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Ian Hunter graduated from the University of Leeds with BSc Honours, first class, in 1978 and PhD, in 1981. From 1982-2001 he worked, in the UK and USA developing microwave filter based products for defence and communications applications, with a period at University of Bradford from 1991-95. In 2001 he joined the University of Leeds, where he supervised over 50 PhD students. He is author of the book "Theory and Design of Microwave Filters" (IET 2001) as well as numerous papers. He was general chair of European Microwave Week, Manchester 2001, and Chair of the European Microwave Conference, London, 2016. He is a Fellow of the IEEE, the IET and the UK Royal Academy of Engineering. He is presently emeritus Professor at Leeds and a consultant to Radio Design Ltd, UK.