

# 22 shortlisted for IOD annual awards

A TOTAL of 22 senior professionals and directors have been shortlisted as finalists in five categories in the 2013 Jersey Director of the Year awards.

Over 50 nominations were received for the awards scheme run by the local branch of the Institute of Directors.

The winners will be selected by an independent judging panel that includes Greenlight managing director Elliot Lincoln.

He won an award locally last year and went on to be named the UK Young Director of the Year in the national awards.

The winners will be announced at a black tie awards dinner, sponsored by JF and Appleby, on Friday 3 May at the Hotel de France.

It will again be hosted by renowned writer, broadcaster, former MP and UK government whip Gyles Brandreth. He made such an impression last year that they invited him back.

The nominees for the shortlists in the various categories are as follows:-

## Small Business Director

Phil Regan, director, Jersey office and group creative director, the Partnership Agency  
Becky Hill, director/owner, HR Now Ltd

Beverley Le Cuirot, founder and executive director, WellBeing World Ltd

Miguel Arraya, non-executive chairman, Direct Capital Solutions Ltd

Nigel Mann, co-founder and director, the Jersey Sports and Spinal Clinic Ltd

## Medium Business Director

Paul Richardson, executive director, Building Renovations Ltd  
Letitia Herviou, managing director, Basel Trust Corporation  
Andrew Shrimpton, director, Dolan Hotels  
Heller Smith, finance director, Jersey Water

## Large Business Director

Aaron Chatterley, chief executive, feelunique.com

Phil McGowan, head of EMEA Private Equity & Real Estate, State Street

Peter Murley, chief executive, Hawksford International

## Third Sector Director

David Witherington, executive director, JACS

Jane Moy, chief executive, Centrepoint Trust

Laura Rowley, Treasurer of the States, States of Jersey

Brian Curtis, executive chairman, Community Savings Ltd.

John Harris, director general, Jersey Financial Services Commission

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## Young Director

Eamonn Elliott, general manager, Grand Hotel

Mike Jones, deputy director, Jersey Financial Services Commission

Alex Morel, founder and managing director, AXI, Training Ltd

Clare Bosca-Scott, founder and managing director, CBS 4 Star Services

Luke Smith, managing director, Foxleigh Knight

IOD Jersey branch chairman Jason Laity said that the awards were designed to recognise and celebrate the expertise and achievements of the Island's top business leaders.

He said that the 22 shortlisted finalists demonstrated the strength, breadth and diversity of the Island's business community and came from firms of all sizes and a wide range of industry sectors.

The winners from each of the five categories will automatically be entered into the IOD's national awards to be held in London later this year.

## Judges

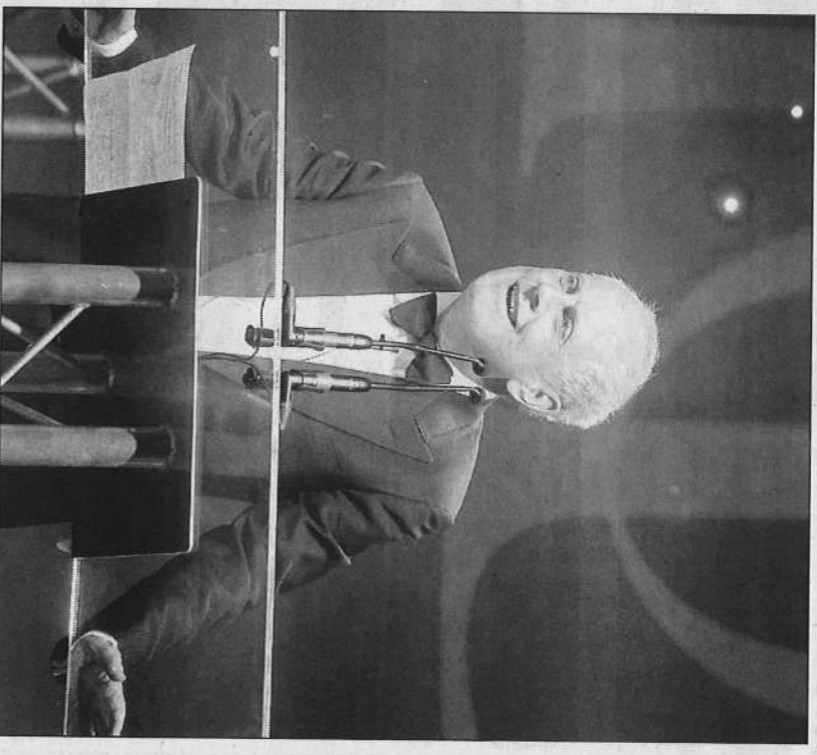
Apart from Mr Lincoln, the judging panel also includes another Islander who won a UK director of the year award, former Le Rocquier head teacher Richard Rolfe.

They are joined on the panel by tax partner at PwC Channel Islands Wendy Dorman, former IOD Jersey chairman and HSBC Bank executive Gary Drinkwater and the chairman of the Jersey Financial Services Commission, Clive Jones.

Tickets for the Jersey director of the year awards dinner and ceremony are priced at £80 and places can be reserved by contacting Kirsten Higgins, IOD Jersey Branch Officer on 610799 or by email to jedirector@localdial.com.



Elliot Lincoln, winner of the Young Director award for 2012



Above: Guest speaker Gyles Brandreth at last year's awards dinner, and left, Jason Laity, IOD Jersey Chairman