

DAVID FILMER CV

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Nationality	British

Registered Accredited Nutritionist of the Institute of Biology (No. NS156)
Registered Expert Witness of the Law Society of England.

Academic Career

1948-49	Kent Farm Institute. 1st Class Certificate
1950-53	University of London, Wye College. Degree and National Diploma in Agriculture.
1953-54	Cambridge University. Post Graduate diploma in Agriculture.
1989-95	University of Edinburgh Visiting Fellow in the Department of Agriculture.

Military Career

1954-56	National Service. Commissioned in Royal Engineers – rank of Lieutenant.
1957-61	Staff captain Army Emergency Reserve

Employment

1956-58	Research post School of Agriculture Cambridge – Beef Production.
1958-61	University Demonstrator School of Agriculture Cambridge. Lectured to degree and post graduate students; General Agriculture, Pig Husbandry, Poultry Husbandry, Animal experimentation and statistics.
1961-71	Animal Nutritionist to R Silcock & Sons (Later Silcock and Levers feeds). Responsible for specifications for all cattle, pig and poultry feeds and involved in R&D on 3 company farms (100 experiments per year) including planning, interpretation and application of results.
1971-77	Technical Director Crosfields Animal feeds, later Dalgety Crosfields. Responsible for product development, R&D, commercial product specifications and quality control, computer developments and applications.
1977-85	Company Nutritionist to BOCM Silcock. A Unilever senior management appointment, responsible for cattle, pig and poultry specifications, a staff of 3 Nutritionists, R&D planning, reporting and commercial applications.

Employment (cont.)

1985-88 Poultry Marketing Manager and Company Nutritionist to BOCM Silcock. Responsible for marketing strategy for poultry, R&D, product development, campaign planning, literature, advertising and PR and achieving targeted sales volumes and added values.

1988-date Managing Director of David Filmer Limited, independent poultry and feed consultants. Responsible for developing and marketing "FLOCKMAN" (electronic equipment for monitoring and controlling growth in intensive poultry houses). Over 300 old FLOCKMAN systems sold in the UK, Europe, Australia, New Zealand, Canada, the USA, and South Africa. Now concentrating on a new simpler, low-cost FLOCKMAN system for bulk sales.

Member Nutrition Society, BSAS, WPSA, The Farmers Club, The Agricola Club

Other Interests: Contract Bridge, Computing, Snooker, Travel, Creating Sudoku puzzles



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