

QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY HONOURS 2016 – HIGH AWARDS

COMPANION OF HONOUR (CH)

Dame Vera Lynn DBE

Dame Vera is a singer and actress whose name is synonymous with morale-boosting efforts during the Second World War, particularly through her performances in troop concerts as part of the Entertainment National Services Association. Her singing career flourished after the war and in 2000 she was named as the Briton who best exemplified the spirit of the twentieth century. In 2009 she became the oldest living artist to have a No. 1 album, which sold over 100,000 copies. She has given much of her time and energy to charity, including as Chair and later President of the Vera Lynn Charity Breast Cancer Research Trust and of the Dame Vera Lynn Trust for Children with Cerebral Palsy. She has been a patron of numerous other charities, including the Dover War Memorial Project, Projects to Support Refugees from Burma, and the Forces Literary Organisation Worldwide.

The Lord Smith of Kelvin KT

Lord Smith has made distinguished contributions in several areas of public life, including in recent years particularly in Scotland. He was Chair of the Organising Committee of the Glasgow Commonwealth Games in 2014, which was not only highly successful but also delivered £37m under-budget. He then chaired the Smith Commission which was established to agree the transfer of political powers to Scotland from Westminster. In only 9 weeks, the Commission brought together the major political parties and undertook a massive consultation exercise including over 18,000 individual public submissions. He is Chair of the Green Investment Bank which has supported over 50 infrastructure projects; is Chancellor of the University of Strathclyde; and has supported numerous charitable organisations in Scotland.

KNIGHT GRAND CROSS OF THE ORDER OF THE BRITISH EMPIRE (GBE)

Sir Ian Clark Wood CBE

Sir Ian has given considerable time and energy to a range of voluntary and philanthropic causes. He had a distinguished business career over four decades growing the Wood Group, retiring as Chairman in 2012. For the UK Government, he was the leader of the UKCS Maximising Recovery Review which reported in 2014 on how the UK can best maximise revenue from its oil and gas resources. Over the course of a year, he took evidence from over 75 stakeholder groups and other governments. He also led the Scottish Government Commission on Developing Scotland's Young Workforce (2014), developing vocational opportunities for young people. He is founder and Chairman of The Wood Foundation, which focuses on developing economic opportunities in sub-Saharan Africa and now working with 45,000 smallholder tea farmers; and the development of young people in the UK, particularly Scotland.

KNIGHT COMMANDER OF THE ORDER OF THE BATH (KCB)

Martin Eugene Donnelly CMG

Martin Donnelly has a long track record of public service. As Permanent Secretary of the Department of Business, Innovation and Skills since 2010, he has been central to successfully championing UK businesses, developing an industrial strategy and the growth of apprenticeships and reform of the UK higher education and research sectors. Previously, as Director General, Europe and Globalisation at the FCO he worked closely with UK businesses and helped to organise the successful Gleneagles G8 Summit in 2005. As Deputy Head of the European Secretariat at the Cabinet Office, he was instrumental in advocating economic reform in Europe through the Lisbon Employment Strategy, developing the digital single market and global trade. He is active as a speaker in schools, undertakes outreach to businesses on diversity issues and was for 10 years a school governor in Surbiton.

John Oliver Frank Kingman

John Kingman has been Second Permanent Secretary of HM Treasury since 2012. He has been closely involved in returning the state-owned banks to the private sector, achieving a first sale of RBS shares in 2015 and raising £6bn through reducing the state's holding in Lloyds Banking Group to 9%. He also led the creation of the National Infrastructure Commission and oversaw annuities liberalisation. Earlier in his career he was closely involved in the response to the financial crisis, handling the response to the run on Northern Rock and the recapitalisation of RBS, Lloyds and HBOS in 2007-08; he was founding Chief Executive of UK Financial Investments. He is a trustee of the Royal Opera House and was previously a member of the Development Trust Board at St-Martin-in-the-Fields, which successfully raised £37m for the church's renewal project.

