## **Steve Yates**



Steve served in the Military and has been employed within Private & Public sector organizations. Through his work in Information Technology Disaster Recovery and Incident Management he has been Admitted to the Freedom of the City of London and has recently been elevated to Liveryman of the Worshipful Company of Information Technologists (WCIT), where he is a Member of their Financial Services Technology Panel, with additional responsibility for leading the Operational Resilience and Cloud Providers Steering Group.

He is a Founding Fellow of the Business Continuity Institute (FBCI) and Institute of Civil Protection & Emergency Management (FICPEM), Certified as a Business Continuity Professional by the Disaster Recovery Institute (DRI) International (CBCP), Member of the Emergency Planning Society (MEPS) and a Bsi Certified ISO Lead Auditor, as well as having been elected to become Chairman of the Resilience Association.

His main claim to fame was during the London 2012 Olympic & Paralympic Games where he was the Head of Business Continuity & Crisis Management, with additional responsibility for IT Disaster Recovery and Emergency Planning as a Category 1 responder for the Olympic Development Authority (ODA). At the ODA, he established and led delivery of the Risk & Continuity roadmap throughout the construction, fitting-out and event delivery phases for London 2012.