

## **TREASURER**

### **Peter Lucas**



I have been a member of Sydney Heritage Fleet since 2006. Initially I was a non-active financial member, aware of the Fleet's activities and supporting the Fleet with small additional donations for time to time.

Over the years I also had cause to charter a number of the fleet vessels for social functions on the harbour, however it was the voyage as a Passenger on the 2019 Hobart to Sydney leg on the tall ship James Craig which ignited my full interest in the Fleet, and in particular the James Craig. On that journey, by being involved in all the watch activity at sea with a team of incredibly dedicated volunteers, that the full realisation of Sydney Heritage Fleet's Vision 'To be the museum that goes to sea' came home to me. It is extremely important to preserve this for future generations.

I bring to the Board a professional career and knowledge in all aspects of financial and risk management. I have worked in business in a variety of roles – Chartered Accountancy, Merchant Banking, State Government financial debt management, and lately as a professional independent Chair or Member of various Audit & Risk Committees, including a not-for-profit charity seeking to solve food insecurity, and serving on a NSW Government Local Health District.

My on-going membership and qualification as a Fellow of the Australian Institute of Company Directors, a Fellow of Chartered Accountants Australia + New Zealand, a Fellow of the Governance Institute of Australia, and a Fellow of the Institute of Chartered Secretaries means that my expertise is available to work collaboratively with the on-going Board to resolve the immediate and future strategic issues facing the Fleet.