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Gary Barnett is the CTO for AirSensa, a technology start-up that has developed a platform that supports hyperlocal environmental monitoring in urban and rural environments.

Over the past 20 years Gary has worked as an analyst and consultant for two of the world’s leading research organisations and has advised dozens of organisations across the public and private sectors on the topic of digital transformation. Prior to taking on his current role Gary lead the Technology element of GlobalData’s Thematic research program, bringing together the combined research of all of GlobalData’s technology analysts into a theme-based framework.

He continues to advise organisations in the public and private sectors on the topics of the Strategy and Architecture, Digital Transformation, and on the impact of emerging technologies like Quantum Computing, Blockchain, the Internet of Things, and Blockchain.

Before becoming an analyst, Gary worked first as a software engineer then as an enterprise architect in the UK and France, developing and designing mainframe and large-scale client-server applications. Gary also served as CIO and Membership Manager for the Royal Yachting Association, the UK’s national body for sailing. In 2015, Gary was elected to Fellowship of the Royal Society of the Arts.