

Abridged curriculum vitae; Gerald Anthony Hackett

I am a Consultant in Obstetrics and Gynaecology at Addenbrooke's Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust, Cambridge, where I took up my post on 1st October 1992. I qualified in medicine from London University in 1980. I gained membership of the Royal College of Obstetricians and Gynaecologists in 1988, and was awarded a fellowship in 2000. My MD thesis examined the utility of Doppler ultrasound in pregnancy. I am also an Associate Lecturer in the Faculty of Clinical Medicine of Cambridge University.

I have been appointed as College Tutor, and Clinical Director of Obstetrics in the recent past and currently I am Divisional Director for Women's Services at CUHFT having responsibility for Obstetric, Neonatology and Gynaecology Directorates.

I am an active clinician with a special interest in maternity services and a routine consultant gynaecological practice. My research interests are in fetal medicine and the assessment of fetal wellbeing and my publications are chiefly in these areas.

My medico-legal practice is limited to obstetrics. I have completed the components of the Bond Solon Expert Witness Course in 2004.

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Qualifications

MB BS London 1980
LRCP MRCS 1980
MRCOG 1988
MD Thesis London 1992
FRCOG 2000

Previous posts

1980 – 1981 House Officer Guys Hospital and Lewisham District Hospital, London

1982 – 1984 Rotational SHO Obstetrics and Gynaecology, St Mary's Teaching Hospital, London

1984 – 1986 Research Fellow to Professor Campbell, Kings College Hospital, London

1986 – 1988 Rotational Registrar Royal Sussex County Hospital Brighton, Brighton and King's College Hospital London

1989 – 1992 Rotational Senior Registrar, St Mary's Hospital, London and Addenbrooke's Hospital, Cambridge.

1992 – Consultant Obstetrician and Gynaecologist, Cambridge University Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust

Recent publications (past 5 years)

Attitudes to perinatal post-mortem: parental views about research participation.

Breeze AC, Statham H, Hackett GA, Jessop FA, Lees CC.

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Relationship between placental morphology and histological findings in an unselected population near term.

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Cord coiling, umbilical cord insertion, and placental shape in an unselected cohort delivering at term; relationships with common obstetric outcomes.

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The clinical value and comparability of a minimally-invasive fetal autopsy using magnetic resonance imaging and percutaneous organ biopsies in comparison to conventional autopsy.

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The NTplus method of screening for Downs syndrome; achieving the 2010 targets.

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Fetal testosterone predicts sexually differentiated childhood behaviour in girls and boys.

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Feasibility of percutaneous organ biopsy as part of a minimally invasive Perinatal autopsy.

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A pregnant lady with intermittent vaginal bleeding (2007:3b). Placenta percreta.

Koo BC, Sala E, Hackett GA, Shaw AS.

Eur Radiol 2007; 17; 1647-9.

Obstetric and neonatal outcomes in severe fetal ventriculomegaly.

Breeze AC, Alexander PM, Murdoch EM, Missfelder-Lobos HH, Hackett GA, Lees CC.

Prenat Diagn. 2007; 2: 124-9

Use of a confidence scale in reporting post mortem fetal magnetic resonance imaging. Ultrasound Obstet Gynecol.

Breeze AC, Cross JJ, Hackett GA, Jessop FA, Joubert I, Lomas DJ, Sat PA, Whitehead AL, Lees CC.

2006 Dec 28(7):918-24

Fetal testosterone and empathy.

Knickmeyer R, Baron-Cohen S, Raggatt P, Taylor K, Hackett G.

Horm Behav. 2006 Mar;49(3):282-92. Epub 2005 Oct 13.

Fetal testosterone and empathy: evidence from the empathy quotient (EQ) and the "reading the mind in the eyes" test.

Chapman E, Baron-Cohen S, Auyeung B, Knickmeyer R, Taylor K, Hackett G. Soc Neurosci.

2006;1(2):135-48

Prospective audit of a one-centre combined nuchal translucency and triple test programme for the detection of trisomy 21.

Babbur V, Lees CC, Goodburn SF, Morris N, Breeze AC, Hackett GA.

Prenat Diagn. 2005 Jun;25(6):465-9.

Obstetric and neonatal outcomes in apparently isolated mild fetal Ventriculomegaly.

Breeze AC, Dey PK, Lees CC, Hackett GA, Smith GC, Murdoch EM.

J Perinat Med. 2005;33(3):236-40.

Gender-typed play and amniotic testosterone.

Knickmeyer RC, Wheelwright S, Taylor K, Raggatt P, Hackett G, Baron-Cohen S.

Dev Psychol. 2005 May;41(3):517-28.

Learned Societies

International Society for Ultrasound in Obstetrics and Gynaecology

British Maternal and Fetal Medicine Society

British Society for Gynaecological Endoscopy

British Menopause Society

British Association of Perinatal Medicine