



DR. GUY GRATTON

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Now Head of Airborne Science and Technology, National Centre for Atmospheric Science, Guy studied Maths, Further Maths, Physics and Chemistry at A level.

“After completing my A Levels I was sponsored through an apprenticeship and BEng(Hons) in Aeronautical Engineering by the Ministry of Defence.”



After an initial career in military flight testing, Guy became Chief Technical Officer to the British Microlight Aircraft Association and earned a PhD in Aerospace Engineering. Since 2008 Guy has worked in airborne science and is currently leading research into the impact of climate change on aviation.

“In 2010 I was mission scientist on the first flights into Eyjafjallajökull volcanic ash cloud.”

“Having commanded over 70 aircraft types as a test pilot, in 2014 I won the Royal Aeronautical Society Bronze Award for research I led into recoveries from loss of control in single engine aeroplanes.”

“I believe the Science, Maths, English and work ethic I learned at AGS, and the team working and independence from Scouting are the foundations upon which my career was built.”