

YORKSHIRE CHAMPIONS GROUP



Bolu Fagborun

**Ex-Professional Rugby league / current CSR Director
Bradford Bulls**

Sporting Achievements:

Played European Super league Huddersfield Giants
Played for Rochdale hornets, Batley Bulldogs & Sheffield Eagles
Played International Nigeria rugby league
Nigeria Rugby league scored first try ever for the country 2019 MEA championship

Background Information:

He is a former professional rugby league player for clubs including Huddersfield Giants, Batley Bulldogs, Sheffield Eagles, Rochdale Hornets and internationally for Nigeria in 2019.

Bolu has used his sporting mindset and lessons learned on the field to great use off the field within his various roles.

He is a former graduate from Huddersfield university with a BA honours business management and MCMI chartered manager which he began whilst he was full time at rugby league.

Bolu is the Managing director of Fagborun Limited, an executive coaching & consultancy business working with clients across different industries. He is an ILM L5 qualified Business coach and mentor.

Bolu is still involved in professional sports at an executive level at Bradford Bulls as one of a handful of Corporate Social Responsibility Directors in rugby league.

He is also a trustee at two sports charities Bradford Bulls foundation and East Bierley Community Sports Association (Ebcsa).

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Bolu, coming out of the global pandemic, recently set up and coached Birkenshaw Bluedog's first ever junior Girls section which now has over 40 players and two teams.

He is also the sports voice on the West Yorkshire combined authority culture, heritage and sports committee.

Internationally Bolu is the head of performance for Nigeria rugby league who are working towards qualification for the 2025 world cup and sits on the steering committee for Middle East and Africa rugby league (MEA).

He believes sports to be one of the greatest vehicles to engage, inspire and develop young people way beyond any sporting achievements they may achieve.

What I would like to get involved in: (please tick)

Inspirational Talk	Visits to my place of work	Mentoring / Coaching young people	Other (please state)
✓	✓	✓	