



**Dr Chris Cassells**

### **Trade Union Nominee**

Chris is a graduate of the University of Glasgow, having completed an undergraduate degree in Philosophy and English Literature in 2009, a MSc in Information Management and Preservation in 2011 and a PhD in Information Studies in 2020. He currently works as the Business Archives Surveying Officer within Archives & Special Collections, a post he has held since 2018. Between 2012 and 2018, Chris was the archivist for West Dunbartonshire Council, having previously held project posts with Glasgow City Archives and at the University of Glasgow working with the Political Song Collection held within the School of Culture and Creative Arts.

Chris is active within the archive profession and is a member of the executive committee of the Business Archives Council of Scotland and the Archives & Records Association Section for Business Records. He also tutors on the Archive and Records Management distance learning MLitt programme at the University of Dundee.

Chris is the International Officer for the University of Glasgow UNISON and sits on the branch executive committee. He is also a member of UNISON's Scottish Higher Education Committee. He was nominated as Trade Union Nominee to University Court in August 2020.