

## **CHARLES CARTER OBE (R61-69)**

He was born on 14 May 1951 and served for 24 years in the British Army.

At Sandhurst he had the distinction of being awarded the Queen's Medal for passing out highest in the Order of Merit. During his time in the Army he was part of the Army's operational and planning group at the MoD for the recapture of the Falkland Islands in 1982. He was appointed as an OBE for his work with the United Nations in Cyprus where he commanded the British Sector of the Green Line, helping to lower the tensions between the Greeks and Turks. He ended his career in the Army having commanded his Regiment, The Queen's Own Hussars.



After his career in the Army he worked for a recruitment company and then for Age Concern England, where he set up the national help-line and then led the campaign to raise the general public's awareness of an ageing population. As part of this role he was the first CEO of the International Longevity Centre as well as chairing the government's Foresight Taskforce looking at the Future of Labour, Leisure and Learning.

He is currently the Director Regions at the Institute of Chartered Accountants where he has responsibility for supporting Chartered Accountants in their careers if working in the UK.