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John is one of the leading experts in the field of family business in the UK. He is a Director of the International centre for Families in Business and a Senior Lecturer in Family Business at the University of the West of England. John is the founder of the UK's first MBA for Family Business and the UK's first Post-Graduate Certificate in Family Business Advising.

John has an interesting career history that contributes to his understanding and ability to work creatively with families in business. His original training was in sociology, spending ten years working with families. In 1978 he started his own family business and for fourteen years was Managing Director and major shareholder of this organisation. He has an MSc in Organisational Development from the University of Bristol and since 1996 he has worked exclusively in the field of family business.

John consults with families in business, trains and teaches in the field of family business and is a frequent speaker at national and international conferences. John's views are often sought by the press and he is acknowledged by his peers as being one of the leading experts in the field of family business in the UK. In addition to his work in the UK, John has extensive experience in working with families in business in the USA, South East Asia, Northern and Southern Europe and South Africa.