# **CIOT Presidential team**

#### Briefings



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The CIOT has announced its team of officers for 2023-24. Current CIOT President Gary Ashford will be joined by Deputy President Charlotte Barbour and Vice-President Nichola Ross Martin Vice-President.

The appointments were formally approved by the CIOT's council earlier this year and the three took their new roles on 30 May at the Institute's Annual General Meeting.



## **Gary Ashford**

**Gary Ashford**, the CIOT President, is a partner at law firm Harbottle & Lewis, specialising in international tax, dispute resolution and the digital economy, and a former Tax Inspector at HMRC. He has been a CIOT council member since 2011 and chairs the joint CIOT/ATT Crypto Assets Working Group. He sits on the Institute's Management of Taxes Committee, which he formerly chaired, and is a former chair of the CIOT/ATT Birmingham and West Midlands Branch.



### **Charlotte Barbour**

**Charlotte Barbour**, the Deputy President, is Director of Regulatory Authorisations at the Institute of Chartered Accountants of Scotland (ICAS) and a former ICAS Director of Taxation. A CIOT council member since 2019, Charlotte is Secretary to the Joint Professional Bodies PCRT (Professional Conduct in Relation to Taxation) Group and a member of the Institute's Scottish Technical Committee.

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## Nichola Ross Martin

**Nichola Ross Martin** is the Institute's new Vice-President. Nichola is Managing Director of Tiger Dog Media & Publishing Ltd and Ross Martin Tax Consultancy Limited, providing online tax resources and virtual support service to small and medium sized firms of accountants and tax advisers. She has been a CIOT council member since 2017 and sits on the Membership and Branches Committee and Joint Equality Diversity & Inclusion Committee.