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## **Title: Speculations on the Future of GIScience**



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## **Biography of Professor Daniel Sui:**

Professor Daniel Sui is an internationally renowned researcher who has conducted groundbreaking work in the interdisciplinary use of geographic information science to solve problems in diverse areas such as urban planning, environmental science and public health. He has also played key administrative leadership roles in research, education and interdisciplinary programs.

He earned a Bachelor of Science in geography and a Master of Science in remote sensing and geographic information systems from Peking University in Beijing, China. He received his Doctor of Philosophy in geography from the University of Georgia in Athens. He is an internationally renowned researcher in the area of GIS-based spatial analysis and modelling for urban, environmental and public health applications.

He served as division director for the Social and Economic Sciences Division in the Directorate of Social, Behavioural and Economic Sciences at the National Science Foundation and as an Arts and Sciences Distinguished Professor at The Ohio State University.

Currently he oversees research administration, research compliance, the planning and optimization of research space and shared instrumentation, interdisciplinary research centres, undergraduate research and the University of Arkansas Press.