Dr. Malcolm McKibbin

Dr. McKibbin has been Head of the Northern Ireland Civil Service since 2011, in which role he is the most senior adviser to the First Minister and Deputy First Minister of the Northern Ireland Assembly. In a delicate political environment, he has excelled in providing sensitive and pragmatic counsel to politicians. He has played a critical role in arbitrating and reconciling differing views through a series of political crises in NI, earning the trust and respect of all sides. Simultaneously, he has overseen big efficiency savings, including a major reform programme to reduce the number of Government departments and to increase digital public services. He was a member of the Ulster Senior Rugby Squad and coach to the Instonians RFC under 20s team which won the Ulster U20 Cup and he was assistant coach to the Instonians 1st XV. He was a member of the Board of Governors of the Royal Belfast Academical Institution.

DAME COMMANDER OF THE ORDER OF THE BRITISH EMPIRE

Professor Susan Margaret Black OBE FRSE

Professor Black is a forensic anthropologist whose work with police forces throughout the UK has been crucial to securing convictions in a number of high-profile criminal cases. She is Director of the Centre for Anatomy and Human Identification at the University of Dundee, where she has been Professor of Anatomy and Anthropology since 2003. Her department trains the police and scientists in advanced forensic practices, which have been used in numerous criminal cases, for example to successfully combat child sex abuse. She is a Government adviser on disaster victim identification, in which capacity she has made an international contribution through her work in Kosovo (1999), Iraq (2003) and Thailand (2004). A strong communicator, she has done much to raise public awareness of forensic science, particularly through outreach work.

Louise Casey CB

Louise Casey has committed her career to improving lives through tackling some of society's most complex social issues. Deputy Director of Shelter in the 1990s, she subsequently joined the Civil Service where she worked to reduce homelessness and then anti-social behaviour in deprived areas of the country. She was appointed the first independent Commissioner for Victims and Witnesses in 2010. In 2011 she led the Troubled Families programme where she helped to support 116,000 families with multiple problems to improve their life chances. In 2014-15 she undertook the Government's Inspection into Rotherham Borough Council's governance and children's services following the child sexual exploitation scandal. She is a founder and Chair of the advisory board for the charity DePaul Institute on Global Homelessness.

Dr. Denise Assunta Coia

Dr. Coia is a clinical psychiatrist and leader in the field of mental health whose work has been recognised internationally. She was instrumental in the design and delivery of transformational mental health services in Glasgow through developing specialist community provision, work that has been influential nationally. Having served its predecessor bodies, in 2010 she became inaugural Chair of the Healthcare Improvement Scotland where she has built strong governance. It is now internationally regarded as driving developments in healthcare quality and evidence-based practice. She is a former Chair of the Royal College of Psychiatrists in Scotland and a former Vice-President of the Royal College of Psychiatrists as well as a current General Medical Council associate.

Veronica Anne (Polly) Courtice LVO

Polly Courtice is Founder Director of the Cambridge Institute of Sustainable Leadership. She has built a world-leading institute that has for over 25 years supported

thousands of leaders from businesses, financial services institutions and public organisations to understand and find solutions to global challenges such as climate change, resource security and inequality. She instigated the creation of The Prince of Wales's Corporate Leaders Group in 2005 which helped to establish a proactive business approach to working with government to mitigating climate change. She serves on the judging panel of The Queen's Award for Sustainable Development and is Chair of the judging panel of the Unilever Sustainable Living Young Entrepreneurs Award. She further gives her time to a number of advisory boards including AstraZeneca, Lloyds Banking Group and Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer LLP.

Professor Caroline Dean OBE FRS

Professor Dean is internationally recognised for her work in plant developmental biology. Her pioneering studies of epigenetics have demonstrated how plants carry a memory of environmental conditions by reprogramming their genes. Her work has helped to improve scientific understanding of crops and the effects of climate change. Her discoveries in gene silencing have aided understanding in areas of biology beyond her own field. She has been internationally recognised, including as the recipient in 2015 of the prestigious EMBO Women in Science Award. She has served on numerous panels for the Biotechnology Biological Sciences Research Council as well as the councils of both the Royal Society and the EMBO. She has engaged extensively in schools and with the media and mentors young scientists.

