



WORSHIPFUL COMPANY OF ACTUARIES FIONA MORRISON – MASTER 2019/20

Fiona Morrison is an executive coach, adviser and mentor working with senior leaders, new managers and future leaders. She has a strong background in professional services, with many years' experience, and has held senior leadership positions.

From 2015 to 2016, Fiona was President of the Institute and Faculty of Actuaries. She was the second woman to hold this position. Fiona spent her Presidential year promoting the actuarial skillset and the value that actuaries bring to business, government and society.

As a senior partner in consulting firm Lane Clark & Peacock LLP, she led client teams, and also chaired LCP's Professional Committee. Fiona led the creation of LCP's Women's Network. She is passionate about diversity and equality and is a regular keynote speaker for both professional bodies and firms.

Fiona is accredited by the European Mentoring and Coaching Council at Practitioner level in Coaching and Mentoring, as well as being a qualified actuary.

Like many actuaries, Fiona studied mathematics at university – she was the first woman to be President of the Selwyn College Alumni Association in 2011-2012. During her time at Cambridge she won three rowing blues – beating Oxford on all three occasions. She was President of Cambridge University Women's Boat Club. She remains involved with the Boat Races, now as Chair of the Oxford and Cambridge Rowing Foundation.

Fiona is a keen sportswoman, but her participation has moved from rowing on water to ski touring. So far Fiona has climbed six of the 4000m peaks in the Alps on her skis – with only another 54 left to climb! She has ski toured to the top of Nairamdal (4,180m) where Mongolia, China and Russia meet. As team leader of the Worshipful Company of Actuaries Inter-Livery skiing team for seven years, she believes her ranking may improve were there an up-hill ski race.

Apparently there is an odd correlation between Fiona's skiing adventures and international disasters. An Icelandic volcano erupted; Russia invaded Ukraine; the Syrian war started. Just check Fiona's travel plans before you venture out! She says that some brave friends do still holiday with her!

Fiona became Master of the Worshipful Company of Actuaries in July 2019 on the 40th anniversary of the Actuaries' first Installation. She is the 150th woman to be a Master/Prime Warden of a City Livery company: very fitting for an actuary.

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