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**Biography**

Jennifer Harrower is the Deputy Crown Agent Local Court and senior prosecutor (Procurator Fiscal) within Crown Office and the Procurator Fiscal Service (COPFS) which is the Scottish prosecution service. She joined the service in 1988 as a procurator fiscal depute and has worked in most areas of Scotland in a long and varied career.

She leads on Advocacy training for the lawyers in the organisation. She is a qualified NITA Advocacy Trainer, having trained at the University of San Francisco in 2003.

She currently has responsibility for the initial decision making and prosecution of cases up to but not including High Court level cases and leads a team of around 1100 members of staff in offices across Scotland. She has also rights of audience in the Supreme Courts and worked for a period as an High Court prosecutor

Before taking up her current role Jennifer was the Procurator Fiscal for Specialist Casework with responsibility for a variety of specialisms including Serious & Organised Crime, Proceeds of Crime and International Cooperation.

In her spare time amongst other things, Jennifer enjoys going to the cinema, the theatre, and is very amateur ballroom dancer.

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