

Profile of eMCM Professors

1) Professor David P Mellor OBE from United Kingdom



Prof. David Mellor worked in the Telecommunications Industry for over 40 years prior to taking early retirement from Cable & Wireless. As Chairman of the United Kingdom Telecommunications Academy he has had occasion to visit over 120 Countries and has been actively involved with the International Telecommunications Union since 1994. Taking the role of Chairman of ITU-TDAG from 2003-06 and more recently appointed by the Secretary General as his Special Envoy in respect of Academia. David is currently a Visiting Professor to Universities in China, Rwanda, Tanzania and UK covering Legal and Business Management at Masters Degree Level.

2) Professor Steve Capewell from United Kingdom



Prof. Steve Capewell has many years of operational experience in implementing Telecommunications and ICT projects globally. He has taught the subject from beginners to MSc levels for the past 20 years whilst providing help and support for many organisations in the industry. In addition to ICT experience Prof. Steve has also undertaken HR development work in conjunction with the BBC and worked with the Royal Mail in the UK recruiting and developing people at Director Level. He is currently Vice Chairman with UKTA (United Kingdom Telecommunications Academy) responsible for the Global marketing of their programmes.

3) Professor Derek Godfrey from United Kingdom



Prof. Derek Godfrey was Deputy Vice Chancellor at Buckinghamshire New University until his retirement in September 2014. At Bucks, he was responsible for HR, Finance, Student Experience, IT, Campus & Estates, Academic Quality, International and Business Systems Directorates. From 2005 to 2007, he held senior management roles at Cable & Wireless covering business planning, financial management & budgeting and network economics (2005 to 2007)

From 1998 to 2005, he was part of the senior management team at Energis (an alternative telecoms network provider). He was the Associate Dean for Research and External Affairs for the School of Engineering at Coventry University between 1995 to 1998. He worked for British Telecom in senior management and research positions between 1989 to 1994, at GEC-Marconi between 1981 to 1989 and Plessey between 1978 to 1981.

He has proven leadership ability in both University and commercial environments; expertise in the development of a University to meet the widening participation agenda whilst maintaining academic standards; multi-million pound financial expertise; extensive experience in leading major people change programmes; ability to instigate and deliver through partnerships; key expertise in strategic vision setting and business planning; committed to the delivery of excellence through providing leadership and direction of multi-functional teams.