



ROYAL BALLET SCHOOL

STAFF LIST

As of 18 May 2020

POSITION	FORENAME	SURNAME
FOUNDER	Dame Ninette	de Valois OM CH DBE
GOVERNORS		
Chairman	Christopher	Rodrigues CBE
Governors	Lady	Dorfman
	Madeleine	Plaut
	The Lady	Sainsbury CBE
	Suneel	Bakhshi
	Anna	Birkett
	Jonathan	Chenevix-Trench
	Tom	Clementi
	Dr Genevieve	Davies
	David	Fletcher
	Candida	Hurst-Brown
	Janet	Lambert
	Menna	McGregor
	Kevin	O'Hare CBE
	Zita	Saurel
	Dr Stephen	Spurr
	Kenneth	Steele
	Su	Wijeratna
SENIOR STAFF		
Artistic Director	Christopher	Powney
Chief Operating Officer	Phillippa	Adamson
Academic & Pastoral Principal	David	Gajadharsingh
Deputy Principal - Pastoral & Welfare	Jill	Tait-Harris
Compliance Officer	Jason	Hughes
Head of Training & Access	Mark	Annear
Head of Intensive Courses	Samira	Saidi
Head of Development	Sarah	Eliot-Cohen
Head of Site Operations	Roger	Atkinson
Executive Assistant	Tessa	Beswick
	Clare	Curry

ARTISTIC TEAM – WHITE LODGE

Artistic Manager	Hope	Keelan
Ballet Teachers	Valeri	Hristov
	Tania	Fairbairn
	Belinda	Hatley
	Nicola	Katrak
	Kenta	Kura
	Carol-Anne	Millar

PERIPATETIC TEACHERS

Choreographic	Dr Susie	Cooper
Morris	Simon	Rice
Irish	Aaron	Crosbie
	Sarah	Mills
Scottish	Liane	McRae

ARTISTIC TEAM – UPPER SCHOOL

Upper School Artistic Manager	Jessica	Clarke
Ballet Teachers	Ricardo	Cervera
	Zhan	Atymtayev
	Daria	Klimentova
	Paul	Lewis
	Nicola	Tranah
	Anita	Young

PERIPATETIC TEACHERS

Character	Justine	Berry
Choreographic	Mikaela	Polley
	Elisabetta	D'Aloia
Contemporary	Antonia	Grove
	Angela	Towler

WHITE LODGE PIANISTS

Pianists	Stefano	Curina
	Olga	Mazour
	Beatrice	Nicholas
	David	Smith
	Constant	van Dorp
	Christine	Evans

UPPER SCHOOL PIANISTS

Head Pianist	Elizabeth	Sluman
Pianists	Domenica	Cardullo
	Elvira	Gavrilova
	Michael	Moloney
	Tracey	Renwick

WHITE LODGE Wardrobe Supervisor	Caroline	Hume
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UPPER SCHOOL Wardrobe Supervisor	Suzie	Holland
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ACADEMIC TEACHERS

Senior Teacher White Lodge, Head of French, Exams Officer	Stephanie	Ritchie
Senior Teacher Upper School	Gail	Graves
Degree Support Coordinator	Clare	Curry
Head of Art	Clare	Quamina
Art	Catherine	Pickston
Head of Dance Studies	Zoe	Francis
English Literature	Sally	Phoenix
Lead Drama	Nicole	Brown
English and Drama	Harriet	Whiting
English and Drama	Vesna	Klein
English	Rose	Atfield
SENCO and PSHE	Ann	Howden
EAL	Nicola	Townsend
EAL Support	Kathryn	Grant
French	Anna	Whiting
French	Farida	Affalouad
French	Aurelie	Derguesse
Head of Geography	Abby	Whitfield
Head of History, KS3 PE	Richard	Johnson
Head of Mathematics	Sahar	Shillabeer
Mathematics	Robert	Green
Mathematics	Anthea	Barter
Head of Music	Sophie	Cleobury
Head of Science	Charlotte	Green
Science	Daniel	Brown
Science Technician	Hassan	Al-Assadi

WHITE LODGE HOUSE STAFF

Housemistress	Charlotte	Green
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Resident House Assistant	Nadia	Khan
Housemistress	Kristina	Gardiner
Assistant Housemaster, Junior House	Harriet	Whiting
Assistant Housemistress	Zoe	Francis
Resident Teaching Assistants	Lydia	Clark
	Rosie	Gardiner
	Aron	Wild

AUD JEBSEN HALL STAFF

Housemistress	Joanne	Millns
Resident House Assistant	Donna	Balsdon
Resident Teaching Assistants	Tabitha	Bardsley
	Emily	Niblo

JEBSEN HOUSE STAFF

Housemistress	Julie	Dunn
House Parents	Desmond	Zeederberg
	Marguerite	Richards

ADMINISTRATION

Senior School Administrator	Sheila	Gresswell
School Administrator	Lucy	Turner
Auditions & Admissions Manager	Kim	Sheard

WHITE LODGE HEALTHCARE TEAM

Physiotherapists	Janet	Briggs
	Charlotte	Williamson
Sports Physician	Julian	Widdowson
Sports Scientist	Niall	MacSweeney
School Nurse	Frances	Rees
School Counsellor	Stef	Radu
Pilates Instructor	Markella	Kefallonitou
Gym Teacher	Simon	Ford

