

Speakers at the Care Leavers Research Launch

Guy Rigden

Chief Executive Officer, MyBnk

Guy joined MyBnk in 2013 as Expansion Director, becoming CEO in 2016. He has overseen development of MyBnk's work with young adults in vulnerable circumstances – this includes the integration and expansion of the award-winning youth homelessness project, The Money House. Guy leads on policy and advocacy and is a member of the Money Advice Service's Financial Capability Board for the UK and the Consumer Advisory Board of UK Finance. Previously, Guy worked for thirty years in equities as an investment strategist and in emerging markets, before being appointed in 2011 as interim CEO of Microloan, Malawi.



Claire Quigley

Business and Development Director, MyBnk

Claire has over 18 years of experience in working in business development and fundraising. Before joining MyBnk, she has led teams at leading national charities including the NSPCC, The Prince's Trust and Tommy's. Claire's expertise includes strategy development, relationship management and product innovation. Previously in her career, Claire worked in advertising and sales for BT, the Mirror Group and Truvo. At MyBnk, Clare is responsible for leading the Income and Communications teams, which have grown significantly since she joined the organisation last year.





Andrew Corley

Evaluation Manager, MyBnk

Andrew has over ten years' experience working as a professional social researcher, specialising in mixed method approaches to evaluate central and local government programmes and interventions. Andrew has specialised in education, welfare-to-work, and youth policy. This has involved designing, conducting, and reporting on evaluations for government departments and local authorities from across the UK, including: Department for Work and Pensions, Department for Education, Ministry of Justice, and Department for Culture, Media, and Sport. Andrew has coauthored a series of published and unpublished reports.



Ugo Ikokwu

Grants Manager, Trust for London

Ugo is a Grants Manager at Trust for London. He has extensive knowledge and experience of designing programmes and funds that address a range of social issues. In addition to his work at the Trust, Ugo is an advisor to Coalition for Efficiency (CfE), currently Chair of the Alpha Grove Centre and a non-executive director of Do IT NOW NOW (DINN). He has also been elected to the board of London Funders and was previously Co-Chair for London+Acumen, a volunteer-led chapter of Acumen, a nonprofit global venture fund.



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Francesca Crisante

Evaluation Officer, MyBnk

Francesca joined the MyBnk Evaluation Team in early 2022 and so far she has supported the care leavers research project alongside MyBnk's ongoing impact and evaluation work. Francesca developed an interest in evaluation while working as a fundraiser, having noticed the difficulties of writing convincing grant applications without evidence of impact to support them. Before joining MyBnk, Francesca's fundraising roles covered events, philanthropy and community activities.



Glody Bosongoyi

Youth Ambassador, MyBnk

Glody is a MyBnk Youth Ambassador with care experience who took part in MyBnk's youth homelessness prevention programme The Money House. She's currently living in semi-independent accommodation and studying for her A Levels.

