

## CURRICULUM VITAE

### PRAVEEN KUMAR

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#### Professional Registration

General Medical Council  
Full Registration

Medical Council of India  
Full Registration

#### Nationality

British

#### Other Details

Enhanced CRB clearance

Full Occupational Health Clearance

#### Sub-Specialty Skills

Cataract Surgery  
Diabetic Retinopathy Screening/Grading/Treatment including Lasers  
Age Related Macular Degenerations Assessment and Treatment  
including PDT, lasers and Anti VEGF injections  
Glaucoma Screening, Assessment, Treatment including Lasers  
General Ophthalmology.

## **QUALIFICATIONS**

### **Professional Qualifications**

#### **M R C O**

Membership of Royal College of Ophthalmologists  
Royal College of Ophthalmologists, London, UK  
Year of Passing: 2006

#### **F R C S**

Fellowship of Royal College of Surgeons  
Royal College of Surgeons, Edinburgh, UK  
Year of Passing: 2003

#### **F R C S**

Fellowship of Royal College of Surgeons  
Royal College of Surgeons and Physicians, Glasgow, UK  
Year of Passing: 2002

#### **I C O**

Fellow of International Council of Ophthalmology  
International Council of Ophthalmology, Cambridge, UK  
Year of Passing: 2003

#### **M S**

Master in Surgery (Ophthalmology)  
JIPMER, Pondicherry University, India  
Year of Passing: 1993

#### **D O**

Diploma in Ophthalmology  
JIPMER, Pondicherry University, India  
Year of Passing: 1992

#### **MBBS**

Jawaharlal Nehru Institute of PG Medical Education & Research  
JIPMER  
Madras University, India  
Year of Passing: 1990

### **Qualifications currently studying for**

#### **M B A**

Masters in Business Administration  
Health Executive  
Keele University  
Staffordshire, UK

Core Modules include:

- Health Policy and Strategy
- Health Economics
- Human Resource Management
- Management Science in Health Care
- Accounting and Financial Management in Health Care
- Operations Management in Health Care

## EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

### United Kingdom

#### **Consultant Ophthalmologist**

Royal Gwent Hospital  
Newport, Wales  
Full time  
15.02.2011 –till date

#### **Consultant Ophthalmologist**

**Mid Yorkshire Hospitals NHS Trust  
Wakefield**  
Full Time  
15.10.2009 – 14.02.2011

#### **Associate Specialist Ophthalmology**

**Royal Berkshire Hospital NHS Trust  
England, United Kingdom**  
Full time Substantive Post  
April 2008 – October 2009

#### **Staff Grade in Ophthalmology**

**North East Wales Hospitals NHS Trust  
Wales, United Kingdom**  
Full time Substantive Post  
March 2007 - March 2008

#### **Staff Grade in Ophthalmology**

**Greater Glasgow and Clyde Hospitals NHS Trust  
Scotland, United Kingdom**  
Full time Substantive Post  
Aug 2006-Jan 2007

#### **Senior House Officer in Ophthalmology**

**East Kent Hospitals NHS Trust  
England, United Kingdom**  
Full time Training Post  
Aug 2005-July 2006

#### **Senior House Officer in Ophthalmology**

**Ashford & St.Peter's Hospitals NHS Trust  
England, United Kingdom**  
Full time Training Post  
Aug 2004-July 2005

#### **Clinical Attachment**

**University Hospital of Wales  
Wales, United Kingdom**

### India

#### **Consultant Ophthalmologist**

**Mukunda Hospital  
India**  
Full time Substantive Post  
April 1994 till August 2003

#### **Medical Officer**

**Aravind Eye Hospitals  
Madurai, India**  
Full Time Substantive Post  
April 1993-March 1994

#### **Post Graduate Resident in Ophthalmology**

**JIPMER, Pondicherry**  
April 1990 - March 1993

**ACADEMIC ACTIVITY**  
**Professional Courses**  
**attended**

**Cataract**

Basic Micro Surgical Course  
Royal College of Ophthalmologists (Feb 2005)  
Basic Phacoemulsification Course  
Royal College of Ophthalmologists (Feb 2005)  
Phaco-emulsification Essential Course  
A M O (October 2004)  
Phaco-emulsification course  
Alcon (April 2005)  
European Vitreo Retinal Training School Course  
Bremen, Germany (May 1<sup>st</sup> to 12<sup>th</sup>, 2006)

