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**Bio & Policy Statement from  
A Nominee for Journalist Member Governor  
Board of Governors 2016-2017**



**James GOULD**  
**Affiliation: RTHK**

Head of Radio 3 at RTHK, and co-presenter of one-hour evening programme “Newswrap”.

FCC member since 1995. Elected to Board of Governors for first time in 2015.

Thirty-three years in news / media business.

UK national, HK permanent resident. Married. Father of two girls, both born in HK.

Was previously executive producer for RTHK’s English-language TV programmes, and senior member of radio newsroom editing and production operation.

Also spent 11 years in London working for the BBC, in two stints. Was Senior Broadcast Journalist in national radio newsroom by 1989.

Print: Reporter for regional newspapers in UK, and sub-editor (freelance) at The Independent.

As head of HK’s main English-language radio channel I will continue to support the Club’s current efforts, and new initiatives, to promote high standards of journalism.

As a member of the board I will also strive to uphold the FCC’s position as a great local and international media and social club and one of the best places to meet friends and entertain guests. Although the facilities and service standards are generally excellent, I would support any moves to make improvements, where possible.