

## Cromwell Cultural Centre Trust Trustee Biography

**Name:** James Dicey

**Role:** Trustee  
**Key responsibilities:** Business and financial planning, governance, processes

**Why are you involved:** I joined the CCCT to help drive things forward. I have lived and benefited from this great community of ours and wanted to use my skills to create a positive outcome that will create a legacy in the future.

<b>Qualifications</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Grad. Dip Viticulture &amp; Oenology – Lincoln University, 2005</li> <li>• Chartered Accountant – Institute of Chartered Accountant of New Zealand, 1997 (retired)</li> <li>• Barrister and Solicitor – High Court of New Zealand, 1993</li> <li>• Bachelor of Law (LLB) – Commercial Law Major (University of Otago, NZ), 1993</li> <li>• Bachelor of Commerce (BCom) – Accounting Major (University of Otago, NZ), 1992</li> </ul>
<b>Experience</b>	<p><i>Grape Vision Limited</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Viticultural Development &amp; Management Sep. 04 – present</li> <li>• Owner/Viticulturalist</li> </ul> <p><i>Ceres Wines Limited</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Wine Brand 2005 – present</li> <li>• Owner</li> </ul> <p><i>Diageo plc</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Premium drinks, London, Feb. 03 – Jul 04</li> <li>• Manager, Business Risk</li> </ul> <p><i>Quickstart Consulting Limited</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Project management (self employed), London, Oct. 99 – Oct. 02</li> </ul> <p><b>Saudi Aramco (contracted to Deloitte &amp; Touche)</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Oil Producer: Dhahran (Saudi Arabia) Aug. 02 – Oct. 02, period 3 months</li> </ul> <p><b>Shell Marine Products</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Marine Fuel and Lubricants Supplier: London (United Kingdom) Jul. 01 – Feb. 02, period 7 months</li> </ul> <p><b>WebPerform Group</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Internet Performance Services: London (United Kingdom) Nov. 00 – Jul. 01, period 9 months</li> </ul> <p><b>IPC Electric (part of IPC Media)</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Publisher: London (United Kingdom) Oct. 99 – Jul. 00, period 10 months</li> </ul> <p><i>Deloitte &amp; Touche</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Professional Services: Feb. 94 – Sep. 00 (New Zealand, Netherlands, United Kingdom)</li> </ul>

**DIRECTORSHIPS**

- New Zealand Winegrowers: 2016 – Present
- New Zealand Winegrowers Research Centre Limited: 2017 – Present
- Mt Difficulty Wines Limited: 2004 – 2018
- Seasonal Solutions Co-operative Limited: 2006 – 2016

**INDUSTRY COMMITTEES**

- 2016 – Present: NZ Winegrowers Finance Committee (Deputy Chair)
- 2016 – Present: NZ Winegrowers Sustainability Committee (Deputy Chair)
- 2006 – Present: Committee Central Otago Winegrowers Association, including 5 years as President (current role)
- 2010-2014: NZ Winegrowers Research Committee
- 2014: Lincoln University Bachelor of Viticulture and Oenology course review committee member
- 2014-2016: Alternate Director for NZ Grape Growers Council

**MAJOR AWARDS/TROPHIES**

- Ceres Black Rabbit Riesling (2017) – Royal Easter Show Wine Awards Champion Riesling trophy
- Ceres Composition Pinot Noir (2016) – Decanter World Wine Awards New World Pinot Noir Best in Show
- Ceres Composition Pinot Noir (2010) – International Wine and Spirit Competition Bouchard Finlayson Pinot Noir trophy
- Remarkable Wines Pinot Noir (2006) – Decanter World Wine Awards New World Trophy
- Gourmet Traveller Wine 2018 New Zealand Joint Viticulturist of the Year

**TRAINING**

- Institute of Directors – Introduction to Governance, Invercargill 2009
- Risk Management Concepts – Diageo, London 2003
- SAP R/3 – Security Review and Implementation, South Africa, 1999
- SAP R/3 – HR module courses, SAP Training Academy, Manchester, 1998
- Computer Assurance – Basic/Advanced IS technical and audit training, Malaysia/Sydney, 1996/1997