



# Nick Sampson

## **SENIOR VICE PRESIDENT | R&D AND PRODUCT DEVELOPMENT**

Nick Sampson is one of Faraday Future's (FF) originators and Senior Vice President of R&D and Product Development. Nick brings 35 years of knowledge in lean vehicle systems, adaptive chassis, automotive safety, and modular systems. Prior to joining FF, he was Director of Vehicle and Chassis Engineering at Tesla Motors, working on both the Model S & Model X programs. While at Lotus, Nick was Chief Engineer and Program Director, leading vehicle programs and multi-disciplinary teams of up to 300 engineers to develop new adaptable platforms and implement long-term product strategies.

Early in his career, Nick spent 16 years at Jaguar working as a key part of its Product Development management team where he managed the development of the XJ6 sedan and XK8 sports car. He then moved on to design, engineer, and manage the production of winning race vehicles in the prestigious British Touring Car Championship.