

Gail Spore – Nominee for Press and Publicity



I moved to Spain permanently in 2019, after the Brexit vote. I was previously on the u3a committee but stepped away because we were very busy renovating a house to set up a holiday rental business, plus I also took on some remote contract work. Now that life is a bit calmer, I would like to help out again.

Moving to a new country has its challenges, and this is where being involved with a group like the u3a can really help as you make new friends, find or renew hobbies, and can share knowledge and experience.

I am from a legal background, so I am keen that everyone understands the tax, residency, and legal system here in Spain: I would like to arrange more talks and information sharing on these things. The best thing about getting the boring stuff sorted, is then you can relax and really enjoy all the wonderful things about living here; the sunshine, the outside sociable and healthy lifestyle, the food and wine, and of course all the wonderful places to explore right on our doorstep.

I would like to help Oliva u3a grow; to encourage people to join the different groups and activities, to set up new groups, and to get more involved in the local community. I would also try to bring the u3a to the attention of people who are in the process of moving here, as finding friendship and support in those early days is so important. I am looking forward to being the Press and Publicity Officer.