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Daniel Devasirvatham (“Dr. D”) is Founder and President of Wi-Plan Wireless Consulting, working on advanced technology and first responder solutions. Previously, Daniel was CTO of the Advanced Technology Division at SAIC and worked on Broadband and in Land Mobile Radio communications for public safety. He was also the Chief Technologist of the DHS/ICTAP program and participated in P25 standards, first responder support, educational outreach and exercise evaluation. He was SME and part of the numbering administration for LTE Public Safety Broadband communications trials through the PSST/OAC. He is participating in US and Canadian technical working groups.

Earlier, Daniel headed the Advanced Wireless Technologies Research group at Telcordia and published extensively on radio communications, and holds patents on spectrum sharing. He was an invited presenter at the FCC workshop on Deployable Aerial Communications Architectures (DACA). Daniel is a member of the APCO Broadband Committee, Standards Development Committee and, earlier, in its Homeland Security Committee. He participated in post 9/11 and Katrina review panels. He has co-authored the APCO White Paper on Interoperability, and APCO and SDR Forum papers on Disaster Recovery Communications.