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Biography

Daryl Williams graduated with a Bachelor of Science with Honours in Physical Chemistry from the University of Melbourne, Australia. Following 4 years as a research chemist in Melbourne, he undertook a MSc. at Lehigh University, USA via Rotary International Scholarship. He then completed a PhD at Imperial College in Chemical Engineering in 1990 on advanced composite materials.

He is currently an active faculty member in the Chemical Engineering Department at Imperial College in the area of materials characterisation where his research work is currently funded by a range of industrial and government sponsors. His research group focuses on the experimental characterisation of complex organic particulate materials, including especially surface properties, morphological stability and solids processing operations such as granulation and crystallisation. He is currently Director of External Relations as well as being a Senior Lecturer in Chemical Engineering. Dr. Williams lectures widely on materials characterisation and has over 100 conference and refereed publications. He is both a chartered professional engineer and a chartered professional scientist.

He is also the Founder and the CEO of Surface Measurement Systems, a specialist manufacturer of advanced scientific instrumentation for solids characterisation.