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I am currently serving as a representative of the Adult Guidance Service on the Professional Standards Committee for the CDI.

I am employed by igen Ltd. and work for Careers Yorkshire and the Humber as a training manager to advisers working on the National Careers Service contract in the region.

We run a successful training programme for our advisers where I aim to tailor the courses (a variety of workshops, courses and on-line programmes) to staff needs. I gain much satisfaction from seeing advisers new to advice and guidance, develop in their skills, qualifications and experience. I have also been more directly involved in their development by both working a qualified trainer and assessor.

I myself, qualified as a careers adviser and worked as an adviser and team leader and trainer for local careers companies in schools and colleges and with unemployed adults in areas of deprivation. More recently I worked as a contract manager in adult guidance before taking up the role of training manager.

As a CDI member I have attended CDI courses and accessed valuable resources and kept abreast with sector development – which I feel is crucial to my role.

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“I joined the CDI Professional Standards Committee as I feel that I can represent the views of our members working in the adult sector at a time when the CDI have a strong voice in driving the profession forward.

I believe that professional development is key to everyone improving their level of competence as well as increasing their own level of motivation and confidence.

Having a register acknowledges that level of qualification and expertise and promotes our profession to others outside of our own sector.”