WCoMC Installation Dinner 2016

A very special occasion for our Company Members and Guests

Installation Ceremony and black tie gourmet dinner Vintners' Hall
68 Upper Thames Street, London EC4V 3BG

Thursday 20th October 6.30pm to 10.30pm

Members <u>Click here to book your place</u> Non-members email <u>clerk@wcomc.org</u>

"Masters pass through the Chair":

- The installation of our new Master is the highlight, and the start, of our Livery Year
- Each year, our new Master takes the Company forward and develops our continuing strategy
- This year Noorzaman Rashid will be 'taking the baton' from David Peregrine-Jones, our out-going Master





Tickets: £100 exclusive of VAT



Witness the handover from one Master to the next: WCoMC is a modern Livery Company yet we follow the tradition of the Livery in formally disrobing our Master and passing the robes and chain to his or her successor and then installing the new Master. In turn, he or she then installs the new Wardens and new Court Assistants.

Each Master takes the lead in developing our position within the City Livery Movement, building our links with other Livery Companies, in particular the 100+ Group and the Modern Companies. Our Master also leads the development of our strategy, guiding the work of our committees and panels to grow our vibrant membership and the enjoyment our members gain from mutual fellowship.

Enjoy the Event: each year we strive to celebrate our Master's installation with a memorable Livery Dinner. This year is no exception: a champagne reception followed by three courses with carefully matched wines. A key element will be the address that Noorzaman, as our new Master, will give, indicating how he sees the year unfolding. Traditionally, this follows the address given by the Guest of Honour, who this year is Aziz Din Rashid, Head of BBC North West. Aziz started his career in the City of London; he then joined the BBC where he has held senior editorial roles on BBC World TV, BBC Breakfast, and the BBC News



Channel before being appointed to the BBC North Board which was responsible for the move to MediaCityUK. Our livery guests will include Richard Brindley, Master Chartered Architect, Robert Woodthorpe Browne, Master World Trader and the Deputy Prime Warden of the Goldsmith's Company, Judy Lowe.

Do come and join WCoMC's Freemen and Liverymen in celebrating one of the most important events in our Livery Year: 'Masters passing through the Chair'.