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David received his medical degree from the University of Nottingham in 1985 and undertook his PhD at Trinity College Cambridge. He was elected to the tenured Professorship of Respiratory Biology at the University of Cambridge in 1998 and he has been an Honorary Consultant Physician at Addenbrooke's and Papworth Hospitals since 1994. He was appointed Deputy Director of the Cambridge Institute for Medical Research in 2002. David is the Director of the Wellcome Trust PhD programmes for clinicians at the University of Cambridge and Director of a 4 year basic science PhD programme at the Cambridge Institute for Medical Research. He is Chair of the Population and Systems Medicines Board at the Medical Research Council (UK), Chair of the Grants Advisory Committee of the Alpha-1 Foundation and Chair of the Research Committee and Trustee of the British Lung Foundation. David's research interests are focused on the pathobiology of α_1 -antitrypsin deficiency, the serpinopathies and COPD.