

New Members of the Editorial Board

Prof. Søren M. Bentzen MSc, PhD, DSc, is Head of Biostatistics in Oncology, Gray Laboratory Cancer Research Trust; Honorary Professor, Department of Oncology, University College, London; Head of Information Technology, Gray Laboratory Cancer Research Trust; Visiting Statistician, Medical Research Council, Cancer Trials Office, London.

Prof. Bentzen is Chairman of the Radiobiology Committee of The European Society for Therapeutic Radiology, Founding Member of the UK Co-ordinating Committee on Cancer Research (UKCCCR) Radiotherapy Group, Member of the ASTRO/ESTRO ad hoc Committee for Consensus on End Point Measurement for Future Bone Metastases Clinical Trials, Member of the Local Research Ethics Committee for Mount Vernon and Watford Hospital NHS Trust, Member of the EORTC 3D Conformal Radiation Therapy Task Force under the EORTC Cooperative Group of Radiotherapy, Member of the Colorectal Cancer Committee (DCCG) under the Danish Society for Surgery, Member of the Expert User Group of the INFOCUS research and development project in conformal radiotherapy (European Union, Framework IV, Biomed-II project, 1996-present), Member of the Board of the Danish Cancer Society and many other.

He received the following awards and lectureships: Varian Keynote Lecture 2001 (International Congress of Radiation Oncology, Melbourne), Keynote Lecture "Evidence-based Radiation Oncology" (50th Annual Scientific Meeting of the Royal Australian and New Zealand College of Radiologists, Sydney), The Clinical Oncology Prize (Danish Society for Oncology) LH Gray Memorial Trust Lecture (Association for Radiation Research) International Cancer Research Technology Transfer (ICRETT) Award (International Union Against Cancer – UICC).

Prof. Bentzen is the author of 142 peer-reviewed research papers and 59 book chapters, letters and invited editorials. He is also Editor (Statistics) of *Radiotherapy & Oncology*, Guest Co-Editor of *International Journal of Radiation Oncology, Biology and Physics* and he referees papers in 14 international journals. He is or was on Editorial Boards of *Radiotherapy & Oncology*, *International Journal of Radiation Biology*, *Acta Oncologica*, *Seminars in Radiation Oncology*.

Prof. Luigi Cataliotti MD, graduated in medicine at the Florence University in 1966. From 1983 he has been appointed an Associate Professor, and from 1992 – a full Professor of Surgery at the University of Florence. He became the Consultant for Breast Cancer at the Centro per lo Studio e la Prevenzione Oncologica in Florence, and the Director of the Postgraduate School of Gastrointestinal Surgery at the Florence University. He has been a lecturer in breast surgery at the Italian School of Senology at

Orta S. Giulio since 1984. His main fields of scientific interest and research are digestive surgery and surgical oncology, with particular reference to breast cancer.

Prof. Cataliotti has been a Member of the Council and Board of the Federation of European Cancer Societies (FECS) from 1995 to 1999. He is a member of the Italian Society of Surgery, the European Group for Breast Cancer Screening, the EORTC Breast Cancer Cooperative Group, junior Vice-President of the European Society of Surgical Oncology (ESSO), President of the Italian Society of Senology, Treasurer of the Italian Society for Surgical Research, President of the European Society of Mastology. He is on the Scientific Board of the Italian School of Senology.

Prof. Cataliotti published 300 papers and lectured at over 200 national and international Congresses and Courses. He is a Member of the Editorial Board of: *Chirurgia Italiana*, *Attualità in Senologia*, *Ospedali d'Italia Chirurgia*, *European Journal of Surgical Oncology*, *European Journal of Cancer*.

Prof. Stanley Dische MB, BS, MD, FRCR, FACR, was Clinical Director, Mount Vernon Centre for Cancer Treatment (until 1992) and remains Life Fellow of the Cancer Research Campaign. Now he is Visiting Professor, Department of Oncology, University College in London, Director of Research and Development to Mount Vernon and Watford Hospital NHS Trust, Adviser in Cancer Research to Restoration of Appearance and Function Trust, Honorary Consultant Clinical Oncologist and Oncologist at Mount Vernon and Luton Hospitals and Chairman of the Gray Laboratory Cancer Research Trust.

