

# Miss Shveta Bansal

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Consultant Ophthalmologist with Special Interest in Ocular Motility and Neuroophthalmology

## Abridged Curriculum Vitae

### Medico-Legal

- Ms Bansal's work is primarily in comprehensive ophthalmology including cataract surgery and all causes of vision loss.
- In addition, she specialises in neuro-ophthalmology and strabismus (squint) surgery, for which she leads a tertiary service in the Lancashire region.
- She manages patients with complex neurological and neurosurgical problems which have impacted vision, including trauma, surgery, brain tumours, disorders of the optic nerve and raised intracranial pressure.
- Ms Bansal completed the Bond Solon Excellence in Report Writing course in 2019.
- Having gained the necessary clinical expertise over many years as a Consultant Ophthalmologist, she commenced clinical negligence reporting in 2022 and has not yet attended Court as an Expert Witness. As of January 2026 she has completed 39 reports including negligence and personal injury reports. Her Claimant/Defendant split is 97/3 %.

### Current Employment

- Consultant Ophthalmologist, Lancashire Teaching Hospitals NHS Trust (2015 – present)
- Clinical Director Ophthalmology, Lancashire Teaching Hospitals NHS Trust (2016 – present)
- Clinical Lead Ophthalmology Regional Network Lancashire and South Cumbria (2021 – present)

### Education and Qualifications

- 1995-1998 **MA Hons (Cantab)**  
Fitzwilliam College, Cambridge University
- 1998-2001 **MBBS**  
Guy's, Kings & St Thomas' School of Medicine and Dentistry
- 2005 **MRCS Ed. (Ophth)**  
Royal College of Surgeons of Edinburgh
- 2003-2009 **MSc Investigative Ophthalmology and Vision Sciences**  
Manchester University and UMIST
- 2013 **FRCOphth**  
Royal College of Ophthalmologists
- 2014 **PG Cert Clinical Education**  
Edge Hill University (with Distinction)
- 2019 **Advanced Consultant Leadership Course**  
Liverpool John Moore's University (with Distinction)
- 2019 **Excellence in Report Writing, Bond Solon**  
Cardiff University

## Experience

- **Tertiary service** – I take regional referrals for complex squint and neuro- ophthalmology cases. I have supported the development of our Preston squint service to the 4th largest in the UK (ref GIRFT 2020 report)
- **MDTs**
  - Provide eye expertise to Preston Neuroscience MDT's both Pituitary and Skull base.
  - Chair departmental squint meetings with Orthoptists.
  - Attend NW squint MDT, regularly presenting complex cases.
  - Developed a new Idiopathic Intracranial Hypertension MDT with the neurosciences team.
- **Management** – I have been the Clinical Director for my service since 2016 and the Regional Clinical Lead for Lancashire and South Cumbria since 2021. My greatest achievement is successful business case and delivery of an £18 million the new Lancashire Eye Centre which opened in December 2021. I have won local and national awards for this work.

## Prizes

- National Clinical Impact Award (2022)
- HSJ finalist 2021, Patient Safety Awards (2021)
- Consultant Stretch Leadership, Liverpool John Moores University – Distinction (2019)
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- Andrew Tullo Research Prize, Manchester Royal Eye Hospital (2012)
- Novartis Research Grant (£28,000) (2008)
- Yorkshire Eye Research Grant (£14,000) (2008)
- North of England Poster Prize (2007, 2011)

## Research

- I have approximately 30 published papers in peer review journals in Ophthalmology and over 25 presentations at national or international conferences. In addition, I have acted as reviewer for various the peer reviewed journals.

## Other Appointments/Affiliations

- Fellow of Royal College of Ophthalmologists
- Cambridge University Medical Graduates Society
- Honorary Senior Lecturer, Edge Hill University
- Academic Adviser, Manchester University
- European Strabismus Association member
- BINOC Membership (International Neuroophthalmologists' Group)
- Organiser, Neuroimaging in Ophthalmology, Lancashire Teaching Hospitals
- BMA and MPS