



Sara Thake (Dip CII)

UNDERWRITER

Sara started her insurance career with Saffron Insurance as a Private Clients Insurance Broker. Sara now works in our underwriting department developing her skills within commercial insurance and relationship management. Sara is looking forward to getting out on the road and meeting our broker customers. Outside of Yutree, Sara is a classically trained pianist with a degree in music and also enjoys learning about wine!



Garry Miles (Dip CII)

UNDERWRITING
MANAGER

Garry started his insurance career in broking before working for over 20 years as a commercial underwriter with Aviva. Garry now works in our underwriting department where he brings a wealth of technical knowledge to the team. Outside of work, Garry enjoys hill walking and building Lego with his son. He is also a leader with a local Beaver Scout colony and a keen supporter of Arsenal Football Club.

Danielle Rairigh (Cert CII)

UNDERWRITER

Danielle started her insurance career in 2005, previously working in the underwriting schemes division of The Davis Group plc and for national broker, Bluefin Insurance. Danielle has been with Yutree since 2013 and works in the underwriting department, where her underwriting & broker relationship skills enable us to deliver a high level of service to our broker customers. Outside of work, Danielle is a keen writer and is kept busy with her young daughter.

Kevin Hancock (ACII)

MANAGING
DIRECTOR

Kevin started his career with Norwich Union & Provincial, and was Managing Director at The Davis Group for over 10 years. He is a Chartered Insurance Broker and chairs the CII's Society of Insurance Broking. He is a founding member of the Newmarket Network and sits on the committee of the Newmarket Festival, organising fundraising events for local charities. A partner in Jemco Racing, Kevin takes part in endurance motor racing.



Nick Carson (Dip CII)

CLAIMS MANAGER

Nick has worked in insurance for over 9 years. Posts at AXA Insurance included Commercial Property Claims Handler, Quality Assessor for internal claims handlers and Claims Auditor for external suppliers. Nick has successfully completed his Dip CII qualification. Outside of work, Nick enjoys attending music festivals, theatre shows, travelling and anything to do with sport, mainly football and American Football. He considers himself as a film buff!



Emma Cawkwell

UNDERWRITING
ASSISTANT

Emma started her working career as an office manager for a cleaning firm which led to her starting her own cleaning business in 2003. Emma joined Yutree as Underwriting Assistant in 2017 to challenge herself in a new career. She now capably manages the administrative function within our underwriting business making sure that documentation is issued on time and that we never have a backlog. Outside of work Emma enjoys going to the gym, spending time with friends and family and reading.



Laura High (MInstLM Cert CII)

DIRECTOR

Laura started her insurance career with Norwich Union in 1995. She joined The Davis Group in 2004. When The Davis Group sold to Bluefin in 2007, Laura was appointed as Bluefin's Director of Distribution. Laura is a qualified Member of the Institute of Leadership & Management, Cert CII, Chairman of The British Insurance Brokers Association's (BIBA) Anglia region and deputy chair on the main BIBA board. Outside of work, she enjoys walking and painting.



Ross Elliott (Dip CII)

UNDERWRITER

Ross began his insurance career as an underwriter with Norwich Union in 2004. After 5 years, Ross did a stint as a broker before moving to the University of Cambridge where he looked after their own insurance programme for 7 years. Ross has completed his Dip CII and has now returned to his underwriting roots with Yutree. He is an FA level 2 licenced football coach looking to move to UEFA B Licence.



Tracy Grew

TRAINEE UNDERWRITER

Tracy is Yutree's first ever apprentice. Her role as Trainee Underwriter will involve her learning all aspects of the underwriting business, supporting our brokers with their quotes, renewals and general enquiries.

Prior to joining Yutree Tracy worked for Royal Mail and, most recently, in retail. Tracy completed a degree in photography which is now her passion outside of work. She also loves to upcycle and restore furniture. She is looking forward to building a career as an Underwriter with Yutree.

