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ENRD Contact Point

David has over 20 years' experience which started in food & drink manufacturing and marketing in 1997. From 2003, David then led the Food & Drink Team within Scotland's Rural College (SRUC), managing their specialist advisory & consultancy activity. In this role, he delivered over 250 training sessions both in Scotland and internationally mainly focussed on adding value and marketing, and created guides on marketing and networking and supported policy development.

In 2012 he helped create and then managed the Think Local programme – the Scottish Government's first local food and drink development programme. David has broad experience of working in rural development in Scotland and on international projects.

Since 2014 David has been working for the European Network for Rural Development Contact Point based in Brussels, leading the work on developing the relationships between the National Rural Networks across the 28 Member States of the EU in their delivery of Rural Development Policy. In 2016 he was one of the main facilitators at the Cork 2.0 Conference. He studied English and French in Aberdeen and Lausanne and has an MSC in International Food Marketing.