

## **John Lloyd appointed as Nautical Institute CEO**

At last week's Nautical Institute London Command Seminar held at Trinity House on 17 / 18 May Philip Wake retired after 14 years in post as CEO and was succeeded by Captain John Lloyd.

Speaking at Trinity House, at the third of the Institute's 2017 command seminar series, Captain Lloyd said: *'I am delighted to be leading the next phase of development at The Nautical Institute, at a time of great change for our industry. Now more than ever it is important that the Institute champions best practice and professionalism and promotes a culture of safety first.'*

In his previous role as Chief Operating Officer, John had overall responsibility for the Institute's specialised training services, including the industry-standard Dynamic Positioning Operator (DPO) accreditation and certification scheme.

John's 16-year seagoing career began in 1975, gaining command in 1987 and spending two years as a marine pilot at Walvis Bay.

His extensive experience in maritime education has included senior positions at Warsash Maritime Academy and Flagship Training in the UK, as CEO of Vanuatu Maritime College and Professor of Maritime Training at the Australian Maritime College in Tasmania.

As CEO of The Nautical Institute, John will be managing the resources of an organisation that has 7,000 members and over 50 branches around the world. He has been a member of the Institute for 30 years.

The Nautical Institute is an international representative body for maritime professionals involved in the control of seagoing ships. It provides a wide range of services to enhance the professional standing and knowledge of members who are drawn from all sectors of the maritime world.