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TIN PLATE WORKERS ALIAS WIRE WORKERS*



**Laurence Mutkin**

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Laurence Mutkin was installed as Master of the Worshipful Company of Tin Plate Workers alias Wire Workers at the Mansion House in July 2019. At his installation Dinner, he repeated a story that his father had told at his own installation as Master 22 years previously. No witnesses have yet come forward to say who told it better.

Son of Henry, who worked in the British steel industry for many years, and Sheila, who worked in market research, Laurence was born and brought up in London. Educated at Westminster School and Balliol College, Oxford, where he read Jurisprudence, he went into the City, joining Salomon Brothers in 1987.

He has spent all of his career in finance, the bulk of it in financial markets research, most recently heading the global interest rate strategy teams at Morgan Stanley and then at BNP Paribas. In these roles, he has written articles for the Financial Times and appeared on Bloomberg and CNBC TV, discussing financial markets. Before that, he spent a six years as a fund manager at Threadneedle Asset Management. Laurence left BNP Paribas in July 2019 and is now enjoying what his children describe as a gap year while he is Master.



Laurence is married to Stacey, who is a photographer. They have two sons, one of whom is in his first year at university, the other in his A-level year at school.

His other interests include motoring (he and his wife still drive the cars they owned when they married: he a 1973 Citroen DS, she a 1929 Austin Seven), tennis and skiing. He is a member of the RAC, to the board of which he was recently elected; the Vintage Sports Car Club; and the Hurlingham Club.