DR HAMID G MUGHAL

GLOBAL DIRECTOR OF MANUFACTURING, ROLLS-ROYCE

Hamid is an internationally acclaimed Manufacturing Leader with over 30 years of experience in the Automotive and Aerospace Industries. He joined Rolls-Royce in 2001 from BMW Group where he was Director of New Product Programmes.

In his current role as Director of Manufacturing, Rolls-Royce plc, Hamid is responsible for leading the Manufacturing activities & strategies across the company's manufacturing bases. This includes the development and deployment of Manufacturing methods, standards, technologies, systems and Lean practices to achieve Best in Class performance.

Hamid has an Honours degree in Mechanical Engineering, BA in Mathematics and Technology, MSc. in Production Engineering & Management and a Doctorate in Manufacturing Systems.

He has a keen interest in the latest developments in Manufacturing and contributes regularly to professional bodies in his capacity as Pro Chancellor University of Nottingham and External Professor of Manufacturing at Cranfield and Sheffield Universities.

He is a Chartered Engineer, winner of International Manufacturing Gold Medal, Fellow of Royal Academy of Engineering, IMechE and IET and a Board member of the UK Government's High Value Manufacturing Catapult.

He passionately believes in the social and economic value of Manufacturing and plays a leading role in the advancement of competitive Manufacturing by promoting industry and academic partnerships.

Hamid received an Officer of the British Empire (OBE) award in the 2014 New Year's Honours for services to Innovation, Technology and Manufacturing. He has also received Honorary Doctorates in Engineering from the Universities of Sheffield, Strathclyde, Birmingham and Hertfordshire.