

Finance Director: Election AddressAdam Ashton

I'm happy to offer my services to the ECF in what promises to be a very challenging period. In the circumstances, my initial aim would be simply to keep the ECF on a sound financial footing and continue David Eustace's good work in modernising the ECF office and accounting systems.

I hope my background and experience would also enable me to contribute positively to the direction of the ECF on a more strategic level.

FD Qualifications

I have worked in accountancy for over 15 years, specialising in personal taxation and accounting for small companies.

Chess background

Like so many from Oldham and the surrounding area I started out at 3Cs chess club. Representing them at all levels from junior tournaments and local leagues through to the 4NCL and the European Club Cup.

I am a FIDE master with a current rating of 2379. I remain an active player and enjoy travelling and playing international tournaments. I also have a keen interest in coaching and junior chess, not least because my own children are now on the junior circuit.