

Unite Executive Council Elections

START 23 MARCH END 27 APRIL

vote

Members
United



Craig
McDonald

Membership No: 31553043
Branch: NE/200/7



Debbie
Dempsey

Membership No: 30779134
Branch: LE/1115

Automotive Industries

MEMBERS UNITED will grow our membership, build a fierce industrial presence, and ensure a strong **Member led** voice that always stands up for workers.

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VOTE DEBBIE DEMPSEY AUTOMOTIVE



Our Sector needs strong, member-led voices, to fight and win for Members

I have worked for Ford Motor Company since 1988, starting as an apprentice mechanical fitter, the first female to do so in Ford UK. I'm currently a Supervisor in Transport Operations at Dagenham, Essex.

I've been a Rep since 2007 and am the Vice-Chair of our national committee and salaried site Chair at Dagenham. I represent members in grievance/disciplinary as well as having delivered strike action in 2024 resulting in improved outcomes for my members.

The automotive industry that is facing the biggest transformation of a lifetime. Opportunistic employers are attacking jobs, pay and conditions during this transition. The climate crisis is not disputed, but there must be a Just Transition for our workforce. We must stand united against greedy employers and lobby government to back our industry to secure good jobs for the next generation.

I will serve the automotive sector with integrity and transparency, as I have done for the last 3 years. If elected, I commit to:

- Ensure the Auto industry receives the resources and support needed to protect and grow our industry.
- Lobby government to deliver industrial energy prices to remove barriers and reduce costs in-line with global markets, support struggling UK manufacturing and supply chains.

The auto sector is the backbone of UK manufacturing and must be protected.



VOTE CRAIG MCDONALD AUTOMOTIVE



I am seeking YOUR VOTE to be re-elected to the Executive Council.

I have been an active member of the trade union movement since 1989 and am the Unite Convenor at Nissan's Plant in Sunderland and President of Nissan's European Works Council, and committed to a lay member led union.

The automotive sector is facing major challenges including

- the move to electrification,
- supply-chain instability,
- rising production costs,
- the need for new digital and manufacturing skills.

This transition creates pressure on jobs, working conditions, and long-term employment security.

Our union must play a vital role by ensuring workers have a voice in restructuring plans, supporting reskilling and protecting terms & conditions, ensuring that the Automotive sector remains as the powerhouse that drives UK manufacturing.

Our recent campaign lobbying MPs to drop the government's proposed changes to employee car ownership schemes, was based on clear evidence, constructive dialogue, and sustained communication. The coordinated lobbying effort resulted in the withdrawal of the proposals.

These are the positive outcomes we can achieve when working together, making a proactive intervention in safeguarding fair and sustainable employee benefit policies.

Please cast your two votes for Craig McDonald and Debbie Dempsey.



Members United

IRELAND

Marie Casey (MN 13976326, RI/B8002)

SCOTLAND

Stephen Payne (MN 14990580, SC/21)

Sylvia Stewart (MN 20418232, SC/175)

WALES

David Imre (MN 21093383, WA/B6075)

Kait Duerden (MN 30065375, WA/B7049)

WEST MIDLANDS

Jackie Goode (MN 15395924, WM/7116)

Patrick Russell (MN 21097293, WM/6802)

Ryan Hodgson (MN20784310, WM/7186)

EAST MIDLANDS

Raffiq Moosa (MN 32686082, EM/LE19)

Dawn Borthwick (MN 14366511, EM/DE78)

NORTH EAST Y&H

Michelle Smith (MN 33154297, NE405/19)

Richard Wileman (MN 32714945, NE/400/5)

NORTH WEST

Chris Neville (MN 20797948, NW/70209)

Sarah Mountaine (MN 20655718, NW/119)

LONDON & EASTERN

Getaneh (Gee) Tesfaye (MN 14927708, LE/382)

Owen Scarlett-Gilpin (MN 14946378, LE/806)

Paula Brennan (MN 15142768, LE/1267)

MARK DUNNE (MN 20081564, LE/7113L)

AUTOMOTIVE INDUSTRIES

Craig McDonald (MN 31553043, NE/200/7)

Debbie Dempsey (MN 30779134, LE/1115M)

CPPT

Cliff Bowen (MN 13439143, SC/166/FPS)

CIVIL AIR TRANSPORT

Wayne Simmons (MN 20953271, LE/1365)

CYWNFP

Kingsley Abrams (MN 32741831, LE/1111)

DOCKS, RAIL FERRIES & WATERWAYS

Richard Crease (MN 13231881, SE/6125)

EDUCATION

Ken Drury (MN 30990807, NW/0398M)

EMS

Martin Foster (MN 30786032, NE205/3)

ENERGY & UTILITIES

Mark Jones (20522288, LE/0028)

FDA

Matt Gould (MN 32114548, NW/119)

Monique Mosley (20912632, NE100/53)

GOVERNMENT, DEFENCE, PRISONS

Keith Wilmer (MN 32426920, EM/NG58)

GPMIT

Tom Murphy (MN 32684856, LE/7031L GPM)

HEALTH

Ian Evans (MN 30614745, SE/6016)

LOCAL AUTHORITIES

Brian Robertson (MN 20154353, SC/133/86)

Clare Rudge (MN 20620054, WM/7186)

PASSENGER TRANSPORT

Patricia Davis (MN 14268646, LE/381)

Paul Ainsworth (MN 14939560, LE/382)

ROAD, TRANSPORT & COMMERCIAL

Andy Prickett (MN 20074377, SE/60-63)

Davy McCord (MN 20232561, NI/B0029)

UCATT

Stuart Grice (MN 52550786, EM/UE100)

Thomas Glavin (MN 30969540, SC600/16)

EQUALITIES

Retired:

Trevor Vaughan (30616098, NW/9602M)

Disabled:

Dean Collins (MN 20298943, EM/DE32)

BAEM:

Mohammed Ajaz (MN 21542311, WM/7069)

LGBT+:

Lottie Mannion (MN 31517681, EM/DE78)

WOMEN

Tricia James (MN 13292209, SE/6194)



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