

Jonathan Bearn

Jonathan Bearn is currently a Purchasing Manager at Rolls-Royce plc, leading the Purchasing Operations Centre in Group Indirect. He has worked at Rolls-Royce since 2013, spending 2 ½ years in direct purchasing before moving into indirect purchasing in Jan '15, spending a year as an IT buyer and then into his current role. He is also currently involved in implementing a Group-wide S2P system.

Prior to that he had a background in the public sector, operating in a variety of purchasing-related roles - including commercial, policy, contract management and buying – for Sheffield City Council.

Jonathan became a full Member of CIPS in 2012 and continues to be an advocate for CIPS and the profession. He is passionate about raising the profile of purchasing and seeing it grow as a career of choice. He was elected into Congress in 2015.

