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Paul Febvre has four decades of experience in research and development in the field of satellite communications and positioning technologies, with a proven track record of delivering new technology into operational service. This included 19 years as Chief Architect and System Design Authority at Inmarsat, responsible for design and bringing into service satellite communications systems in multiple frequency bands and 12 years at BT research labs in East Anglia.