

I'm lifelong cat lover and became involved in the cat fancy in the early 90s when I began showing my first British Shorthair.

I have successfully shown and bred British Shorthairs under the Fergan prefix. During this time I have served on several committees and I'm presently the vice chairperson and delegate of the Northern British Longhair & Shorthair Cat Club. I'm also a qualified GCCF steward.

I am proud to have contributed towards having the British Longhaired recognised within the GCCF.

My other hobbies include showing dogs and I have been a championship judge at home and internationally for the past 20 years.

During my professional employment I worked for a global insurance organisation as a commercial underwriter which involved understanding the needs of my clients, writing and developing policies, negotiating terms and conditions tailored to each individual business needs.

Personally, I show and breed within the GCCF as I prefer how their shows and breeding ethics are regulated, however there is always room for improvement and we must continually be looking for new ideas and ways to move forward. I believe my knowledge and skills could be an asset to the Board moving forward.

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