
Curriculum Vitae for Dr Nigel Roberts
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Professional Preparation & Formation

Essex University, **BSc**, Computer Science 1980
Open University, **LLB**, Law, 2008 (awarded with first-class honours)
Engineering Council, **CEng**, 1991, Chartered Engineer
Fédération Européenne d'Associations Nationales d'Ingénieurs, **Eur-Ing.**, 1991
British Computer Society, **CITP**, Chartered IT Practitioner

Professional Memberships

Fellow of the British Computer Society (**FBCS**)
Fellow of the Royal Society for the Encouragement of Arts, Manufactures and Commerce (**FRSA**)
Fellow of the Institute of Directors (**FIoD**)
BAFTA (the British Academy of Film and Television Arts)

Honours

Essex University, Awarded doctorate, *honoris causa*, of the University of Essex (**DUniv**) 2022

Appointments

Board Director

2018 – 2021, Internet Corporation for Assigned Names and Numbers, Los Angeles, CA.
Served as member of *Strategy Committee, Audit Committee, Risk Committee*, Technical Committee and as Chair of the Board Accountability Mechanisms Committee.

Founder and Board Director, Island Networks Group

1996 – present, CHANNELISLES.NET, Alderney/Guernsey, Channel Islands

Council Member, Country-Code Names Supporting Organization (ccNSO)

2014 – 2018, Internet Corporation for Assigned Names and Numbers, Los Angeles, CA

Board Director,

1991 – 1996, Radio Society of Great Britain, Bedford, United Kingdom

Board Director, QUAY-FM

2020 – present, Alderney Broadcasting Company. Ltd, Alderney, Channel Islands

Trustee

2020 – 2024, AY Enterprise Trust (a Registered Charity), Guernsey, Channel Islands

Freelance IT Consultant

1982 – 1996, various clients: Belgium, Germany, Netherlands, France, Denmark, Switzerland

Computer Programmer

1980-1981, PHH, Swindon, UK

Software Engineer
1980-1981, Digital Equipment Corporation (DEC), Reading UK

Synergistic Activities

Contributed to the design and development of the world's first multi-user computer game "MUD" (1978-1980)

Actively contributed for over 2 decades to the development of the Internet's unique identifier system, including :

- founding the GG and JE country-code domain name registry for Guernsey and Jersey (1996)
- playing an active part in in the US Government's *International Forum on the White Paper* (IFWP) which led to the foundation of ICANN as an international, multi stakeholder public benefit corporation for the co-ordination of the Internet's unique identifier systems (1998)
- participating actively in the multistakeholder working group which led to ICANN's independence from US government control (2016)

Served on ICANN's *Ethos Award* panel 2017-2019 as panel member

Served as an elected member (deputy) of the States of Alderney (local legislature) (2002-2003)

Served on the States of Alderney's *Code of Conduct* Appeal Panel (2020) as panel member