Professor Anna Felicja Dominiczak OBE FRSE

Professor Dominiczak is one of the UK's most eminent cardiovascular scientists and academics. Her research into hypertension, cardiovascular genomics and precision medicine identifies genetic factors which may predispose people to heart disease and stroke. She was instrumental in creating the British Heart Foundation Cardiovascular Research Centre, of which she was Director, 2000-10. In 2010 she became Head of the new College of Medical, Veterinary and Life Sciences at the University of Glasgow. She has been a driving force behind the opening in 2015 of the Stratified Medicine Scotland Innovation Centre which will develop new treatments for chronic diseases. She has been a Non-Executive Director of NHS Greater Glasgow and Clyde since 2011; was Vice President, Life Sciences of the Royal Society of Edinburgh, 2012-15; and is immediate past President of the European Society of Hypertension.

Alice Hudson

Alice Hudson is Executive Headteacher of the Twyford Church of England Academies Trust. In a career spanning 30 years she has worked consistently to improve educational standards. Under her headship, Twyford CofE High School was rated as outstanding by Ofsted and has become a centre of excellence for music and the performing arts. In 2013 she established the William Perkin School in Greenford. The school was judged outstanding in 2015 and her leadership was singled out as exceptional. Under her guidance and in partnership with Ealing local authority, in 2014

the Trust set up a Teaching Schools Alliance to raise standards and nurture new teachers. She is also a trustee of Villiers Park Education Trust and of the School Chaplains and Leaders Association.

Rotha Geraldine Diane Johnston CBE

Rotha Johnston has developed and is now implementing an ambitious strategy which is expected to leverage a direct spend of almost £200m into the NI economy. She is Chair of Northern Ireland Screen, a non-executive director of NI Electricity, an independent board member of the Department of Justice, and a Belfast Harbour Commissioner. Formerly Pro-Chancellor of Queen's University Belfast and Deputy Chair of Invest NI, she was instrumental in the development of a number of credit crunch initiatives. She chairs the voluntary Joint Independent Group for Study and Action, which aims to improve social inclusion.

Dr. Frances Lannon

Dr. Lannon was Principal of Lady Margaret Hall (LMH), University of Oxford from 2002 to 2015. A distinguished academic and teacher, particularly on Spain in the 19th and 20th centuries, she has also made a significant impact on expanding the access of students to higher education. She worked directly with state sector schools to build links with teachers and students to increase applications to Oxford. Having personally led fundraising efforts, LMH now pays over £200,000 a year in bursaries and around a quarter of its undergraduates are bursary-holders. Under her leadership, LMH also gave a home to the International Gender Studies Centre. From 2008 to 2011, she was Vice-Chair and Chair of the Conference of Colleges and she remains a governor of Emanuel School in Battersea.

Christine Lenehan OBE

Christine Lenehan is a national leader in supporting children with disabilities and their families. As Director for the Council for Disabled Children (CDC) since 2003, she has provided strong leadership and advice to both the public and private sectors. CDC is now the national authority in this field. She has been instrumental in advising successive governments on legislation for children with special educational needs and disabilities (SEND). Since 2011 she has led strategic reform for the Department of Education, leading implementation of 1,300 independent supporters who work with 22,500 families and young people. Since 2012 she has been Co-Chair of the Children and Young People's Health Forum, producing a key report in 2014 to develop practical improvements to young people's healthcare. Her tireless advocacy will leave a lasting legacy for children and young people.

Julia Peyton-Jones OBE

Julia Peyton-Jones has run the Serpentine Gallery for 25 years. Under her leadership, the Gallery has become one of Europe's most influential arts venues. Visitor numbers have gone from 250,000 to up to 1.2m a year and she has been responsible for bringing some of the world's most significant contemporary artists to exhibit in London. Since 2000 she has commissioned some of the world's most prestigious architects to design the Gallery's temporary summer pavilion, which has become one of the most anticipated events in the international architectural calendar and in itself become a popular annual visitor attraction. In 1998 the Gallery underwent a £4m renovation and in 2013 she led the expansion to a second site, the Serpentine Sackler Gallery, designed by Zaha Hadid Architects.

