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Michael Reiss was brought up in London and read Natural Sciences at Cambridge. As an undergraduate he was fortunate enough to meet Jenny Chapman, to whom he has been married since 1982, and together they have written school and university ecology textbooks.

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He travels widely and enjoys visiting museums and art galleries and reading fiction and non-fiction alike. His research and consultancy interests are in science education, bioethics and sex education and he also writes on the interface of science education and theology. He was admitted to the Company in 2004 by redemption and became a Court Assistant in 2014.