Among his numerous prizes and lectureships one may find Röntgen Prize (British Institute of Radiology), Cochrane Shanks Travelling Professorship (Royal College of Radiologists), Simon Kramer Lecture (Bodine Centre for Cancer Treatment), Mackenzie Davidson Lecture and Medal (British Institute of Radiology) Vail Lecture, Elis Berven Lecture and Medal, Lennon Award (South African Society for Radiation Therapy) Nunn Lecture (Association of Head and Neck Oncologists), The Regaud Lecture and Medal (ESTRO), Glyn Evans Memorial Lecture and Medal (Royal College of Radiologists) Honorary Membership of the British Institute of Radiology, Visiting Professorship (Toronto University), Honorary Membership of the Royal Society of Medicine, Honorary Membership of the Belgian Society of Radiation Oncology, Crookshank Lecture and Medal (Royal College of Radiologists) and Papillon Medal.

Prof. Dische published over 350 papers and chapters in books. The main topics have been concerned with advancing care with radiotherapy, radiosensitisation, the scheduling (fractionation) of radiotherapy, morbidity after

treatment, radiation myelopathy, the factors which may influence the outlook of cancer treatment, research in oncology, the organisation of services for cancer management and medico-legal aspects of oncology.

Prof. Kaido P. Hanson MD, PhD, DSci, graduated in 1961 at the State University of Tartu in Estonia. He received his PhD degree in 1964, DSci degree in 1973 and his Professor title in 1974. He was Head of the Laboratory of Biochemistry and later – Head of the Department of Radiobiology and Biotechnology, Central Research Institute of Roentgenology and Radiobiology in St. Petersburg in Russia. In 1988 he became Head of the Department of Molecular Oncology at the N.N. Petrov Research Institute of Oncology in St. Petersburg, in 1989 – Director for Research, and since 1991 remains the Director of this Institute.

Prof. Hanson is a State Prize Winner in Sciences, for achievements in the research of programmed cell death and radiobiology. He is also Associate Member of the Russian Academy of Medical Sciences.

His main fields of interest are apoptosis, molecular radiobiology and molecular oncology. He published 8 monographs, 29 articles in major international journals, 21 reviews and over 200 research papers in Russian.

Prof. Harald zur Hausen Dr med., Dr h.c. mult., was born in 1936 in Gelsenkirchen-Buer, Germany. He studied medicine at the Universities of Bonn, Hamburg and Düsseldorf and received his MD in 1960. After his internship he worked as postdoc at the Institute of Microbiology in Düsseldorf, subsequently in the Virus Laboratories of the Children's Hospital in Philadelphia where he was later appointed as Assistant Professor. After a period of 3 years as a senior scientist at the Institute of Virology of the University of Würzburg, he was appointed in 1972 as Chairman and Professor of Virology at the University of Erlangen-Nurnberg. In 1977 he moved to a similar position to the University of Freiburg. In 1983 he became Scientific Director of the Deutsches Krebsforschungszentrum (German Cancer Research Center) in Heidelberg.

He had and has a number of special appointments, among them being the Chairman of several Scientific Prize-Committees, between 1989-1991 Chairman of the Association of National Research Centers (Grossforschungseinrichtungen) in Germany and from 1993 to 1996 President of the Organization of European Cancer Institutes (OECI). Prof. Harald zur Hausen is author or co-author of 250 papers in international journals. He postulated the role of papillomaviruses in the etiology of cancer of the cervix in the early 1970ies and proved their role 10 years later. He is the discoverer or co-discoverer of a larger number of novel virus types (among them HPV 6, 11, 16, 18 and many other HPV types, Adeno-Associated Virus type 5, Lymphotropic Polyoma Virus [LPV], African Green Monkey Epstein-Barr Virus, and recently a larger number of TT Virus genotypes). In addition, he postulated the cellular control of persisting DNA tumor virus gene

expression and, jointly with his coworker Frank Rösl, demonstrated its existence.

