



Biography

Roger Harrop BSc(Hons), CEng, FIMechE, FCIM, FInstIB, FPSA, PSAE

Roger Harrop has spent over 25 years leading international business at the highest level, ultimately a plc, putting him in a unique position to deal with contemporary business challenges.

He is an, Oxford, UK based, award winning international motivational business growth speaker who inspires and entertains his audiences with his acclaimed Staying in the Helicopter® programs. Over 10000 CEOs, business leaders and others have achieved transformational change through his thought provoking and entertaining talks laced with real-life stories, anecdotes and humour.

Roger is also an author, accredited SME business advisor, mentor, consultant and independent director focused on business development and success.

He has extensive experience across a broad spectrum of businesses - from small start-ups to large multinational corporations; from high tech manufactured products through basic commodities, to people based services businesses and not-for-profit organizations

Roger spent seven years as Group Chief Executive of a FTSE quoted, high tech industrial instrumentation group with 12 operations over four continents. The company was listed in the UK Government's 'Competitiveness' White Paper and gained a reference in the US Forbes magazine as one of the top 100 overseas companies and has been used as a benchmark case study by two business schools on culture change and business re-engineering.

He has run businesses for major multi-national corporations and has been a tutor with one of the leading leadership and teambuilding programs for over 25 years.

He is a Past-President of The Professional Speakers Association, a former Vice-President of The Institution of Mechanical Engineers, and a Liveryman with The Worshipful Company of Marketors.

He is a keen windsurfer and mountain biker.

Accreditations

Chartered Engineer
Member of The Global Speakers Federation
Liveryman with The Worshipful Company of Marketors
Fellow, member of the Board and Past President of the Professional Speakers Association
Accredited SME business advisor and Fellow of The Institute for Independent Business
Former Vice-President and Fellow of The Institution of Mechanical Engineers
Ranked in the top 10 of management & strategy speakers worldwide
Speaker of the Year with The Academy for Chief Executives
Winner of the Professional Speaking Award of Excellence