

Register of declared private, professional, commercial and other interests

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Please list all NC3Rs Board/Panels that you are a member of and your position: e.g. member NC3Rs Board, Chair Grant Assessment Panel, member CRACK IT Challenge Panel, etc	Previously co-opted onto 2017 Research Grants Panel, now a member of the Studentship panel.
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	Member interests
Name	Professor Cathy Merry
Employer	The University of Nottingham
Position	Professor of Stem Cell Glycobiology
Personal remuneration (e.g. employment, pensions, consultancies, directorships, honoraria) SEE GUIDANCE SECTION 1	University of Nottingham
Shareholdings and financial interests in companies SEE GUIDANCE SECTION 2	None
Sources of research income (over £50k per grant) SEE GUIDANCE SECTION 3	<p>British Lung Foundation - Understanding How Matrix Remodelling & Respiratory Infection Impact Progression Of Idiopathic Pulmonary Fibrosis Using Stem Cell Derived Alveolar Cells (3Yr PhD studentship, Co-I)</p> <p>NC3Rs T2T Developing a rapid method for identification of key proteins that define tissues to create an array of tissue-specific hydrogels for human-relevant in vitro 3D culture (PI £100K)</p> <p>NC3Rs SKT Replacing the need for patient-derived xenografts and matrigel organoid culture as preclinical models for breast cancer (NC/T001267/1 £75K, CoI)</p> <p>NC3Rs SKT Fully humanised 3D vascular perfused model for breast cancer modelling and therapeutic screening (NC/T001259/1 £75K, CoI)</p> <p>NC3Rs project grant Fully-defined 3D culture environments to mimic cancer-matrix interactions important in breast cancer progression. (PI NC/N001583/1 £334 K)</p> <p>StoneyGate Fund Project grant Blocking tumour spread in the most common form of children's brain tumour. (Co-I)</p>

	<p>NC3Rs studentship Application of a 3D hydrogel-based model to replace use of animals for passaging patient-derived xenografts (Co-I)</p> <p>EPSRC project: Experiencing the micro-world - a cell's perspective EP/R0355563.1 (Co-I)</p>
<p>Major academic collaborations</p> <p>SEE GUIDANCE SECTION 4</p>	<p>Dr Gillian Farnie (University of Oxford) Research collaboration</p> <p>Prof. Tony Howell (University of Manchester) Research collaboration</p> <p>Prof. Lena Kjellen (University of Uppsala, Sweden) Research collaboration</p> <p>Prof. Jian Liu (University of North Carolina, USA) Research collaboration</p> <p>Prof. Judith Bovee (LUMC, The Netherlands) Research collaboration</p>
<p>Unremunerated interests</p> <p>(e.g. involvements with and memberships of biomedical, pharmaceutical, and similar activities/organisations)</p> <p>SEE GUIDANCE SECTION 5</p>	<p>Advisory Board of Against Breast Cancer Charity (2014-2019)</p>
<p>Political / pressure group associations</p> <p>SEE GUIDANCE SECTION 6</p>	<p>None</p>
<p>Family (declare any potential conflicts that may arise out of any known family interests and indicate which section (1 – 6) would apply.)</p> <p>SEE GUIDANCE SECTION 7</p>	<p>None</p>

Declaration

I have read the ['MRC Code of Practice for Members of Council and Boards and MRC Policy on Declarations of Interests'](#) and agree to abide by the principles and terms of the Code.

I undertake to declare at meetings on NC3Rs business any private, professional, commercial, financial, political or other interests that might be perceived to conflict with the NC3Rs interests and which have not been listed above. I accordingly agree to update this written declaration on an annual basis over the term of my appointment and provide further interim updates as circumstances change.

I note and accept that the NC3Rs will hold the details I have provided and that these details will be available for public inspection and are subject to inspection by auditors. I note and accept that the information provided here will be published (other than any sections I have identified as being confidential) on the NC3Rs website and that it and will be retained in line with the NC3Rs retention and disposal policy for records.

I hereby declare that the information and record(s) submitted as indicated above is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

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