He received a number of national and international awards, among them the Robert-Koch-Prize, the Charles S. Mott Prize of the General Motors Cancer Research Foundaton, the Federation of the European Cancer Societies Clinical Research Award, the Paul-Ehrlich-Ludwig Darmstätter-Prize, the Jung-Prize, Hamburg, and the Charles Rudolphe Brupbacher Prize, Zurich. He received honorary doctorates from the Universities of Chicago (USA), Umea (Sweden), Prague (Czech Republic), Salford (UK), and Helsinki (Finland).

Prof. zur Hausen is an elected member of various academies (LEOPOLDINA, Academia Europaea, Heidelberg Academy of Sciences, Polish Academy of Sciences, Venezuela National Academy of Medicine, American Philosophical Society) and research organizations (EMBO, HUGO) and became an Honorary Member of a number of biomedical scientific societies. A larger number of Special Lectures and Visiting Professorships, Memberships in Editorial Boards and active involvements in the organization of international meetings complement his curriculum.

Dr Richard F. Mould MSc, PhD, CPhys, FInstP, FIPSM, FIMA, FIS, was awarded an Honours BSc in Physics from Manchester University, an MSc in Nuclear Physics from London University and a PhD in Cancer Statistics from the Institute of Cancer Research, London University. For 30 years he was employed in the United Kingdom's National Health Service, retiring as Director of Medical Physics & of The Cancer Registry at the Westminster Hospital, London. Previously he had worked at the Royal Marsden Hospital, London: where he wrote several papers with the famous radiotherapist of that time, Dr Manuel Lederman. Since retiring from the NHS in 1990 Dr Mould has worked as an independent Scientific Consultant travelling worldwide presenting Basic Medical Statistics Courses for radiation oncologists, editing conference proceedings, acting as a consultant to the World Health Organisation and the International Atomic Energy Agency and in the UK as a medico-legal expert.

He is an Honorary Member of the Royal College of Radiologists and holds Fellowships of the Institute of Physics, Institute of Mathematics, Institute of Statisticians, and Institute of Physics & Engineering in Medicine. He has also been made an Honorary Colonel of the Commonwealth of Kentucky, USA, for services to cancer education in the University of Louisville.

He has written some 100 papers and 50 books. His books include *Introductory Medical Statistics* which is now in its 3rd edition following its first publication in 1976 and subsequent Spanish and Japanese editions, *Radiotherapy Treatment Planning* which went into two editions, *Cancer Statistics*, *Mould's Medical Anecdotes* Omnibus Edition and *A Century of X-Rays & Radioactivity in Medicine*. His recent *Chernobyl Record* is the definitive and extremely well illustrated book on the catastrophe. He quotes his major scientific interests as the Chernobyl accident, the li-

fe of Marie Sklodowska-Curie, cancer epidemiology, prediction modelling of long-term survival rates in cancer, and currently, depleted uranium and the Gulf & Balkan War syndrome.

He has travelled widely, including visits in Poland to Warsaw, Krakow, Malbork, Frombork, Gdansk and Auschwitz and has collaborated with Dr Edward Towpik for the *Marie Sklodowska-Curie Memorial Issue* which was published by *Nowotwory*. In 1998 the *British Journal of Radiology* published his review article entitled "The Discovery of Radium n 1898 by Maria Sklodowska-Curie and Pierre Curie with Commentary on their Life and Times".

Prof. Rafael Rosell MD, PhD, is Chief of the Medical Oncology Service and Director of the Cancer Molecular Biology Laboratory at the Hospital Germans Trias i Pujol in Barcelona, Spain. He is also Professor at the University of Barcelona.

He is President of the Spanish Society for Basic Cancer Research (ASEICA), Board Member of the European Association for Cancer Research (EACR), Member of the European Society for Medical Oncology (ESMO) Educational Committee and the following subcommittees: Examination and Eastern European Programme. He is a Member of the European Organization for Research and Treatment of Cancer (EORTC) Protocol Review Committee, and Member of the International Association for the Study of Lung Cancer (IASLC) Board of Directors. He was a President of the Catalan Society of Oncology. He received the Alliance for Lung Cancer Advocacy, Support and Education (ALCASE) Award of Excellence and is an author of over 150 published articles.

Prof. Rosell is Editor-in-Chief of *Revista de Oncologia* – the official journal of five Spanish oncological societies, International Editor of *Clinical Lung Cancer* and Editorial Board Member of *Lung Cancer*.

