

CSIRO's view of the future for wool innovation

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A graduate in Textile Physics from the University of New South Wales, Dr Johnson completed his PhD in spinning research at Leeds University, UK.

Initially employed at Ilkley, UK, by the International Wool Secretariat, he returned to Sydney as a lecturer in Textile Technology at the University of New South Wales before joining the Wool Research Organisation of New Zealand (WRONZ).

Dr Johnson took progressively more senior roles at WRONZ during its transition from a New Zealand-based incorporated society to the now fully commercialised organisation, Canesis Network, with operations in New Zealand, Europe, the USA and China.

He took up his present position as chief of the CSIRO Division of Fibre and Textile Technology in 2005.



