

Board of Directors



Mike Norris (46)
Chief Executive

Mike graduated with a degree in computer science and mathematics from East Anglia University in 1983. He joined Computacenter in 1984 as a salesman in the City office. In 1986 he was Computacenter's top national account manager. Following appointments as Regional Manager for London operations in 1988 and General Manager of the Systems Division in 1992 with full national sales and marketing responsibilities, he became Chief Executive in December 1994 with responsibility for all day-to-day activities and reporting channels across Computacenter.



Tony Conophy (50)
Finance Director

Tony has been a member of the Institute of Chartered Management Accountants since 1982. He qualified with Semperit (Ireland) Ltd and then worked for five years at Cape Industries plc. He joined Computacenter in 1987 as Financial Controller, rising in 1991 to General Manager of Finance. In 1996 he was appointed Finance and Commercial Director of Computacenter (UK) Limited with responsibility for all financial, purchasing and vendor relations activities. In March 1998 he was appointed Group Finance Director.



Peter Ogden (60)
Non-Executive

Peter founded Computacenter with Philip Hulme in 1981 and was Chairman of the Company until 1998, when he became a Non-Executive Director. He is Chairman of Dealogic (Holdings) plc and a Director of Atlas Capital Group. Prior to founding Computacenter, he was a Managing Director of Morgan Stanley and Co.



John Ormerod (59)
Non-Executive

John is the Senior Independent Director of Misys Plc. He is also a Non-Executive Director of Gemalto NV, where he chairs the Audit Committee, and a member of the Audit Committee of HBOS plc. In January 2008 he joined the Board of ITV plc.



Philip Hulme (59)
Non-Executive

Philip founded Computacenter with Peter Ogden in 1981 and worked for the company on a full-time basis until stepping down as Executive Chairman in 2001. He is a Director of Dealogic (Holdings) plc and was previously a Vice President and Director of the Boston Consulting Group.



Ian Lewis (47)
Non-Executive

Ian is Director of the University Computing Service at the University of Cambridge. During his career he has held a number of senior positions, including First Vice President and Global Chief Technology Officer of Merrill Lynch's Investment Banking and Sales division and Global CTO at Dresdner Kleinwort Wasserstein Investment Banking.



Cliff Preddy (60)
Non-Executive

Cliff has worked in the IT industry for most of his professional career, including many years as an Executive Director of Logica plc. He is currently Chairman of Charteris plc and was a Non-Executive director of CODASciSys plc from 1997 until 2006, including six years as Chairman.