

Our very sad news: Dame Helen Alexander

It is with deepest regret we announce the death of Dame Helen Alexander, who passed away peacefully at the weekend.

Dame Helen was Deputy Chair of the Hampton-Alexander Review, Chairman of UBM plc, Chancellor of the University of Southampton and made a significant contribution to British business during her long and distinguished career, not least as the first woman President of the CBI in 2009 and previously as Chief Executive of The Economist.

Dame Helen was a passionate advocate for women and the aims of the Review, bringing enormous energy, enthusiasm and insight to the role during her time as Deputy Chair.

She was brave and dedicated to the end and will be missed greatly by Sir Philip, Denise, the wider Hampton-Alexander team and all who were fortunate enough to work with her.

Our thoughts and sympathies are with her family.

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