



Dr. Paul Drzaic
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Biography

Paul S. Drzaic is currently Chief Technology Officer of Unidym, Inc., and is also serving as President of the Society for Information Display. Much of Drzaic's professional career has been in the development of novel display technologies. He is author of the 1995 book *Liquid Crystal Dispersions*, a comprehensive review of polymer dispersed liquid crystal technology, as well as 19 journal publications, 55 US patents, and over 20 articles in conference and popular publications. He is a winner of the 2002 National Team Innovation Award from the American Chemical Society, as well as an Editor's Choice award for the *R&D 100* awards for 2001.

Drzaic has held numerous leadership positions within a number of professional societies. For the Society for Information Display, he has served on the SID Board of Directors since 2004, and has also served as SID Symposium General Chair (2001), Program Chair (1999), Seminar Chair (1997), and Executive Secretary (1996), as well as General Chair and Program Chair for the International Display Research Conference (2003 and 2000, respectively). He was also Associate Editor of the Journal of the SID from 1993-1997. He currently is Chair of the Editorial Board of the *MRS Bulletin*, the monthly review journal of the Materials Research Society (MRS), and has served as a Meeting Chair for the Spring 2006 MRS meeting. He has also organized or chaired conferences for the SPIE, Materials Research Society, and the American Physical Society. He has also sat on technical advisory boards for four different university-based Materials Research Centers.

Prior to Unidym, Drzaic has previously held the position of Vice President for Advanced Development at Alien Technology Corporation, Director of Technology at E Ink Corporation, and Principal Scientist at Raychem Corporation. He holds a PhD in chemistry from Stanford University, and a BS in chemistry from the University of Notre Dame.