



## David Hanson

**Founder and CEO of Hanson Robotics, creator of the world's most humanlike social robots**

David Hanson is a world renowned robotics designer and author of materials science, artificial intelligence, cognitive and robotics publications.

## David's biography

### David Hanson's Background

He is the founder and CEO of Hanson Robotics and has built a global reputation for creating the world's most human-like empathetic social robots that manifest remarkable aesthetics, expressiveness and interactivity. David has created many world renowned one-of-a-kind robot characters that have attracted massive media and public acclaim. He has a PhD in aesthetic studies, interactive arts and engineering from the University of Texas.

Prior to establishing Hanson [Robotics](#), David worked at Walt Disney Imagineering. He has a PhD in aesthetic studies, interactive arts and engineering from the University of Texas.

David's vision of the future is the creation of genius machines that live and love and co-invent a smarter and better [future](#) with us.

## David's talks

- **Cognitive science**

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