

CURRICULUM VITAE
YVONNE J SUMMERS BSc MB ChB, MSc, PhD, FRCP

Consultant in Medical Oncology in Thoracic Oncology
The Christie Hospital and University Hospital South Manchester, Manchester, UK

PERSONAL RECORD

Date of Birth 30.12.1970
GMC Registration Registration No. 4036056

MEDICAL EDUCATION

1993 Undergraduate medicine
University of St Andrews and the University of Manchester

1997 – 2004 Higher specialist training in Medical Oncology
The Christie Hospital, Manchester

QUALIFICATIONS

2008	Royal College of Physicians London	FRCP
2004	University of Manchester	PhD
2001	University of Manchester	MSc
1996	Royal College of Physicians London	MRCP
1993	University of Manchester	MB ChB
1990	University of St Andrews	BSc

CURRENT APPOINTMENT

2009 – present Consultant Medical Oncologist in Thoracic Oncology
The Christie Hospital and Manchester University NHS Foundation Trust

2017 – present Cancer Speciality lead for NIHR Clinical Research Network
Greater Manchester

PERSONAL STATEMENT

I am a highly motivated thoracic oncologist driven by the parallel aims of delivering a high quality clinical service and progressing clinical trial research to improve systemic therapy for patients with thoracic malignancy.

In 2004 I commenced my first post as consultant medical oncologist in the Northern Ireland Cancer Centre, Belfast, where I developed chemotherapy services at the new cancer centre and introduced clinical trial research for patients with lung cancer.

Since 2009 I have been a consultant at The Christie Hospital and Manchester University NHS Foundation Trust, where I lead a busy clinical practice and team of health professionals delivering excellent care to patients with lung cancer.

I have extensive experience in clinical research as UK chief investigator and principal investigator in commercial and academic clinical trials, and influence lung cancer research and treatment through work with the NIHR lung cancer clinical studies group, NHSE lung cancer clinical advisory group and as a clinical and scientific expert for NICE technology appraisals.

AWARDS

- Undergraduate distinctions in animal biology, chemistry, community medicine, microbiology public health
- Cancer Research Campaign fellowship 1999-2001
- Manchester Medical Society Amgen Medal for PhD “Identification, Isolation and *Ex Vivo* Expansion of Haemopoietic Progenitor and Stem Cells” 2002
- Roy Castle Lung Cancer Foundation Award 2017

AFFILIATIONS

- British Medical Association
- British Thoracic Oncology Group
- International Association for the Study of Lung Cancer
- American Society of Clinical Oncology
- Association of Cancer Physicians
- European Thoracic Oncology Platform
- Royal College of Physicians

RESEARCH

PhD Thesis

I was awarded a CRC Fellowship for research in the field of stem cell biology and investigated novel methods of identifying human haemopoietic stem cells and optimised *ex vivo* culture conditions, for stem and progenitor cell expansion, for transplantation and gene therapy purposes. This work, for which I won the Manchester Medical Society Medal, was the basis for the successful submission of a doctorate thesis and resulted in two first author research publications in peer reviewed journals.

CLINICAL RESEARCH

Key points in Clinical Research:

- UK Chief Investigator on 10 randomised Phase III trials
- Principal Investigator or Sub Investigator at UHSM and the Christie > 50 Phase I, II and III academic and commercial studies in NSCLC, SCLC and mesothelioma
- Member of Trial Management Groups and Trial Steering Committees
- Member of the NIHR Lung CSG and Chair of the LORD subgroup
- Development of a structured research team at UHSM site
- Development of clinical research with strong translational focus at UHSM

MANAGEMENT AND LEADERSHIP

Regional

- Chair of the Christie Drugs and Therapeutics Committee
- Chair of the Christie Audit Committee
- Clinical Lead for Thoracic Oncology at University Hospital South Manchester
- Clinical Lead for Acute Oncology and Chair of Steering Committee at UHSM.
- Member and previous chair of the Manchester Cancer Acute Oncology Pathway Board
- Member of Manchester Cancer Lung Cancer Pathway Board
- Trustee of the North West Lung Charity
- Member of the Christie Appraiser Group and Clinical Appraiser

International/National

- Chair of the NIHR Lung Clinical Studies Group (CSG) LORD Sub-group
- Member of the NIHR Lung CSG Group
- Member of NHSE Lung Cancer Clinical Advisory Group
- Member of the EORTC Lung Group
- NICE Clinical and Scientific Expert

PUBLICATIONS

I have published over 34 peer reviewed papers on the management of lung cancer.

MEDICO-LEGAL PRACTICE

I write medicolegal reports on Lung cancer and Acute Oncology.