

# **CURRICULUM VITAE**

## **DR CHRISTOPHER RUSSELL VICKERS**

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### **EDUCATION - MEDICAL**

- University of Sydney
- MBBS First Class Honours 1978
- BSc Second Class (Division 1) Honours 1973
- Fellow of the Royal Australasian College of Physicians, 1985 - Specialist in Gastroenterology.

### **PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS**

- Fellow of the Royal Australasian College of Physicians
- Fellow of the American Gastroenterological Association
- Fellow of the American Association of the Study of Liver Diseases
- Member of the Gastroenterological Society of Australia
- Member of the European Association for the Study of the Liver
- Member of the Asia-Pacific Association for the Liver
- Member of the International Liver Cancer Association

### **HOSPITAL AFFILIATIONS**

- St Vincent's Public Hospital, Sydney 1989-
- St Vincent's Private Hospital, Sydney 1989-
- St Vincent's Clinic, Sydney 1990-
- Warringah Mall Day Surgery, Brookvale 1990-
- Peninsula Private Hospital, Harbord 1989-2004
- Mater Misericordiae Hospital, Crows Nest 1989-2002

### **CAREER APPOINTMENTS**

- Resident Medical Officer 1978-82, Royal Prince Alfred Hospital
- Senior Registrar in Gastroenterology 1983-85, Royal Prince Alfred Hospital
- Registrar in Liver Transplantation, Royal Prince Alfred Hospital, 1986
- Research Fellow and Honorary Senior Registrar in Gastroenterology and Hepatology
- 1986-90, Queen Elizabeth Hospital, Birmingham, United Kingdom
- Clinical Examiner of the Royal Australasian College of Physicians 1994
- Clinical Lecturer in Medicine, University of NSW, 1989 to current
- Clinical Supervisor of Advanced Training in Gastroenterology 1989 -2000

- Chairman, General Clinical Training Committee, St Vincents Hospital 1996-2000
- Medical Publication Reviewer, Journal of Gastroenterology and Hepatology 1995-01
- Peer Reviewer for the Health Care Complaints Commission of NSW 1998-
- Head of Department of Gastroenterology, St. Vincent's Hospital 1989 – 2000  
Senior Staff Specialist in Gastroenterology, St Vincent's Hospital 1989-  
Director of Gastroenterology Services, St. Vincent's Clinic 2004-2008, 2011-2012

### **CURRENT APPOINTMENT**

Senior Staff Specialist  
Gastroenterologist and Specialist in Diseases of the Liver  
Department of Gastroenterology  
St Vincent's Hospital  
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**JOURNAL PUBLICATIONS****Cyclosporin, a new treatment for chronic active hepatitis.**

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**Correction of severe hyponatraemia by continuous haemo-filtration prior to liver transplantation.**

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**Improvement in hepatic hypertrophic osteoarthropathy after liver transplantation.**

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**Transplantation of the liver in adults and children with fulminant hepatic failure.**

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**Delayed perforation of the oesophagus after variceal sclerotherapy and liver transplantation.**

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**Drug metabolism in end-stage liver disease. In vitro activities of some Phase 1 and Phase 2 enzymes.**

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**Portal hypertension secondary to sigmoid colon arteriovenous malformation.**

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