

Curriculum Vitae - David Nicol

TERTIARY EDUCATION & QUALIFICATIONS:

1983 MBBS – University of Queensland (UQ),
Brisbane, Australia.

1991 FRACS

RESIDENCY

1984-85

Intern/Resident Medical Officer

1986 Surgical Registrar

Princess Alexandra Hospital, Brisbane, AUST

1987 General Surgical Registrar

Princess Alexandra Hospital, Brisbane, AUST

1988 Urology Registrar

Royal Brisbane Hospital, Brisbane, AUST

1989 Urology Registrar

Greenslopes Repatriation Hospital, Brisbane AUST

1990 Urology Registrar

Princess Alexandra Hospital, Brisbane, AUST

FELLOWSHIP 1991

American Society of Transplant Surgeons Fellowship

Multi-organ Transplant Program

Dalhousie University/Victoria General Hospital,
Halifax NS, CANADA

CURRENT APPOINTMENTS:

Consultant Urologist and Chief of Surgery 2012 -

Royal Marsden Hospital

Fulham Road London SW3 6JJ

Professor of Surgical Oncology 2015 -

Institute of Cancer Research

Fulham Rd

Professor of Surgery 2006 -

University of Queensland (UQ), Brisbane

PREVIOUS APPOINTMENTS

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CONSULTANT

2009 – 2012 Clinical Lead Renal Transplantation & Consultant Urologist

Royal Free Hospital

University College Hospital

London, UK

1992 – 2009 Director of Urology & Renal Transplantation

Princess Alexandra Hospital - Brisbane, AUST

2005 – 2012 Professor of Urology
School of Life Sciences
Queensland University of Technology (QUT),
Brisbane

2011 – 2016 Honorary Professor
Division of Surgery and Interventional Science,
University College London, London, UK

PROFESSIONAL AND EXTERNAL DEVELOPMENT ACTIVITIES

Professional Activities

1995 – 2009	Examiner Australian Medical Council
1998 – 2001	Chairman Continuing Medical Education Urological Society of Australia & New Zealand
2002 – 2009	Examiner Royal Australasian College of Surgeons
2003 – 2013	Editorial Board Member British Journal of Urology (BJU) International
2008 – 2013	Associate Editor British Journal of Urology (BJU) International
2009 –	Consulting Editor Urologic Oncology
2013 – 2016	Member Specialist Urology Commissioning Group NHS England
2017 –	Member National Cancer Research Institute - Kidney and Bladder Cancer Clinical Specialty Group
2018 – 2022	Member European Testicular Cancer Guidelines Committee
2022	Chairman European Testicular Cancer Guidelines Committee

PUBLICATIONS

Book Chapters – 8

Peer Reviewed Publications – 181

MEDICOLEGAL PRACTICE

1. Relevant Clinical Experience

From 1992-2008 I was a Consultant Transplant and Urological Surgeon at the Princess Alexandra Hospital in Brisbane, Australia. My practice here involved general urology as well as a subspecialty contribution to renal transplantation

including dialysis access surgery for patients with renal failure. Both of these roles included leadership as Director of both Urology and Renal Transplantation. I also provided urological input into urological trauma to support the Queensland Spinal Injuries Unit as well as the Trauma service at Princess Alexandra Hospital – one of the 2 tertiary major trauma services covering Queensland.

In 2009 I was appointed to the Royal Free and University College London Hospitals. My roles here encompassed the Clinical Lead for Renal Transplantation and also provision of urological kidney surgery.

Since 2012 I have been a Consultant Urologist and Chief of Surgery at the Royal Marsden Hospital. The Royal Marsden is a specialist cancer hospital and thus my current practice in the NHS relates to urological malignancy (except prostate cancer). I continue to have an external private practice for one half day/week which relates to general urological issues.

2. Medico-legal experience

I undertook medico-legal work in Australia from 1999 to 2008 when I moved to the UK. Since 2017 I have provided over 40 reports and opinions to jurisdictions in United Kingdom, Republic of Ireland, Singapore and Australia. Of these approximately 60% have been on behalf of defendants and 40% plaintiffs.

In addition to this I regularly provide advice to the GMC for matters they are investigating in relation to specific events and fitness to practice. I also provide advice and have undertaken investigations in relation to individual clinical cases as well as concerns related to broader aspects of adequacy of surgical services or practices. Within my own work within the NHS I also am regularly engaged by Trust Solicitors as well as external solicitors for advice regarding medicolegal issues that involve the broader responsibility I have for surgery.