



Errol, you are an incredibly busy person – why did you decide to undertake the role of Fellowship President?

To be honest I had been asked about the 'role' a couple of times before I was in a position to accept. Each time I truly wanted to but I also knew that I would need to dedicate the time the role deserved. In 2013 the timing seemed right and I was delighted to step up. I'm passionate about our industry, am a former member of the Fellowship's F.A.M.E. Team which was a huge part of my career trajectory and above all, I believe in the power of mentoring and supporting young talent at the beginning of their journey. The values of The Fellowship are incredibly important to me, and it's been an incredible honour



to have grown professionally with those values, benefitting from Fellowship support, and for my story to take me to the Presidency and to give back what was so freely given to me.

Do you get paid for this role?

No, but the dividends are great – to watch young talent flourish is an incredible reward. Additionally, what a platform to showcase future talent through the Fellowship brands ClubStar, Project X, F.A.M.E. Team and Colour Project – I'm honoured to be part of that journey with them.

How do you cope with running a busy salon and your Presidential role?

It's a juggle and a dance that every salon owner and passionate hairstylist knows – it just happens! Creativity, hair, clients, collaboration, education and mentoring – we're lucky enough to be in an industry with so many dimensions and opportunities – we don't think '9 to 5', we think 'what's next!'. I love the pace, the buzz and the opportunity to really live in the heart of hair.

How much time in your week is assigned to The Fellowship?

I spend time pretty much every day and I'd not change a thing. Industry greats, who have mentored and supported me, gave up their time along the way gladly too.

What are your achievements over the past 2 years as President?

I'm very proud to have taken the great Fellowship brand into the international arena and signed our first international



'I'd like to think that my passion for young talent has been at the heart of all my decisions and activities, and my pledge to take the Fellowship brand beyond the UK borders is something I'm very proud to have instigated'