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Elim Proprietors Trust - Elim Christian Colleges

I currently serve on the Association of Integrated Schools (AIS) Executive and recently became the Treasurer. I am honoured to put up my hand for reelection. I am passionate about Special Character Education and would love to continue to support the important role that AIS plays in the exciting, yet challenging season for integrated special character schools in New Zealand.

Our 3 children all attended Integrated Christian schools. I served as chair of Maranatha Christian School BOT before moving to Auckland 26 years ago where I served on the Elim Christian College BOT and the last 8 years of my term as chair.

I'm on the Elim Christian Centre's Oversight Board and chair the Elim Proprietors Trust which is the proprietor for the three Elim Christian College schools. I have more than 30 year's international management and consulting experience in several industries, including 8 years at Ernst & Young Management Consulting. I joined Carter Holt Harvey for three years before leading the Kaizen Institute New Zealand for 10 years as CEO and Managing Director where I supported several local and international organisations to pursue Operational Excellence and Lean Transformation. In my current role as Operations Manager for Elim Christian Centre, I oversee the operations for seven church campuses as well as an online campus.

My qualifications include a post-graduate Secondary Teachers Diploma and a Master of Commerce degree.