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## Biography

**Name: Stephen G. Foster (Steve)**

Age: 62

Employed by: Emtelle leader in Blown Fibre solutions – branded as Fibreflow

Position : Managing Director –Asia Pacific

Founding member and First Vice President of FTTH Council Asia Pacific, now Chair of Smart Cities Committee.

Steve is a graduate in materials engineering who moved from R&D to a commercial role in his mid twenties. He now has more than 38 years international business experience with the last 27 years being spent in Asia Pacific in various roles from commodity trading and manufacturing to optical fibre networks. Steve has been employed with Emtelle the leader in blown fibre solutions since 1998 when he established their Asia Pacific operations, his responsibilities in his current role as Managing Director-Asia Pacific are for the business in the region. During this time he has been involved with the NGN bid in Singapore and more recently with the IDA initiatives for Fibre ready buildings. Other activities in the region covers carrier and private networks. Steve is a founding member of the FTTH Council Asia Pacific which he assisted in setting up in Singapore in March 2005 as a board member, subsequently holding a number of portfolios he is currently the Committee Chair for the Smart Cities Committee.