**Surgical Retina**

VR in a day  
St.Thomas's Hospital (26<sup>th</sup> Jan 2005)  
Fundus Fluorescein Angiography  
East Surrey Hospital, Redhill (July 2005)

**Cornea**

Cornea Course  
Queen Victoria Hospital, East Grinstead (July 2005)  
Cornea & external Diseases  
Moorfields Eye Hospital (April 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> 2005)  
Corneal Diseases  
Aravind Eye Hospital conducted by Dr.Smolin (June 2003)

**Strabismus**

Strabismus Course  
Cardiff Eye Unit by Mr.Patrick Watts June 2004  
Strabismus course  
Liverpool Course (Mr.Arvind Chanda) 2009

**Oculoplastics**

Basic Oculoplastics Surgery Course  
Ruth Manners/John Tyers at Salisbury Hospital (July 2005)  
Oculoplastics course by Mr.Raman Malhotra  
Queen Victoria Hospital, East Grinstead (July 2005)

**Medical Retina**

Medical Retina Course  
Yorkshire Medical Retina Course Nov 2009  
Yorkshire Medical Retina Course April 2010  
Elizabeth Thomas Seminar on Medical Retina  
Nov 2009 Nottingham  
AMD Regional Meet at Bradford  
March 2010

**Professional Conferences**  
**attended & participated**

European Society of Cataract and Refractive Surgeons Conference  
Lisbon, Portugal 2005  
European Society of Cataract and Refractive Surgeons Conference  
London, Great Britain 2006  
American Academy of Ophthalmology  
Chicago, United States of America 2005  
American Society of Cataract and Refractive Surgeons Conference  
San Fransisco, United States of America 2006  
Association of Research and Vision Organization  
Florida, United States of America 2006  
Florida, United States of America 2010  
International Society of Ocular Trauma Conference  
Rome, Italy 2006  
International Society of Ocular Pharmacology and Therapeutics  
Berlin, Germany 2006  
Amsterdam, Netherlands 2010  
World Retinopathy of Prematurity Conference  
Vilnius, 2007  
Euretina Congress  
Lisbon, Portugal 2006  
International Society of Ocular Infections  
United States of America 2010

**SCIENTIFIC  
COMMUNICATIONS**

**Posters**

**ESCRS**

**European Society of Cataract and Refractive Surgery Conference**

1. Safety and efficacy of Intra Operative Mitomycin application with limbal conjunctival auto graft transplantation in pterygium surgery **Lisbon 2005**
2. Review of 30 consecutive postoperative endophthalmitis and pathogens involved in a District General Hospital in UK **London 2006**

**AAO**

**American Academy of Ophthalmology Congress**

3. Effectiveness of the Bruckner Test Performed by Non medical Volunteers as a screening method for strabismus and anisometropia **Chicago 2005**
4. Efficacy and safety of Intra operative Mitomycin in Two Snip procedure to relieve symptomatic Epiphora **Chicago 2005**

**WOC**

**World Ophthalmology Congress**

5. Central Corneal thickness in Primary Open Angle Glaucoma, PXF Glaucoma and Ocular Hypertension, **Sao Paulo Brazil 2006**
6. Bruckner Test in screening for anisometropia and strabismus in Children **Sao Paulo Brazil 2006**

**ASCRS**

**American Society of Cataract and Refractive Surgery**

7. Post Phaco emulsification inflammation and effect of prostaglandin Analogues in glaucoma patients **San Francisco 2006**

