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Expert's Curriculum Vitae

Former Consultant Ophthalmic Surgeon
St James's University Hospital, Leeds

Former Senior Lecturer in Ophthalmology
The University of Leeds

Medicolegal experience:

Over 30 years experience in preparing independent medicolegal reports for the Court in Medical negligence and Personal Injury cases:

1992 - 2025

Instructions from Claimants' solicitors: 1,495 (77%)
Instructions from Defendants' solicitors: 396 (21%)
Instructions as Single Joint Expert: 39 (2%)

Member Expert Witness Institute
Member UK Register of Expert Witnesses
Medical Expert Association of Personal Injury Lawyers

Special interests:

Cataract & Intraocular lenses
Refractive Lens Exchange surgery
Personal injury

Education:

Liverpool Collegiate School
University of Liverpool, School of Medicine -
(Robert Gee Medical Entrance Scholarship, Senior City Scholarship, State Scholarship,
University Entrance Scholarship)

Professional Qualifications:

MB,ChB (Batchelor of Medicine & Surgery) University of Liverpool 1964
MRCS, LRCP Royal College of Surgeons & Royal College of Physicians 1964
DO (Diploma in Ophthalmology) Royal Colleges of Medicine & Surgery 1969
FRCS (Fellow of Royal College of Surgeons of Edinburgh) 1973
FRCOphth (Fellow of Royal College of Ophthalmologists) 1989

Appointments:

Consultant Ophthalmic Surgeon, St James's University Hospital Leeds 1976-2002
(Special interests Cataract & Refractive Surgery, Intraocular lenses & Glaucoma)
(Director Postgraduate Education 1988-1993)

Senior Lecturer (Ophthalmology), Dept of Surgery, The University of Leeds

Private Ophthalmic & Medicolegal practice 1976 - 2020

Professional appointments:

Royal College Ophthalmologists

- Yorkshire Regional Adviser 1994 - 2000
- College Inspector for Training Posts 1976 - 2002
- Advisory Appointments Committee Assessor 1976 - 2002
- CME Co-ordinator 1995 - 2002
- Chairman Yorkshire Ophthalmology Training Committee 1994 - 2000
- Examiner 1999 - 2003

NHS Clinical Assessor for Complaints Procedure 1976 - 2002

Principal UK Expert 1991-2023:

- BSI Intraocular lens Standards Committee
- ISO Intraocular lens Standards Committee
- CEN Intraocular lens Standards Committee

BMA Ophthalmology Group Committee

- Yorkshire Representative 1979 - 1997
- Executive Member 1985 - 1997

Past Examiner Royal College of Ophthalmologists

Past Examiner British Orthoptic Society

Past Examiner British College of Optometrists

Past referee for peer-reviewed journals:

- Eye
- British Journal of Ophthalmology
- Journal of Royal College of Surgeons of Edinburgh
- Journal of Cataract & Refractive Surgery
- Age & Ageing

Editorial Board member:

- European Journal of Implant & Refractive Surgery 1989 - 1996

Membership of Learned Societies:

Fellow Royal College of Surgeons of Edinburgh

Fellow Royal College of Ophthalmologists

Fellow American Academy of Ophthalmology

International Intraocular Implant Club (by invitation)

International Society for Ophthalmic Ultrasound (SIDUO)

- Certificate of Honour for Teaching & Research 2014

European Society for Cataract & Refractive Surgeons

North of England Ophthalmological Society

- President 1988 - 1989

Publications:

1. 'Retinoschisis and retinal detachment - an ultrasonic comparison'
'Ultrasonography in ophthalmology' Bibl. Ophthal. No. 83 pp 63-67 Karger, Basel 1975.
2. 'Diagnostic ultrasonography in ophthalmology'
British Journal of Hospital Medicine 1973; 10, 541 - 550.
3. 'Diagnostic ultrasonography in ophthalmology'
The Optician. 1974; 164, September 13 pp 4 - 11.
4. 'Management of acute glaucoma with pilocarpine-soaked hydrophilic lens'
British Journal of Ophthalmology. 1974; 57, 674 - 679.
5. 'Treatment of eye injuries from bomb explosions'
British Medical Journal. 1975; 2, 335.
6. 'Complete avulsion of the optic nerve - a clinical, angiographic and electrodiagnostic study'
British Journal of Ophthalmology. 1975; 59, 503 - 509.
7. 'Pilocarpine delivery by hydrophilic lens in the management of acute glaucoma'.
Trans. O.S.U.K. 1975, XCV. 79 - 84.

