

Curriculum Vitae



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Personal details

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Career Summary

- Consultant Clinical Geneticist with 22 years' experience at Consultant level
- Main areas of clinical expertise: chromosomal disorders; congenital malformations; renal genetics; connective tissues disorders such as Marfan syndrome, Ehlers-Danlos syndrome, osteogenesis imperfecta; all common disorders in Clinical Genetics. Please note that I am no longer active in the field of cancer genetics and do not see patients or receive instructions in this area
- Extensive research background with over 90 peer-reviewed research papers including reviews, plus contributions to text books, and a single-authored text book
- Medicolegal practice
- GMC revalidation current and due to revalidate February, 2026

Qualifications

1986	MA (Cantab)
1989	BM BCh (Oxon)
1992	MRCP (UK)
2000	PhD (University of London)

Previous Posts

1st September 2006 to 31st August, 2010

Wellcome Trust Intermediate Clinical Fellow, Sanger Institute, Cambridge and Institute of Child Health, London. Honorary Consultant in Clinical Genetics, Addenbrooke's Hospital, Cambridge

1st June 2004 to 31st August, 2006

University Lecturer and Honorary Consultant, Department of Medical Genetics Addenbrooke's Hospital, Cambridge

1st February, 2000 to 31st May, 2004

Trainee in Clinical Genetics, East Anglian and West Midlands Regional Clinical Genetics Services; 2002-2004 Clinical Lecturer, Department of Clinical Genetics, Addenbrooke's Hospital

February 1st, 1995 to January 31st, 2000

Wellcome Trust Clinical Training Fellow, Wellcome Trust Sanger Institute and Department of Medicine, Hammersmith Hospital, London

February 1st, 1993 to January 31st, 1995

Specialist Registrar in Gastroenterology, Ealing and Hammersmith Hospitals

1st August, 1989-January 31st, 1993

Junior hospital posts: John Radcliffe Hospital Oxford; Stoke Hospitals (Junior House Officer)

Queen's Medical Centre, Nottingham (Senior House Officer)

Other clinical/professional roles

- Training Programme Director for Clinical Genetics, Peninsula and West of England Clinical Genetics Services, 2012-
- Departmental Lead, PhenoTips (Pedigree drawing software) installation, 2025 (ongoing)
- Departmental Lead, Epic installation, June 2020
- Departmental Lead, Renal Genetics, 2012-
- Rare Disease Lead for SouthWest Genomic Medicine Centre, Genomics England 100 000 Genomes Project, 2014-19
- Member, UKGTN Steering Group: Working Party on the evaluation of microarray technology for chromosomal disorders, Chair: Dr Hilary Burton.
- Patron and Member, Tracheo-Oesophageal Fistula Support (TOFS) [UK support group for patients born with oesophageal atresia/tracheo-oesophageal fistula].

Membership of Clinical Societies

Member, British Society of Human Genetics

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