Benita Refson OBE

Benita Refson is a founder and current President of Place2Be, through which she has played a pivotal role in supporting children's mental and emotional wellbeing. Place2Be is a schools-based mental health service which since 1994 has expanded to support over 100,000 children in 250 schools UK-wide. Place2Be also supports children's families and trains 4,000 professionals annually to work with children. In 2012 she became a founding trustee of the Children of Success Schools Trust in Manchester; has been a governor of the Bridge Academy since 2014; and is a trustee of the Rehabilitation of Addicted Prisoners Trust. She has worked nationally to inform education policy, including successive Government taskforces on supporting mental health.

Penelope Alice Wilton OBE

Penelope Wilton is one of Britain's most popular and sought-after actresses, whose career has spanned acclaimed performances on stage, screen and television. A household name for her comedic performances starting with 1980s sitcom *Ever Decreasing Circles*, she has subsequently starred in a diverse range of roles in works including *Five Days, Half Broken Things* and *The Passion* for television and *Calendar Girls* and *The Best Exotic Marigold Hotel* on film. Her celebrated stage work is varied and she has won numerous awards including Critics Circle Awards for *Much Ado About Nothing* (1981) and *The Deep Blue Sea* (1993); an Evening Standard Theatre Award for *The Chalk Garden* (2008); and a Best Actress Olivier for *Taken at Midnight* (2015).

KNIGHT BACHELOR

Damon Marcus Buffini

Damon Buffini has achieved outstanding success in business, coupled with a drive to give back to society. As head of Permira, a leading UK private equity company, he teamed up with Community Action Network, committing over €3m of funding and €2m of professional support to seven social enterprises in a joint programme called Breakthrough. He supports a range of arts and education charities: his interest is primarily in supporting organisations which enable the least advantaged in our society to access opportunities. Since 2009 he has been a governor of the Royal Shakespeare Company and he is a trustee of the Prince's Trust. He co-founded the Social Business Trust in 2010 to provide business support for a range of social enterprises and his Buffini Chao Foundation supports a number of educational initiatives.

Michael Craig-Martin CBE

Michael Craig-Martin is one of Britain's most significant artists with a major international reputation. He played a pivotal role in the development of British contemporary art, fostering the talents of many Young British Artists including Damien Hirst and Sarah Lucas. His own work features in public and private collections worldwide, with a major exhibition of his recent work held in Shanghai in 2015. He was elected an RA in 2006 and has served as an artist trustee of both the Tate and the Art Fund.

The Right Honorable Jeffrey Mark Donaldson MP

Jeffrey Donaldson is Northern Ireland's longest-serving MP. Democratic Unionist MP for Lurgan Valley, he has represented the Party at Westminster through a number of portfolios. For much of his time as an MP, he also sat in the Northern Ireland Assembly. He is now Chief Whip for the DUP at Westminster and is a member of the British Irish Parliamentary Assembly. He is chair of the Northern Ireland Co-ordinating Committee for the Centenary Commemorations of the First World War and is a trustee of the Museum of the Royal Ulster Rifles.

The Right Honorable Alexander Charles Onslow Fergusson

Alexander Fergusson was MSP for South of Scotland (1999-2003), Galloway and Upper Nithsdale (2003-11) and Galloway and West Dumfries (2011-16). He is a former Presiding Officer of the Scottish Parliament (2007-11), Convenor of the Rural Affairs Committee (2001-03) and was rural affairs spokesperson for the Scottish Conservatives. Recognised by all sides of the Scottish Parliament for his reputation for fairness, he steered Members through a number of difficult issues during his time as Presiding Officer. Actively involved in Scottish life, he is a member and former President of the Blackface Sheepbreeders Association, a member of Scottish Land and Estates and a past President of the Royal Highland and Agricultural Society of Scotland.

Dr. David Grant CBE FREng

Dr. Grant has made a wide-ranging contribution to higher education, engineering and technology in the UK through both private and public sector. Starting as an apprentice on Tyneside manufacturing steam turbines, he worked his way up to become Managing Director of a number of engineering companies. He was for 11 years Vice Chancellor of Cardiff University where he helped to strengthen the University's research base and he was for 7 years a proactive board member of the Technology Strategy Board. He is currently Chair of the National Physical Laboratory and is also Chair of the charity STEMNET, which reaches 600,000 school children.