Prof. Michele I. Saunders MB, BS, MD, FRCR, FRCP, is Professor in Clinical Oncology, University College in London. He is Clinical Director, Mount Vernon Centre for Cancer Treatment and also Clinical Tutor, Consultant in Clinical Oncology and Director of Academic Unit at this Centre. He is Director of the Cancer Research Campaign Tumour Biology and Radiation Therapy Group. He was Member of the Educational Board, Member of the Board of Continuing Education and College Tutor for the Royal College of Radiologists. At the Medical Research Council he was a Member of Lung Cancer Working Party, Cancer Therapy Committee and Radiotherapy Working Party.

Prof. Saunders received Lennon Award (South African Society for Radiation Therapy), Finzi Lecture and Medal (Royal Society of Medicine), Glyn Evans Memorial Lecture and Medal (Royal College of Radiologists), Raymond Bush Visiting Professorship (Toronto University), Honorary Membership of the Belgian Society of Radiation Oncology and Papillon Medal.

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lung cancer, advancing radiotherapy, radiosensitisation, the scheduling (fractionation) of radiotherapy, morbidity after treatment, radiation myelopathy, the factors which may influence the outlook of cancer treatment and research in oncology.

Mr David S. Soutar ChM, FRCS(Ed), FRCS(Glas), MBChB, is Consultant Plastic Surgeon and Clinical Director, Scotland Regional Plastic Surgery Unit, Canniesburn Hospital in Bearsden, Glasgow. He is also an Honorary Senior Lecturer, University of Glasgow and Chairman, Division of Trauma and Related Services, North Glasgow University NHS Trust. He was appointed Consultant Plastic Surgeon at Canniesburn Hospital in 1981, with a special interest in head and neck surgery. Canniesburn Hospital now enjoys an international reputation in head and neck surgical oncology through its teaching courses, publications and research.

Mr Soutar has served on Council of the British Association of Plastic Surgeons (BAPS) in 1989-91 and again from 1996 and is currently the President of the British Association of Plastic Surgeons. He has served on the Council of the British Association of Head and Neck Oncologists (BAHNO) and took the office of President of BAHNO this year.

He has published four books, over twenty chapters in books, and over fifty publications in peer reviewed journals. He has served on a variety of Editorial Boards in the past, including the *British Journal of Plastic Surgery*, the *European Journal of Plastic Surgery* and *Handchirurgie Mikrokirurgie und Plastischechirurgie*.

Prof. Herman D. Suit MD, DPhil, graduated at Baylor University, Houston TX and received his D.Phil at Oxford University, UK. He worked in Oxford, England and later in National Cancer Institute. In 1962 he became Chief, Section of Experimental Radiotherapy, M.D. Anderson Hospital and Tumor Institute, and in 1968 he was appointed Professor of Radiotherapy, University of Texas. In 1971 he accepted the post of Professor of Radiation Therapy, Harvard Medical School and Chief, Department of Radiation Oncology, Massachusetts General Hospital in Boston. He served on several committees of the National Cancer Institute and National Institutes of Health, Bethesda. He remains Andres Soriano Professor of Radiation Oncology at Harvard Medical School.

Prof. Suit was Fialia Lecturer (Radiation Research Society), Janeway Lecturer (American Radium Society), Gordon Richards Memorial Lecturer (ICRR), Regaud Lecturer (ESTRO) and Vaeth Lecturer (San Francisco). He received Gold Medal of ASTRO, W.K. Röntgen Award, Juan delRegato Gold Medal, Charles Kettering Award, American College of Radiology Gold Medal, Röntgenplakette.

He is Honorary Member – European Society of Therapeutic Radiology and Oncology (ESTRO), Member – Italian Academy of Science, Honorary Fellow – Royal College of Radiologists, Honorary Member – Austrian Society for Radiooncology, Radiobiology and Medical

Radiophysics, Honorary Member – Scientific Association of Swiss Radiation Oncology.

