

## EComp Michael Shaw

Appointed and invested as  
Assistant to the Provincial Principals - 25<sup>th</sup> May 2010

Michael Shaw was born and educated in Stockton-on-Tees. He attended Leeds University, graduating in Chemical Engineering and now works as a Chartered Chemical Engineer with a particular interest in the nuclear industry.

Initiated into the Lodge of Fraternity No1418 (Stockton on Tees) in 1982, Michael served as Master in 1991. In 1994 he was appointed Secretary of the Lodge, an office he still holds.

In 1999 he was appointed Past Provincial Grand Registrar and was promoted to Past Provincial Junior Grand Warden in 2005. He is also a member of the Nevill Lodge of Installed Masters.

Exalted into Tees Royal Arch Chapter No509 (Stockton) in 1993 he became First Principal in 2000 and in 2005 was appointed Past Provincial Grand Scribe Nehemiah.

Michael is also a member of the St Cuthbert Chapter, Rose Croix No96 (Darlington).

Michael married Deirdre in 1987 while working in South Africa. They have lived in the village of Long Newton, just outside Stockton, since returning to the UK. Outside Freemasonry, Michael's interests include music, especially classical. He organises regular concerts and musical events in Long Newton and is occasional organist at the village church.

As Assistant to the Provincial Grand Principals he will share responsibility for the south and west areas of the Province with the 3<sup>rd</sup> Provincial Grand Principal.