

NEC Users' Group Annual Seminar 2018

Inaugural Chairman of NEC UK User Group 1994/97

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British Airports Authority BAA plc and NEC

David, formerly Engineering and Construction Director for circa £500m/pa of Capital Works Programme delivery. Last major capital project – Stansted Airport.

BAA plc, one of the most prolific and arguably the most innovative construction clients over a three-decade period.

Initiative, innovation and leadership of change, and performance improvement within the then UK's leading corporate construction client were David's the key objectives.

BAA plc 1st major UK client to trial the use of the NEC (1991/2) prior to formal launch of NEC (1993).

Instrumental in BAA's adoption of NEC as a core contract for capital works.

David, supported by his then Chairman Sir John Egan, led in the use of the NEC as practical processes and tools to deliver the new enlightened approach for collaborative working and improvement.

Summary. Through his early involvement in NEC David remains a strong advocate for its use in 21st century construction management. The benefits and challenges that radical changes in working practice demand, both technical and culturally within client and supplier organisations, are now achievable using the NEC.