

## WALTER GILL

ASSISTANT CLERK TO THE WORSHIPFUL COMPANY OF MANAGEMENT CONSULTANTS



Born in Sunderland in 1958 I left school in 1975 and studied engineering for a year at Sunderland Polytechnic before deciding to follow my brother in the Army in 1977 with the Army's map makers, Military Survey, in the Corps of the Royal Engineers.

I served my entire career with Military Survey doing three tours in the UK, one tour of Cyprus, three tours of Germany, two operational tours of Bosnia and of course my favourite tour which was three years in Naples, Italy, as the Geographic Office for Allied Forces Southern Europe between January 1995 and December 1997.

I met my wife, Helen, whilst serving in HQ BAOR in Monchengladbach, Germany, in early 1993 and we married on 22 March 1995 so we will celebrate our 25<sup>th</sup> anniversary this year. We have one son, Anthony born on 19 July 2000 who is currently in his second year at The University of Suffolk studying Architecture.

I left the Army in June 2000 after 23 years attaining the rank of Warrant Officer Class 1. The following month I joined the Worshipful Company of Carmen as the Assistant Clerk before being given the position of Clerk in 2003. I remained as Clerk till deciding to take early retirement in October 2019.

In March 2018 I served as President of the Fellowship of Clerks.

After a couple of months and spending too much time on the golf course I decided I needed something more to do, especially with the City, albeit only for a couple of days a week so I could still spend some time on the golf course and with my wife, Helen.

I was delighted when I heard the Management Consultants were looking for a part-time Assistant Clerk and after reading the job description thought it would suit us both and even more delighted hearing that after my interview they decided to offer me the position.

I see my role as one of assisting the Clerk, Julie, especially with the database, website and accounts.

As in my previous positions I am also always happy to assist members of the company should they require help with IT problems or if they need help planning a special event.

I am also a budding photographer and have done many photoshoots for both charities and professional bodies. I enjoy all most sports, especially golf, and when I have free time my wife and I enjoy going to the Theatre.

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