An Interview with the President

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Visitors to our site will be aware, that, between Friday March 23rd – Sunday April 1st, 2018, in aid of the Prisoners' Education Trust (PET), Lewis took part in the St Martin's Challenge. A challenge which was largely the result of Lewis' interest in the history of his local parish church. After researching other churches dedicated to the same Saint, Lewis decided that it would be a great idea to try to link them together in some way, whilst raising money for a couple of causes that Saint Martin himself, a great champion of the poor and imprisoned, would have appreciated greatly: The Prisoners' Education Trust, a charity supporting the rehabilitation and education of some of the poorest and most under-privileged prisoners, and The Myosotis Trust in Barlad, Eastern Romania.

On Tuesday 4th September I attended my first Prisoners' Education Trust alumni party. (Reflections on the PET Alumni Evening click on link to read my review of the evening).



I was fortunate, during the evening, which I consider to be a life affirming event for me personally, to have interviewed, on camera, PET president and former high court judge, John Samuels QC. We discussed the importance of education within a custodial environment and highlighted areas of where PET has an involvement. Mr Samuels also shares his visionary ideas for the judiciary.

I hope you enjoy viewing the video, as much as I did recording it:

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=X33uaLDvYTw&feature=youtu.be