

INCOSE Past President Alan D. Harding (2016-2017)

Alan D. Harding was the 2016/2017 President of INCOSE. Alan Harding is an experienced systems engineering leader, with 32 years of experience in defence and security applications. His specialist interest areas include capability, systems-of-systems, architecture, and competency development. Alan is the head of the information systems engineering discipline for the BAE Systems Air business. During his career Alan has had a variety of project and functional roles both within BAE Systems and within customer organisations.

Alan was the President of the International Council On Systems Engineering (INCOSE) in 2016 and 2017, and previously he led INCOSE UK in 2013 & 2014. Alan co-chairs the INCOSE Systems of Systems Working Group.

He was also appointed a BAE Systems Global Engineering Fellow in November 2010, recognising his professional expertise and activities promoting systems within the company and in the wider UK and international community. Alan has a BSc(Hons) in Physics from Hatfield College, Durham University, and is a Fellow of the Institute of Engineering and Technology (IET).