novdec_2022/38)); May 2022, Sub-committee member for East Midlands Annual Conference first post-covid in-person conference held at Derby FC; 2007, Chapter author on the CIHT document 'Collision Prevention & Reduction (2007)'; 2007, Guest speaker at a number of national CIHT conferences on DfT's Rural Demonstration Project; 2005, Contributing author on Travel Plans in the Institute of Highway Engineers 'Motorcycling Guidelines' (2005)

**Proposers:** Jwan Kamla, Lucy Nightingale, Simon Hilditch & Andrew J Oakes



## Ross Percy-Jones

BSc (Hons) MCIHT MTPS

I am passionate about delivering an equitable and sustainable future for highways and transportation. I want to see CIHT become a focal point for all professionals and strongly advocate for a fair, safe, accessible, and low carbon transport system.

### **Tell us about yourself and your professional background, including why you want to be a Council Member:**

I started my career at Hertfordshire County Council in Transport Policy and during this time I recognised the value in strong learning and development resources within the industry. I have since been committed to developing the knowledge and skills of my colleagues at Milestone Infrastructure and its clients. This motivated me to join the CIHT East of England committee and offer my support to regional members first as Honorary Secretary and then Chair. I have supported CIHT in delivering high quality CPD events, building up regional partnerships with higher education institutions, and growing the regional membership base. I wish to become a Council Member to support CIHT in delivering value to members and promoting the industry as a lead in climate action and professionalism. I hope to support CIHT retain and increase its local authority membership base in light of the cost of living crisis and public sector budget constraints.

### **How will your particular skills and experience benefit Council? Give some examples from your professional or personal life that show you have the right skill set to contribute to the work of Council.**

I have gained a wide breadth of strategic and technical knowledge and skills across multiple disciplines as a transport planner. I understand the impact of climate change, COVID, economic crises, and policy changes on transport investment and behaviours at all geographic levels. I have worked on local authority highway contracts and feel well-placed in understanding the challenges that face the country. My role as Chair of CIHT East of England has allowed me to significantly grow my network and provide opportunities that support the learning and development of our members. My CIHT and professional experience should help support the Institution in being the leading professional highways and transportation body as it works to promote safe, accessible, inclusive, economically, and environmentally sustainable transport infrastructure. As a younger professional, I am aware of the challenges facing emerging professionals in a rapidly changing world, such as access to the right skills and knowledge.

### **Professional Affiliations:**

Member, Chartered Institution of Highways & Transportation; Member, Transport Planning Society

### **Education and Qualifications:**

2012/2016, Geography BSc (Hons) - University of Hertfordshire; 2022/2024, Level 4 Data Fellowship Apprenticeship in Data Analytics - Multiverse

### **Present Post or Occupation:**

Principal Transport Planner (2023)

### **Past and Present Service to the Institution:**

2021/2022, Honorary Secretary and Committee Member - CIHT East of England; 2022 - present, Chair and Committee Member - CIHT East of England

**Proposers:** John Birkenhead, Scott Blackburn, Steven Percy & Nick Reading