David Beecham has been working in Temperature Controlled Logistics for more than 40 years. After starting his own perishable transport business at the age of 17, Beecham worked his way up through the industry until 2001 when he became the Managing Director of Intergreen – the biggest supplier of fresh flowers to retailers in the United Kingdom. He then joined Gist as European Development Director in 2003, and was appointed as the company’s Global Development Director in 2005. In 2009, he set up a consultancy business specialising in Temperature Controlled Logistics by air, sea and road. Following a successful Climate Controlled handling project for Qatar Airways Cargo, he was appointed Senior Manager Climate Controlled Products in 2013. Beecham now holds the position of Senior Manager Cargo Products for Qatar Airways Cargo.