

MIHIR BOSE



“for his astute and incisive insights into the ‘how’ and ‘why’ of every intriguing ‘what’ in the world of sports and for his unique ability to reveal the eye of a sporting storm.”

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Mihir Bose is an award winning journalist and author. His histories and biographies include the only narrative history of Bollywood, biographies of Michael Grade and the Indian Freedom fighter, Subhas Chandra Bose, a history of the Muslim community of Memons and a study of the Aga Khans. His most recent book, *From Midnight to Glorious Morning?*, looks at how India has changed since it became an independent country nearly 70 years ago. He writes regularly for *History Today* and the *Financial Times* and has contributed to various books including *British Greats* and *Histories of Nations*, and he co-authored *The Story of William Hill*. A qualified chartered accountant, he has also written books on fraud and about the 1987 stock market crash. His *History of Indian Cricket* won the Cricket Society Silver Jubilee Literary Award, the first book on an Indian theme to win this prestigious prize. *Sporting Colours*, a study of

sport and apartheid, was a runner up to the William Hill Sports Book of the Year.

Mihir started his illustrious career as a journalist in 1974 with LBC and worked for the *Sunday Times* for 20 years. He has written for most of the leading British newspapers and magazines and broadcast for a wide range of outlets including Sky

and ITV. His journalism awards include Business Columnist of the Year, Sports Reporter of the Year and Sports Story of the Year. In 2012, Loughborough University awarded him an honorary doctorate for outstanding contribution to journalism and the promotion of equality. Mihir lives in west London with his wife, Caroline and daughter, Indira.