**ARVO**

**Association of Research in Vision and Ophthalmology Conference**

8. Reduced Central Corneal Thickness associated with long-term treatment with topical steroids **Florida 2006**

**ISOPT**

**International Society for Ocular Pharmacology & Therapeutics**

9. Efficacy and safety of topical Povidone Iodine along with antibacterial or antifungal agents in treating corneal ulcers **Berlin 2006**
10. Safety and efficacy of Tranexamic acid for DCR surgeries **Berlin 2006**

**Oxford Ophthalmology Congress 2006**

11. Primary Pars Plana Vitrectomy Vs Scleral Buckling in Pseudophakic Retinal detachment
12. Factors influencing visual outcome after penetrating keratoplasty combined with intraocular lens implantation

**Euretina**

**European Society of Retina Specialists Meeting**

13. Retrospective analysis of clinical features, therapy and clinical course of patients with retinal arterial macro aneurysm **Lisbon 2006**

**World ROP Congress**

14. Incidence and risk factors for development of ROP in a Maternal and Child Centre in Inda. **-Lithuania 2006**

**SCIENTIFIC  
COMMUNICATIONS**

**Presentations**

**ISOT**

**International Society of Ocular Trauma Conference**

1. Hen Peck penetrating injuries of eye **Rome 2006**

**ASCRS**

**American Society of Cataract and Refractive Surgery Conference**

2. Evaluation of Scleral fixation of IOLs in children with no capsular support **San Francisco 2006**

3. Results of advanced Surface Ablation in re-treatment after primary LASIK **San Francisco 2006**

**EURETINA**

**European Society of Retina Specialists Meeting**

4. Paediatric retinal detachment surgery results in a DGH in United Kingdom **Lisbon 2007**

**COS**

**Canadian Ophthalmological Society Meeting**

5. Pre existing POAG or Ocular Hypertension increases the chances of capsular shrinkage or phimosis after uneventful phacoemulsification **Toronto 2006**

**ESCRS**

**European Society of Cataract and Refractive Surgery Conference**

6. Phacoemulsification in trabeculectomised eyes-a retrospective study. **London 2006**

**ISOPT**

**International Society of Ocular Pharmacology and Therapeutics**

7. Efficacy and patient acceptance of intracameral cefuroxime over subconjunctival injections to prevent endophthalmitis **Berlin 2006**
8. Intraoperative complications in 1000 consecutive Intravitreal Lucentis injections **Rome 2009**
9. Latest NICE guidelines on Glaucoma in UK and alterations in service provisions needed to comply with them **Rome 2009**
10. Bleb failures-indicators of failing bleb or those doomed to fail and Treatment options.

**World ROP**

**World Retinopathy of Prematurity Congress**

11. High Birth weight premature infants with ROP

**International Conference on Ocular Infections**

12. Povidone Iodine Lavage of Fungal Corneal Ulcers **Florida 2010**

**Video presentation**

1. Petaloid capsulotomy-a novel way to minimise the incidence of capsular phimosis **ASCRS San Francisco 2006**

2. Hen Peck injury of eyes  
**ISOT Rome 2006**

**ALLIED QUALIFICATIONS  
AND EXPERIENCE**

**Hospital Management**

**MBA (Health Executive)**

Currently undergoing MBA programme under **Keele University, UK**  
With emphasis on

- Health Policy and Strategy
- Health Economics
- Human Resource Management
- Management Science in Health Care
- Accounting and Financial Management in Health Care
- Operations Management in Health Care

**Management Topics and Leadership for Senior Doctors**

Conducted by Developmedica, London

3-day intensive training programme tailor made for senior doctors in NHS

**Training the Trainers**

Completed all 4 parts

Conducted by Royal College of Ophthalmologists, London

**Teaching**

**Educational Supervision**

Conducted by MIAD for York and Humberside Deanery

**Trainee in difficulty**

Conducted by York and Humberside Deanery

**National Teachers Training Course**

Education Department, Government of India 1993

**Statistics**

**Introduction to Statistics and Research Methods**

Centre for Applied Medical Sciences, Cambridge University (March 2010)

**Statistics for Medical Journals**

Centre for Applied Medical Sciences, Cambridge University (April 2010)

