COLLEGE NOTICE

APPOINTMENT OF CO-DIRECTOR OF ENERGY FUTURES LAB

Professor Peter Childs FREng has accepted appointment as Co-Director of the Energy Futures Lab with effect from 1 January 2022, for a term of office of five years in succession to Professor Tim Green.

Professor Childs joined the College in October 2008 as Chair and Lead in Design Engineering in the Department of Mechanical Engineering. He then became Head of the Dyson School of Design Engineering at its foundation in October 2014 for a term of office of five years. He is also Professor at Large for the Innovation Design Engineering double master’s degree at the Royal College of Art and Imperial.

Professor Childs’ research interests include design and innovation, heat transfer and rotating flow, sustainable energy, and robotics. He was elected Fellow of the Royal Academy of Engineering in 2019. He is also chairperson at Q-Bot Ltd and BladeBUG Ltd.

Malcolm Edwards  
Acting College Secretary