



## **Nigel Pullman**

Nigel Pullman was educated at Sherborne School and the RMA Sandhurst. Commissioned into the Royal Corps of Signals, after service with the Brigade of Gurkhas and the UN, where he saw service during the Turkish invasion of Cyprus in 1974, he transferred to the Territorial Army in 1979, and continued to serve in the Inns of Court and City Yeomanry. He was appointed to Her Majesty's Commission of Lieutenancy for the City of London in 2014.

On leaving the regular army he joined the Financial Times where he fulfilled a variety of managerial roles, notably launching and being publisher of the FT title *Financial Adviser*, and later creating and leading the FT reader services division. He left the paper in 1996 after 18 years and became Clerk to the fledgling Company of World Traders. Over the next 11 years he guided them to their grant of livery and beyond (and is now an Honorary Liveryman of the Company).

He was apprenticed a Leatherseller in 1964, became a liveryman in 1975, and served as Master in 2010-2011. He retired as a long serving governor of the Leathersellers' school, Colfe's, in 2016, but remains chairman of the school's Charitable Trust.

In 2012 he was elected as one of the two Sheriffs of the City.

Now retired from paid employment, amongst a number of City and charitable activities, he was appointed Honorary Colonel of the Inns of Court & City Yeomanry in 2016, and serves as Clerk to the City & Metropolitan Welfare Charity. He has recently retired from the [City's Livery Committee](#) where he was deputy chairman and chairman from 2010-2016.

He holds the Benefice of a parish in the Diocese of Bath & Wells, and was appointed to the Commission of the Justice of the Peace in the City of London in 1982, before transferring to the Supplemental List on retirement.

He is a member of the Bishopsgate and Lime Street Ward Clubs, and of the Little Ship Club and the Royal Lyminster YC, and keeps his ketch on the Beaulieu River. He is a long time supporter of Opera Holland Park and is a Friend and Envoy of OHP.

He lives in London. His journalist daughter, Laura, became a liveryman of the Leathersellers' in 2011.

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