David Hamilton

David Hamilton was, until 2015, the MP for Midlothian. A former miner, he began his career in politics through a long-standing involvement with the National Union of Mineworkers. He subsequently used his parliamentary career – including as Chair of the Coalfield Communities All-Party Parliamentary Group – to campaign tirelessly for former miners, their families and the communities in which they live. His role in ensuring that miners' compensation schemes reached all affected and his successful campaigning on industrial injury compensation issues have had particular impact. His commitment to justice and equality for workers has been tireless.

Philip William Hulme

Philip Hulme is an entrepreneur and businessman who has made a strong philanthropic impact in the charitable sector. He founded the UK's biggest IT services company, Computacenter, which employs over 16,000 people worldwide Dealogic, one of the world's leading financial software companies. He founded the Hadley Trust which, to date, has donated over £35m to good causes. The Hadley Trust seeks to help the disadvantaged and has had a particular impact in the sphere of justice, funding many charities including the Prison Reform Trust and the Centre for Justice Innovations. It also seeks to improve outcomes for looked-after children and established the Hadley Centre for adoption and fostering at Bristol University.

Paul Marshall

Paul Marshall is a founding trustee and Chairman of ARK Schools, as well as the lead Non-Executive Director of the Department of Education. Under his leadership, ARK has become a strong academy sponsor with 34 schools across England. He has been a passionate and generous supporter of educational philanthropy, striving to break the link between disadvantage and educational attainment. He was also founding sponsor of ARK Globe Academy in London, chairing its board between 2008 and 2013 and of ARK John Keates Academy in Enfield.

Terence Keith Morgan CBE FREng

Terence Morgan is Chairman of Crossrail Ltd. which is acknowledged as one of the UK's most successful engineering projects. Delivery is 75% complete, on schedule and within budget. The project boasts an exemplary safety record and has exceeded targets in training over 550 apprentices whilst employing around 4,000 local or previously unemployed people. Since 2011 he has been Chairman of the Manufacturing Technology Centre in Coventry, an initiative which he spearheaded and which develops and supports innovative manufacturing technologies as well as training apprentices and developing engineering skills. In 2013 he helped the Department of Transport to establish the High Speed Rail College, the UK's first new FE college in 20 years, which will train people to deliver the HS2 project.

Simon Christopher Townsend Robey

Simon Robey has been a trustee of the Royal Opera House (ROH) since 2006, becoming Chair in 2008. He has overseen a period of artistic excellence whilst maintaining financial stability and reducing reliance on public subsidies. He recently finalised the fundraising for a new capital project at ROH, designed further to open up the building to new audiences. He personally generously supports the ROH's performances for students. He has been a Council member of Aldeburgh Music since 2001 and Chair since 2012. He has been pivotal in supporting the organisation through a period of sustained growth, helping to secure the Snape Maltings concert venue for future generations. He was also a member of the governing body at the Royal Academy of Music between 2004 and 2014.

Professor Roger Vernon Scruton

Professor Scruton is one of Britain's foremost philosophers. The author of over 40 books – as well as numerous scholarly and press articles – he has made a particularly significant impact on thinking about national identity, freedom and Western values. In the 1970s and 80s, he was a central figure in the Underground Universities, promoting real education secretly behind the Iron Curtain. A considerable number of his students became noteworthy figures in the first democratic governments in Eastern Europe following the fall of communism, particularly in the Czech lands, Poland and Hungary.

Dr. Larry Alan Siedentop CBE

Dr. Siedentop is a global figure in the field of political science. Emeritus Fellow of Keble College, University of Oxford, his work has been influential both nationally and internationally, particularly through his contribution to the debates on the future of the UK and of Europe. He is the author of the ground-breaking books *Democracy in Europe* (2000) and *Inventing the Individual* (2014). He writes extensively for publications including *The Times* and *The Financial Times*. He has bequeathed a substantial collection of mainly European art work to the Hope College Kruizenga Art Museum and is a significant donor to Keble College.

