Officer Assaults - the Challenge
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John Apter, Chairman, Hampshire Police Federation

John is the Chairman of Hampshire Police Federation, a position he has held for 5 years. John joined Hampshire Constabulary as a Special Constable in 1988 before joining as a regular officer in 1992. He has served in a variety of roles across the Force area including response policing and on Roads Policing. John specialised as a Road Death Investigation and also as a Family Liaison officer.

AC Nicole Cornelius, Hampshire Constabulary

Nicole Cornelius joined Hampshire Constabulary as Deputy Head of Personnel in 2005 with over 20 years experience in the public sector covering areas of health, housing, social care and the probation service. She joined the chief officer team in 2011 when she was appointed Head of HR and then in 2012 took on the role of Director of HR and Corporate Support. She currently holds the position of Assistant Chief Officer (Resources). She is a member of the national executive committee of the CIPD Heads of Profession covering the Service Delivery and Information portfolio as well as being an Independent Advisor to the military.

She is a graduate of the M.St programme at the University of Cambridge and her academic research explored the perceptions of victims of domestic abuse to different police disposals.
Chief Superintendent Scott Chilton, Hampshire Constabulary

Scott Chilton is a Chief Superintendent for Hampshire Constabulary. In his professional career he has served over twenty three years at all ranks, in a variety of uniform and detective command roles. These include local policing, major crime, Counter Terrorism and Intelligence. He has experience working in Afghanistan and India leading programmes of police reform and anti-corruption. He is currently the Head of the Hampshire Constabulary and Thames Valley Police Joint Operations Unit with responsibility for leading on areas of Protective Services including Firearms, Operations and Roads Policing.

He is a graduate of Criminology from Cambridge University and has undertaken research in to intervention methods in tackling domestic violence. Scott is also the national Chair of the Society of Evidence Based Policing.

John Montague, Senior District Crown Prosecutor, CPS Wessex

John Montague joined the CPS in 2004 after 11 years in private law practice. He became a Crown Advocate in 2006 and regularly appeared at the Crown Court whilst working for CPS Dorset. He managed a Magistrates Court unit in Southampton and a Crown Court team in Dorset.

John joined North Hampshire CPS in 2010, and became Senior District Crown Prosecutor and Chief Crown Prosecutor for Wiltshire in 2011. He went on to manage specialist units across CPS Wessex, forming and developing a Wessex Rape and Serious Sexual Offences (RASSO) unit.

John has the overall responsibility for all Crown Court units and the Rape and Serious Sexual Offences (RASSO) units in Wessex.