



Dale Lutz

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Biography

Dale Lutz is the Co-Founder and Vice President of Development for Safe Software, based in Surrey, British Columbia. Along with Don Murray — business partner and President of the company — Dale created Safe's core product FME, now the globally recognized standard in spatial data transformation.

Dale is a Computer Science Honors graduate and a Masters recipient with a specialty in Usability for Software Technology from the University of Alberta. Starting his career at MacDonald Dettwiler, Dale went on to co-found Safe Software in 1993.

As Vice President of Development, Dale uses his 30+ years of experience working with software to guide FME's core development, continually refining and optimizing the user experience with the interface to the FME Platform, and also directing the integration of FME technology into third-party applications.

Known for his expertise in data interoperability, Dale has regularly spoken at conferences and tradeshows around the world over the years, sharing his passion for making data accessible to anyone who needs it.

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