



**David K. Smith**

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Dave Smith is Professor of Chemistry at University of York, where he carries out research into smart nanomaterials and nanomedicines, publishing ca. 150 papers, with an h-index >50. He is a passionate educator, giving outreach lectures to ca. 50,000 UK school students and developing his own YouTube chemistry channel, with over half a million views. Dave has been recognised for excellence both in research and teaching, receiving the RSC Corday Morgan Award in 2012 and an HEA National Teaching Fellowship in 2013. In 2014, he was nominated as one of the RSC's 175 diverse 'Faces of Chemistry'. Dave entered into a civil partnership with his husband Sam in 2010. They live in central York, with their adopted son, where they enjoy the vibrant and historic city, and like cooking and travelling.