

Dr. Vincent Thornley

Vincent Thornley is Products Manager at Senergy Econnect, overseeing the development and commercialisation of the company's technology solutions for the energy supply industry.

His career to date has been within the industry, in various roles from manufacturer to academia, consultancy and technology provider. This experience also crosses many technological boundaries, including nuclear generation, power system protection and control, connection of renewable energy and smart grid technologies.

Dr. Thornley's early experience was with British Nuclear Fuels and Reyrolle Protection where he held positions researching, developing and marketing protection and voltage control equipment. Subsequently he was engaged in research at the University of Manchester where he gained an engineering doctorate for research into active network management – a forerunner of the smart grids of today. More latterly he has been developing another aspect of smart grid technologies – a demand side management solution for grid networks.

He is a chartered engineer and a member of the Institution of Engineering and Technology.