

Executive Bio

William (Bill) Olders, President & CTO

William (Bill) Olders, a veteran of more than 30 years of experience in computer language instruction and software product design, is a co-founder of DataKinetics®, and has served as President for 20 years.

The company was founded in 1977 and, in 1984, Bill assumed the position of Vice-President of Software Development and spearheaded the company's expansion into software development. In this capacity, he applied his knowledge of transaction processing and system architecture to design and develop the company's flagship product, DataKinetics tableBASE®. tableBASE continues to this day to be a highly proven, memory-resident, table management system for enhancing IBM DB2, customer information control system (CICS), and information management system (IMS) applications running on IBM mainframes.

Prior to co-founding DataKinetics, Bill, in the role of Education Specialist, trained thousands of programmers in MARK IV, a popular 4th generation computer language. He also designed an American National Standards Institute (ANSI) standard structured language interface product for MARK IV. He was later named Chairman of the MARK IV System Evaluation Committee, a position honoring his contributions to this computer language.

Bill is a published writer and well-known expert in table-driven programming and systems design. He graduated from The University of Toronto with a Bachelor of Science in Physics. When not tinkering in the lab, Bill enjoys spending time with his wife and two children and has a passion for downhill skiing, cycling, auto racing.

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