Roderick David Stewart CBE

Rod Stewart is one of the best-selling music artists of all time, having sold over 200m records worldwide. A two-time Rock & Roll Hall of Fame inductee and Grammy Living Legend, he has had six consecutive number one albums in the UK, and 62 UK hit singles including 31 that reached the top 10, six of which gained the number one position. His album *Time* (2013) was comprised almost entirely of songs he had co-written and entered the UK Albums Chart at No.1, setting a new British record for the longest gap between chart-topping albums by an artist. He supports a range of charities including Breast Cancer Care, Caudwell Children, Elton John AIDS Foundation, the Red Cross, the Andre Agassi Foundation for Education, UNICEF, The Prince's Trust and the RNIB.

Professor John Strang

Professor Strang is world-renowned for his work on addictions and has given a lifetime of service to treatment and research in the field of drug dependence. An adviser to the UK Government, the World Health Organisation and the United Nations, he produced influential guidelines for the UK Department of Health which have been the foundation for the national service framework the treatment of on drug dependence. He has led treatment innovations at the South London and Maudsley NHS Foundation Trust and has made an extensive research contribution, particularly as Director of the National Addiction Centre at King's College London, with his research group being one of the most cited worldwide. He is the only UK addiction clinician to have been included on the internationally-esteemed ISI Highly-Cited List.

The Right Honorable Desmond Swayne TD MP

Desmond Swayne has been the MP for New Forest West since 1997, holding his seat at five General Elections. Currently Minister of State for International Development, he has previously held a number of shadow ministerial positions and acted as Parliamentary Private Secretary to two Leaders of the Conservative Party. He has made a contribution to parliamentary process as a member of a number of committees including the Ecclesiastical Committee, the Defence Committee, the Social Security Committee and the Scottish Affairs Committee. He continues to serve as a Territorial Army officer, which he joined in 1978, and he was deployed to Iraq from July to December 2003.

Dr. Richard Henry Triesman FRS

Dr. Treisman is an outstanding scientist whose leadership has played a pivotal role in developing cancer research. In 2001 he was central to the formation of Cancer Research UK (CRUK), helping to make it the world's largest charitable funder of cancer research. He subsequently established CRUK's London Research Institute as one of the world's leading cancer biology institutes. As an inaugural Research Director at the Francis Crick Institute, he has been instrumental in bringing together the strengths of CRUK, the National Institute for Medical Research, the Wellcome Trust and London universities. He has made a notable contribution to the wider international biomedical

community, including as a member of the Council of European Molecular Biology Organisation, as a committee member of the Jeantet Prize and through the editorial boards of a variety of journals.

Professor Douglass Matthew Turnbull

Professor Turnbull leads an internationally renowned team of clinicians and researchers into mitochondrial disease. His treatments have improved the lives of hundreds of patients with genetic disorders. He campaigned tirelessly for a change to the law, passed in 2015, to allow procedures that would help to prevent the inheritance of genetic illnesses. He is the National Lead for the NHS National Highly Specialised Services for Rare Mitochondrial Diseases in Adults and Children. His research team was recognised as a Wellcome Trust Centre in 2012 and he has been recognised with a numerous appointments and awards. He also supports a UK-wide patient network including work with charities operating in the sector.

Professor Stanley William Wells CBE

Professor Wells is a pre-eminent Shakespeare scholar whose teaching and championing has revolutionised understanding and critical appreciation of Shakespeare's works worldwide. He is the founding editor of the innovative Oxford Shakespeare project, the author of over 30 books, a long-standing member of the International Shakespeare Association and a teacher at both the University of Birmingham and the Shakespeare Centre in Stratford-upon-Avon. He has given freely of his time to work closely with the Shakespeare Birthplace Trust, the Royal Shakespeare Company and the Globe to promote and develop understanding of the works. He remains active as writer, editor, speaker, and contributor to digital and other media.

Peter Wood CBE

Peter Wood pioneered the sale of direct insurance in the UK, founding Direct Line, which became one of the country's largest ever motor insurers under his leadership. He went on to found six other significant insurance businesses in the UK as well as Spain and US, including esure and Sheila's Wheels, the female-focused brand. His wider business influences include creative and financial backing of gocompare.com. He was a director of the Princess Royal Trust for Carers and co-founded the Croydon Colorectal Cancer Charity. He has given significant philanthropic support to charities including MacMillan Cancer Support.