

**Thomas M. Connelly Jr.**

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Thomas M. Connelly Jr. is DuPont's Executive Vice President & Chief Innovation Officer, as well as a member of the company's Office of the Chief Executive. He is responsible for Performance Polymers, Applied BioSciences, Nutrition & Health, Science & Technology, Integrated Operations and geographic regions outside of the United States. He was appointed to his current position in October 2009.

Prior to his current role, Connelly held a number of business and technical leadership roles, including laboratory director in the United Kingdom and Switzerland. Connelly was named Executive Vice President in 2006, Senior Vice President and Chief Science Technology Officer in 2001, and Vice President and General Manager – DuPont Fluoroproducts in 1999. He joined the company in 1977 as a research engineer in the Elastomer Chemicals Department at the DuPont Experimental Station in Wilmington, Del.

Connelly also serves in advisory roles to the U.S. government and the Republic of Singapore. In addition, he is a member of the Department of Chemical Engineering Advisory Committee of Princeton University.

Connelly earned degrees in chemical engineering and economics with highest honors from Princeton University. As a Winston Churchill Scholar, he earned his Ph.D. in chemical engineering from the University of Cambridge.

