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*Curriculum vitae*

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<b>Born:</b>	10 June 1950, Wigan, England
<b>Current position</b>	<b>Director: Environment and Development Services - International</b>

**SUMMARY OF EXPERIENCE**

Professor Barry Dalal-Clayton has 43 years post-graduate experience promoting sustainable development in developing and developed countries - through both project- and strategic-level assessment (social and environmental), sustainable development strategies (national and local), integrated planning and policy assessment, and sound natural resource management; with 10 years earlier in his career based in Zambia working on soil survey, rural development and agriculture for UK ODA (now DFID) and NORAD.

In 2014, he established Environment and Development Services – International. From 1988 to 2014, he worked with the International Institute for Environment and Development (IIED), based in London, where he was most recently a Senior Fellow and Director for Strategies, Planning and Assessment. He remains a Visiting Fellow at IIED. Here, his work involved directing research programmes; advising governments, donors and international organisations; work with the private sector, and coordinating training and capacity-building work. His main areas of interest have included:

- Reviews of *government, aid agency and NGO strategies, policies and programmes* and project feasibility and appraisal studies;
- *Environmental mainstreaming* for sustainable development and transitioning to a *green economy* – addressing the contextual and institutional challenges, tools and tactics;
- *Impact assessment* (environmental and social), integrated and strategic environmental assessment, sustainability appraisal, visioning and scenario planning;
- *Sustainable development strategies* and related approaches (at national to local levels);
- Resource assessment, land resources information, and *land use/environmental management planning*;
- *Protected area management*
- *Participatory and community-based approaches* to development, particularly for natural resource management and biodiversity conservation, including community-based natural resource management (CBNRM);
- *Environmental advisor and consultant* to numerous development cooperation agencies, development banks, UN organisations, NGOs and the private sector;
- Writing several *books and publishing* over 100 papers and reports.

During his earlier career, Barry Dalal-Clayton gained extensive specialist knowledge of soil survey procedures and worked on problems of resource degradation. He was also involved in rural development planning and agricultural development covering rainfed and irrigated tropical cropping systems in both the commercial and smallholder sectors. During 1983-85, he acted as personal environment advisor to President Kenneth Kaunda of

Zambia. For a period, he worked with the UK National Farmers Union, focusing on land use, county development and agricultural policy issues.

### **SUMMARY OF WORK CAREER**

2014 - Director, Environment and Development Services –International  
Visiting Fellow, IIED  
2005 - 2014 Senior Fellow, IIED, London.  
1999 - 2004 Director for Strategies, Planning and Assessment, IIED, London,  
1992 - 1998 Director of Environmental Planning Group, IIED, London  
1988-1992 Director of Programme Coordination and Director of Field Services IIED, London.  
1986 - 1988 Independent consultant  
1980 - 1986 Soil specialist, Norwegian Agency for International Development (NORAD) - in Zambia.  
1975 - 1980 Assistant, then Deputy, Counties' Secretary, National Farmers' Union, England.  
1972 -1975 Land Use Planning Officer, UK ODA, posted to Ministry of Agriculture, Zambia.  
1971 (Aug-Dec) Course Assistant, Science Faculty, Open University, Milton Keynes, England.

#### **Countries worked in** (not just visited):

Azerbaijan, Bhutan, Bangladesh, Bolivia, Botswana, China, Ghana, France, Kenya, India, Malawi, Namibia, Nepal, Netherlands, Pakistan, South Africa, Tanzania, Vietnam, Zambia, and Zimbabwe

#### **Languages:**

- English: Mother tongue
- French: Spoken and written fair

### **SELECTED PUBLICATIONS** *Over 100 books, papers and reports published. Examples include:*

Dalal-Clayton D.B. and Tarr P. (2015) Using Rapid SEA to Influence National Planning in Namibia, *Impact Assessment and Project Appraisal*, 33, 4, 278-283

Dalal-Clayton D.B., Mathema A., Bhadra C., Milledge S., Nhantumbo I., Chetri R. and Pradhan K. (2014) *Strategic Environmental and Social Assessment of Nepal's REDD+ Strategy*, Report to REDD Cell, Ministry of Forests and Soil Conservation, Kathmandu, Nepal (Draft April 2014)

Dalal-Clayton D.B. and Sadler B. (2014): *Sustainability Appraisal: A Sourcebook and Reference Guide to International Experience*. Earthscan Publications/Routledge.

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Donnelly A, Dalal-Clayton D.B. & Hughes R. (1998): *A Directory of Impact Assessment Guidelines*. 2nd edition. Environmental Planning Group, IIED. [ISBN: 1 899825 11 8]

Dalal-Clayton D.B. (1996). *Getting to Grips with Green Plans: National-Level Experience in Industrial Countries*. Earthscan Publications, London.[ISBN: 1 85383 428 9]

Hughes, R., Adnan, S. & Dalal-Clayton D.B (1994): *Floodplains or Flood Plans: A Review of Approaches to Water Management in Bangladesh*. International Institute for Environment and Development, London; and Research and Advisory Services, Dhaka, Bangladesh.

Dalal-Clayton, D.B. (1981): *Blacks Dictionary of Agriculture*. A & C Black, London. Second revised edition, 1985.

## **WEBSITES**

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