

Professor Geoff Dromey (1946-2009) Geoff Dromey joined Griffith University in 1986 as the Foundation Chair Professor of Computing and Information Studies University Geoff Uromey Joined Griffith University in 1986 as the Foundation Chair Professor of Computing and Information Studies. His Jeadership in those early years at Griffith Was instrumental in lawing Chair Protessor of Computing and Information Studies. His leadership in those early years at Griffith was instrumental in laying the foundations for a number of successful programs including leadership in those early years at Griffith was instrumentar in aying the foundations for a number of successful programs including the roundations for a number of successful programs including one of the first of two Bachelor of Software Engineering degrees in Australia in the party 1000c and the pation's first Bachelor one of the first of two bachelor of Software Engineering degrees in Australia in the early 1990s, and the nation's first Bachelor of Multimedia degree in the mid-to-late 1000c Ac Equidation In Australia in the early 1990s, and the nation's first Bachelion of Multimedia degree in the mid-to-late 1990s. As Foundation Professor be created a School that is to day among the largest and of Multimedia degree in the mid-tu-late 1990s. As roundation Professor, he created a School that is today among the largest and Professor Dromey also set the stage for a strong research culture within the School where he was founder and Director of the most diverse of its kind in the nation. Professor Dromey also set the stage for a strong research curule within the School where he was founder and Director of the seftware Quality Institute established in 1001 From early in his Within the School where he was tounder and Ulrector of the Software Quality Institute, established in 1991. From early in his career he was always passionate about recearch in the 1970s he Sur Lware Quality Institute, established in 1991. From early in his career, he was always passionate about research. In the 1970s he made a significant contribution in the area of cofficient product career, ne was always passionate about researcn. In the Ty /US ne made a significant contribution in the area of software product quality through development of empirical and formal models. ulaue a significant contribution in the area or sortware product quality through development of empirical and formal models. This work included a number of original contributions where professor quality through development or empirical and rormal models. This work included a number of original contributions where Professor Dromey applied computer methods to chemistry and medicine work included a number or original contributions where Professor Dromey applied computer methods to chemistry and medicine.

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