8. 'Electrodiagnosis and ultrasonography in the assessment of recent major trauma'. Trans. O.S.U.K. 1975; XCV, 315 - 321.
9. 'The use of hydrophilic contact lenses' The Optician 1976; 172, 9 - 14.
10. 'Ultrasonography in major ocular trauma' in 'Ultrasound in Medicine - vol 3a Clinical Aspects'. Eds White D. & Brown R.E. Plenum Press. New York 1977
11. 'Association between acute glaucoma and the weather and sunspot activity' British Journal of Ophthalmology 1977; 61, 512 - 516.
12. 'Management of chronic glaucoma with pilocarpine Ocuserts' Trans. O.S.U.K. 1977; 97, 206 - 209.
13. 'Ophthalmic surgery' Proceedings of Guild of Hospital Pharmacists. 1978; 30 - 33.
14. 'Electrodiagnostic and other methods of assessment in major mechanical trauma' in 'Current concepts in Ergophthalmology' ISBN 91-7260-262-7. pub Societas Ergophthalmologica Internationalis. Stockholm. 1978.
15. 'Ultrasonography in ocular diagnosis' British Orthoptic Journal 1979; 36, 7 - 17.
16. 'Gentamicin penetration and decay in the human aqueous' British Journal of Ophthalmology. 1979; 63, 794 - 796.
17. 'Acute closed-angle glaucoma: an investigation into the effect of delay in treatment' British Journal of Ophthalmology. 1979; 63, 817 - 821.
18. 'Flurbiprofen and human intraocular inflammation' in 'Advances in prostaglandin & Thrombexane research' Volume 8 pp 1723 - 1725. Eds. Samuelsson B, Ramwell P W and Paoletti R. Raven Press. New York. 1980
19. 'The computer calculation of intraocular lens power - a clinical study' Trans. O.S.U.K. 1980; 100, 222 - 228.
20. 'Sources of error in the calculation of intraocular lens power' in 'Ultrasonography in Ophthalmology' Soc Ophthal. Proc. Series Volume 29. Eds Thijssen J.M. & Verbeek A.M. Dr. W. Junk Publishers, The Hague. 1981.
21. 'Ultrasound' Trans. O.S.U.K. 1981; 101, 137 - 145.
22. 'Intraocular lens power calculation for emmetropia: a clinical study'. British Journal of Ophthalmology 1982; 66, 53 - 56.
23. 'The control of intraocular lens power' British Orthoptic Journal, 1982; 39, 46 - 50.
24. 'Ocular Trauma' in 'Essential surgical practice' 2nd Edition pp 445-447. Eds Cushieri A. Giles G.R. & Moosa A.R. Pub Wright PSG Bristol 1988.

25. 'Intraocular lens power calculation for planned ametropia - a clinical study'. British Journal of Ophthalmology 1983; 67, 255 - 258.
26. 'The selection of intraocular lens power by calculation and by reference to the refraction - a clinical study' Trans. O.S.U.K. 1982; 102, 495 - 497
27. 'Ophthalmic Ultrasonography' Doc Ophthal Proc Series Volume 38. Eds Hillman J.S. & Le May M.M. Dr. W Junk Publishers. The Hague 1984. ISBN 90-6193-734-5.
28. 'The control of aniseikonia after intraocular lens implantation' Trans. O.S.U.K. 1985; 104, 582- 585.
29. 'Intraocular lens power calculation - The Selection of formula' Trans. O.S.U.K. 1985; 104, 693-698.
30. 'The eye and orbit - A-scan technique' in 'Clinical diagnostic ultrasound' pp 43-59. Eds. Barnett E & Morley P. Blackwell 1985. ISBN 0-632-00897-0
31. 'A biometric study of aniseikonia' in 'Ophthalmic Echography' pp 73-79. Ed Ossoinig K.C. Doc Ophthal Proc Series Number 48. ISBN Number 0-89838-873-2 Martinus Nijhoff/Dr W Junk publishers. The Hague 1987.
32. 'Aids for low vision in the elderly' British Medical Journal 1988; 296, 102-103.
33. 'The reduction of error in intraocular lens power calculation' in 'Ultrasonography in Ophthalmology' Doc Ophthal Proc Series 51 ed Thijsen J.M., Hillman J.S., Gallenga P.E. & Cennamo G. Kluwer Academic Publishers. Dordrecht. 1988 pp 355-362.
34. 'Apparent accommodation by myopic astigmatism with monofocal intraocular lenses' Eur J Implant Ref Surg. 1990; 2, 101-104.
35. 'Optimal postoperative refraction for good unaided near and distance vision with monofocal intraocular lenses'. Brit. J. Ophthal. 1992; 76, 300-302.
36. 'Pocket computer with integral printer for biometry calculations' J Cataract Refract Surg 1993; 19, 103-107.
37. 'Optical zone centration in keratorefractive surgery' Ophthalmology 1993; 100, 1230-1237.
38. 'Avoiding unsuspected respiratory side-effects of topical timolol with cardioselective or sympathomimetic agents' The Lancet 1995; 345, 1604-1606
39. 'Post-operative astigmatism control by selective suture removal' Eye 1996; 10, 103-106
40. 'Randomised controlled trial of spirometric changes in elderly people receiving Timolol or Betaxolol as initial treatment for glaucoma' British Journal of Ophthalmology 1998; 82, 146-149