**Clinical Trials**

Centre for Applied Medical Sciences, Cambridge University (March 2010)

**Online coaching for SPSS**

By Prof. Bareth Garry of University of Sheffield

**Critical Appraisal**

**Critical appraisal Course**

February 2010

Birmingham UK

**Time management**

**Time Management for Busy Doctors Course**

Conducted by Developmedica, London

April 13<sup>th</sup> 2010

**Communications**

**Effective Communication Skills for Doctors**

Conducted by Developmedica, London

April 14<sup>th</sup> 2010

**Equality & Diversity**

**Equality and Diversity Course**

East Midlands Deanery

January 2010

**Equality and Diversity Course**

By Doctors.Net

July 2009

**ALLIED QUALIFICATIONS  
AND EXPERIENCE**

**Information Technology**

**European Computer Driving License (ECDL)**

ECDL Basic  
ECDL Extra  
ECDL 7 modules

**ITQ level 1 and 2**

Information & Technology Qualifications  
Conducted by British Computer Society (Chartered Institute for IT, UK)

**Introductory & Intermediate Microsoft EXCEL certification course**

National Programme of IT

**Appraisal of trainees and  
doctors**

**Appraisal Course**

Yorkshire and Humber Deanery  
April 2010

**Child protection**

**Child protection-part 1**

British Medical Journal Learning

**Child protection- part 2**

British Medical Journal Learning

**Child protection for health professionals**

Royal Berkshire Hospitals Foundation Trust  
Kirklees council

**NSPCC certificate**

**Life support and CPR**

**Basic Life Support and CPR course**

Mid Yorkshire Hospital NHS Trust

**Basic Life Support Course**

Ashford Hospital September 2004

**Basic CPR course**

William Harvey Hospital May 2006

**Recruitment & Selection**

**Recruitment and Selection Course**

York and Humber Deanery 24/6/2010

**Online equal opportunities course**

York and Humber Deanery  
2<sup>nd</sup> February 2010

**Medico-Legal**

**Symposium on Medico Legal issues and their preventions**

Leeds February 2010

**Clinical Audit**

Audit how to do it in practice BMJ Learning  
Have to write effectively BMJ Learning  
How to write a research paper and get it published BMJ Learning  
Learning and studying effectively Doctors Net  
Ethical and legal issues in research BMJ Learning  
How to report and audit a significant event BMJ Learning  
Clinical trials 2 Doctors Net  
Clinical trials 3 Doctors Net  
Planning and managing clinical trials Doctors Net  
Clinical trials 4 Doctors Net



**SCIENTIFIC ACTIVITIES****Membership**

Member-Royal College of Ophthalmologists, London, UK

Fellow-Royal College of Surgeons, Glasgow, UK

Fellow-Royal College of Surgeons, Edinburgh, UK

Member-All India Ophthalmological Society

Member-American Academy of Ophthalmology

Member-Association of Research in Vision and Ophthalmology

Member-United Kingdom Cataract and Refractive Surgeons

Member-American Society of Cataract and Refractive Surgery

Member-British Medical Association

**Moderator/Expert Panel Member**

Moderator-Glaucoma Free Papers  
International Society of Ocular Pharmacology and Therapeutics  
Rome 2009

Panel Member-Ocular Trauma  
International Society of Ocular Trauma  
Rome 2006

**Committee Member**

Association of Research in Vision and Ophthalmology  
International Membership Committee

**ACADEMIC ACTIVITIES****Reviewer**

American Journal of Ophthalmology

Journal of Academic Ophthalmology

Journal of Clinical Ophthalmology

Indian Journal of Ophthalmology

BMJ Learning

**Editorial Board**

Association of Clinical Ophthalmology/ Journal of Clinical Ophthalmology

**Sessions Contributor**

Ophthalmology e-learning project: Eye-Site

Royal College of Ophthalmologists and e-Learning for Healthcare

Faculty : Muthusamy Virtual University of Post Graduate Ophthalmology