UPPER SCHOOL HEALTHCARE TEAM

Healthcare Manager	Karen	Sheriff
Physiotherapists	Nick	Cleverton
	Wayne	Kitchener
Sports Scientist, MRes	Matthew	Lemarque
Sports Physician	Dr Sarah	Davies
School Nurse	Marguerite	Richards
School Counsellor	Huw	Goodwin
Rehabilitation Ballet Teacher	Giacomo	Ciriaci

Nutritionist	Rebecca	Townsend
Pilates	Arran	Knight
	Leire	Ortueta

DEVELOPMENT & COMMUNICATIONS

Marketing & Communications Manager	Helen	Carney
Digital Marketing Coordinator	Emily	Dixon
Marketing & Communications Apprentice	Philippa	Eley
Fundraiser	Sophie	Hartley
Trust & Foundations Coordinator	Judith	Howard

OPERATIONS TEAM

Human Resources Manager	Christian	Gallagher
Human Resources Advisor	Zoe	Baggi
Human Resources Apprentice	Morgan	Ashley
Information Systems Manager	Fikri	Kiourt
IT Assistant	Mohamed	Fadish
AV Assistant	Simon	Cooper
Senior Theatre Technician	Gareth	Stevens
Finance Manager	Elspeth	Holmes
Finance Officer (Receivables)	Sumi	Sankoorikal
Finance Officer (Payables)	Frank	Osayande
Payroll, Pensions & Finance Coordinator	David	Orr
Facilities Manager	Graham	Kaill
Operations Coordinator	Emily	Cordy
Housekeeping Coordinator	Klaudia	Raus
Plumbing and Heating Engineer	Craig	MacFarlane
Technical Services Engineers	Paul	Scanlan
	Matthew	Wyatt
	Michael	Zammitt
Night Porter/Watchperson	Alec	Speller
	Mark	Hallows

FRONT OF HOUSE – WHITE LODGE

Front of House Coordinator	Julie	Anderson
Front of House Coordinator	Sharon	Hunter
Front of House Administrator (Weekend)	Dina	Maximentova
	Herjinder	Singh

FRONT OF HOUSE - UPPER SCHOOL

Front of House Coordinator	Desmond	Zeederberg
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Front of House Administrator (Weekend)	Tara	Gibson
Driver and Support Officers	Rob Nicholas	Simpson Woodhouse
Housekeeping	Mary Roumiana Assia Eva Blaise Zachary Maria Wiktorina Joanna Malgorzata Monika Natalia	Akapo Grigorova Boussara Au Dimassa Gillet Gomes Kilinska Klosinska Szurnicka Tyrek Urbaniec

TRAINING & ACCESS

Associate Programme Manager	Sylvia	Hubbard
Associate Programme & Primary Steps Artistic Manager	Victoria	Collinson
Associate Programme Coordinator	Georgia	Crabtree
Primary Steps Coordinator (Maternity Cover)	Emily	Gibbs
Primary Steps Administrative Coordinator	Rachel	Wheatley
Teacher Training Manager	Karen	Berry
Teacher Training Coordinator (Maternity Cover)	Anna	Chapman
Administration Manager	Gillian	Sowerby
Training & Access Apprentice	Emily	Bradbury
Manager of Special Collections	Anna	Meadmore

INTENSIVE COURSES

Intensive Courses Manager	Henry	St Clair
Intensive Courses Coordinators	Lauren Selene	Brumby Bornati
Intensive Courses Apprentice	Megan	Auld

ASSOCIATE CENTRE STAFF

Associate Centre Coordinators	Lilian Sarah Phillip Camilla	Curtis Dixon Draisey Forti
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	Dominique	Hackston
	Maria	Herdman
	Caroline	Lloyd
	Hilary	Needham
	Gail	Malek
	Sarah	Martignone
	Leona	Kapus
	Vercella	Phillips
	Natalie	Ridgeon
	Lydia	Ronccone
	Jennifer	Sharp
	Bryony	Yates
	Tabitha	McCartan
Associate Centre Assistants	Karis	Burrell
	Jade	Leatham
	Natalie	Speranska
	Catriona	Robertson
	Elizabeth	Peach
	Chloe	Huybens
Associate Centre Teachers	Melanie	Agar
	Victoria	Collinson
	Jayne	Cooper
	Zoe	Epstein
	Julia	Ellis
	Helen	Farrell
	Nicola	Gaines
	Fiona	Harvey
	Laura	Hatton
	Rachel	Hester
	Rebecca	Howell
	Donya	Keys
	Natalie	Krapf
	Liane	McRae
	Jenny	Murphy
	Annette	Pain
	Karen	Paisey
	Matthew	Paluch
	Catherine	Rihon
	Sophie	Robinson
	Rachel	Bury
Associate Centre Pianists	Jane	Bartholomeusz
	Luke	Brady
	Nelson	Cafruni
	Martin	Cleave
	Sue	Evans
	Christine	Evans
	Peter	Flower
	Jonathan	Gait

Scott
Bevan
Ian
Andrew
Abigail
Yijiao

Howarth
Pont
Richards
Simpson
Wise
Feng

PRIMARYSTEPS STAFF

Primarysteps Teachers

Robert Andrew
Helen
Rachel
Sarah
Caroline
Georgina
Lucie
Joelle
Emily
Michelle

Bell
Cox
Dawson
Gough
Mummery
Saunders
Payne
Pappas
Gibbs
Tinkley

Primarysteps Musicians

Christine
Jeremy
Calvin
Guy
Tim

Evans
Fleet
Goymer
Morris
Saunders