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John Williams is interim Engineering vice president for Southern Nuclear. Prior to his current role, he was Fuel & Analysis director, responsible for nuclear fuel and safety analysis for Southern Nuclear's fleet of nuclear generating plants.

Williams joined Southern Nuclear as an engineer at the Birmingham office in 2005. He has more than 20 years of experience in nuclear fuel, specifically reactor core design and licensing, dry storage of spent nuclear fuel, nuclear fuel procurement and reactor engineering. Prior to joining Southern Nuclear, he was a nuclear engineer for the Tennessee Valley Authority.

Williams serves on the Department of Energy's Industry Advisory Board for its Advanced Fuels Campaign and is the utility lead for the Nuclear Energy Institute's Accident Tolerant Fuel (ATF) Working Group and the Licensing and Safety Benefits Task Force. He provided leadership and guidance to the team that introduced the first ATF fuel into a commercial reactor at Southern Nuclear's Plant Hatch in 2018 and Plant Vogtle in 2019.

Williams holds a bachelor's degree in nuclear and radiological engineering from the Georgia Institute of Technology.