

# **BWU Credit Union | Management Team Profiles**

## Alana Cadogan, Chief Executive Officer



Sis Cadogan is an analytical financial service professional and a Credit Unionist, with over 15 years in the industry and a proven track record. Over her career, she led the Operations department and served in various Finance and Accounting leadership roles, prior to assuming the position of Chief Finance Officer of the BWU Credit Union in 2022. She has extensive experience in strategy development & execution, operations management, budgeting & planning, investment management and financial reporting.

In addition to being a passionate leader, Sis. Cadogan also has strong business acumen and is committed to the creation and execution of practical and equitable models, which promote the credit union as a vehicle for change and growth, while providing members and communities with financial literacy and options for personal development and success.

Sis. Cadogan has a BSc. in Accounting (Special) Honors and is a Fellow of the Association of Chartered Certified Accountants and a qualified Forensic Accountant from the Forensic CPA Society.

As the CEO, Sis Cadogan will be responsible for driving the strategic vision and goals of the Credit Union, which include rebranding & repositioning, supporting more sustainable lifestyles for members, facilitating real-time payments and transfers, introducing an ATM network, and building a wider youth membership. She will also provide leadership in pursuing innovative solutions that enhance the Credit Union members' overall experience and engagement.

#### **Terry Bonnett, Chief Finance Officer**



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## Shelley Nicholls-Hunte, Chief Legal and Compliance Officer



Shelley Nicholls-Hunte is an Attorney-at- Law with 23 years' experience in various types of law which were honed in private practice with senior Attorneys-at- Law, in her own private practice and in working for the Government of Barbados. The areas include civil, family, and commercial law.

Shelley has also been a professional in Anti-Money Laundering/ Counter-Financing of Terrorism/ Counter-Proliferation Financing (AML/CFT/CPF) matters for 15 years. She views any role she has held and currently holds as an opportunity

to serve, add value and to work with a team which uplifts those tenets. To this end she has had the privilege of collaborating in the improvement of Barbados' overall AML/CFT/CPF regime and representing Barbados at fora in countries in North, South America, Europe, Asia and the Caribbean as the Director, Financial Intelligence Unit. In this capacity she has held several positions including Law Enforcement Assessor in the Mutual Evaluation of a Caribbean country, Chairman, CFATF, Heads of FIU Forum and Member of The Accreditation Council, the latter of which was aimed at ensuring quality standardized training for Analysts and Investigators of law Enforcement entities in the Caribbean region.

Shelley has contributed to the drafting of the local anti-money laundering, asset recovery and anti-corruption laws in Barbados. She holds the CAMS designation and is a member of the ACCA Global Forum on Ethics. Shelley serves as a speaker at local and regional conferences and seminars on AML/CFT/CPF matters, anti-corruption and efforts to combat other types of financial crimes. She is also a Certified Trainer, Speaker, and Coach with the John Maxwell Leadership Programme. Shelley is married with three children.

#### Marie Theodore, Chief Operations Officer



Marie has been a professional in the financial services sector for over 15 years. She has a wealth of experience in managing investment portfolios, foreign exchange trading, merchant banking services, retail, and commercial credit as well implementation of card products. In her role as COO for the BWU Credit Union she oversees all aspects of branch operations, loans, and member services.

# **Deborah Currency-Hunte, Chief Operations Officer**



Deborah Currency-Hunte is a seasoned Human Resource (HR) Management Professional with over twenty (20) years' experience, possessing a range of expertise that extends across all aspects of the specialized field. A well-rounded and sound HR professional who has added value during her career by utilizing her knowledge, skills, and abilities to promote continuous improvement and the delivery of supreme service and excellent results.

Deborah Currency-Hunte holds a MSc HRM from the University of Surrey, Professional HR Certifications as a Senior Professional in Human Resources (SPHR) from the Human Resource Certified Institute (HRCI), as well as the Senior Certified Professional (SCP) from The Society of Human Resource Management (SHRM). Her academic accomplishments also includes certification as a Balanced Scorecard Professional (BSP); formal training at Gallup in the administration of Gallup Employee Engagement Tool; completion of the High-Performance Negotiations Skills program at the Northwestern, Kellogg University, Chicago, and formal training in the administration of the Hays Point Factor Job Evaluation Method.

# **Antonio Arthur, Manager of Information Systems**



Antonio Arthur is a multi-skilled technology professional with a diverse background in information systems, cyber security, and fintech. With a career spanning almost two decades, he has made significant contributions in various roles across multiple industries, including banking, retail, and telecoms.

Antonio holds a Master of Business Administration (MBA) in Finance from Edinburgh Napier University and a Bachelor of Science (BSc) in Computer Science from the University of the West Indies.

## Valerie Hope, Marketing Manager



Valerie Hope has over 20 years of experience in the areas of Media, Marketing, Communications, Event Coordination as well as Business Research & Analysis. Over her career, she has launched successful marketing and PR campaigns, built and promoted leading brands, developed digital advertising services, conceptualized unique community engagement projects, and driven strategic planning activities for local and multinational companies. Sis. Hope has a Professional award in e-Marketing from the Chartered Institute of Marketing, a

Master of Informatics from the University of Manchester, and an MBA in Global Management from the University of Phoenix.

Lisa Collymore, Branch Manager



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Michaela Niles, Branch Manager



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