## SHORTLISTED FOR CHARTERED MANAGER OF THE YEAR 2020

PROFESSOR GRANT CAMPBELL Professor of Chemical Engineering University of Huddersfield

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"It is gratifying that the approaches I have taken have been recognised through being a shortlisted candidate. I have intentionally aimed to apply recognised good practices in leading and managing, and this achievement is an endorsement of that.

Professionalism and credibility in relation to leadership and management are important in higher education, but difficult to demonstrate objectively. Chartered status requires putting the informed professionalism to scrutiny against CMI standards, leading to credibility and bringing a greater awareness of practices, attitudes and behaviours that can enhance personal and organisational performance.

The University collaborated with CMI to deliver two bespoke management modules, followed by a submission for Chartered status. The university managed and supported the process both efficiently and effectively, in line with its own commitment to effective management. I hope that this initiative synergies the respective competencies, extending beyond both institutions. If I could give my younger self some advice... I would say try to anticipate and avert problems than deal with them - move ineffectively in the right direction than effectively in the wrong one. Be authentic, operate with integrity and compassion, and become who you uniquely can be. The best time to plant a tree is 20 years ago; the second-best time is now."

Professor Grant Campbell is the Professor of Chemical Engineering at the University of Huddersfield. Grant believes being Chartered has provided the necessary tools to equip him to be a better manager and leader, saying "My Chartered status will place me well to operate effectively within my university and to influence the adoption of good practice in management and leadership."

## ABOUT THE AWARD

The Chartered Manager of the Year award recognises and celebrates the outstanding achievements and contribution Chartered Managers bring to their workplace and to their own personal development.

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