Prof. Cornelis J.H. van de Velde MD, PhD, graduated in 1975 and received his PhD-degree (cum laude) on breast cancer treatment at Leiden State University in 1977. In the meanwhile he had started his surgical training at Leiden University Medical Center and was registered as a general surgeon in 1982, after a fellowship in M.D. Anderson Hospital in Houston, to become a staff member specifically for surgical oncology and endocrine surgery. In 1987 he was appointed full Professor of Surgery at Leiden State University. He coordinates several studies on breast cancer treatment in the Netherlands as well as in the EORTC Breast Cancer Cooperative Group. He served this Group as a Chairman and was the Dutch Breast Cancer Groups Chairman. His other functions are: the Membership of the Scientific Board of the Dutch Cancer Society, of the Board Association of Surgeons of the Netherlands, of the European Board of Surgery and of the Executive Board of the South West Cancer Center. He also is the Chairman of the Dutch Gastric and Colorectal Cancer Group with prospective trials in 85 Dutch and 12 Swedish hospitals.

Prof. van de Velde received the Silver Medal of the Society of Gastroenterology, the European Digestive Oncology Prize, the Honorary Fellowship of the Royal College of Surgeons, and the ESSO Award. In year 2000 he became Honorary Member of the Colombian Surgical Society, Honorary Fellow of the Royal College of Surgeons and Physicians in Glasgow and Member of the Royal Academy of Sciences of the Netherlands.

Prof. Peter H. Wiernik MD, graduated in 1965 at the University of Virginia, and trained in Johns Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore and in National Cancer Institute. He was Chief, Clinical Oncology Branch, National Cancer Institute, Baltimore Cancer Research Program and Director, Baltimore Cancer Research Center, University of Maryland, Chief, Division of Medical Oncology and Associate Director for Clinical Research, Albert Einstein College of Medicine in New York and Chairman, Department of Oncology, Montefiore Medical Center in New York. At present he is Director, Comprehensive Cancer Center, Our Lady of Mercy Medical Center and Professor of Medicine and Radiation Oncology at New York Medical College.

Prof. Wiernik received Physicians Recognition Award (American Medical Association 1969-2001), NCI-EEO Honorable Recognition Award, William F. Johnson Award, Janeway Medal (American Radium Society) Osserman Award (Israel Cancer Research Fund) and First Foreign Corresponding Membership, National Academy of Medicine of Uruguay. He is Doctor Honoris Causa, University of Montevideo, Honorary Member of Sociedad de Hematología del Uruguay and of Polish Oncological Society. He is listed in *Who's Who in America*, *Who's Who in Science and Engineering*, *Who's Who in Medicine and Healthcare* and *Who's Who in the World*.

Prof. Wiernik published 589 papers, 10 books, 143 chapters, letters to the editors, etc. and 585 abstracts. He is Editor of *Medical Oncology*, Co-Editor of *Cancer Investigation and Cancer Treatment Reports*, Associate Editor of *American Journal of Therapeutics* and *Journal of Clinical Pharmacology*, Member of the Board of additional 12 journals and Reviewer in 48 other.

Prof. H. Rodney Withers MD, PhD, DSc, graduated in 1956 at the University of Queensland Medical School, Australia, and received his PhD and DSc degrees at the University of London, UK. He was Professor and Vice-Chair, Department of Radiation Oncology and Director, Division of Experimental Radiation Oncology, University of California, Los Angeles, Professor and Director, Institute of Oncology, University of New South Wales, Sydney, Australia, and Interim Director, Jonsson Comprehensive Cancer Center, UCLA. He is American Cancer Society Clinical Research Professor, and Professor and Chair, at the Department of Radiation Oncology, University of California, Los Angeles.

Prof. Withers received Fermi Award (US Department of Energy), Gold Medal (The Royal Australasian College of Radiologists), Order of Australia (Governor-General of Australia), The Charles F. Kettering Medal (General Motors Cancer Research Foundation Award) and was Claudius Regaud Lecturer (ESTRO).

He is an author of over 300 publications.

Prof. Christoph Zielinski graduated in 1976 at the Medical School, University of Vienna in Austria. He was a Research Fellow at Vienna University and at Cancer Research Center, Tufts University, Boston, MA. In 1986 he became Associate Professor of Clinical Immunology and Medicine, and in 1992 he was appointed Professor and Chair for Medical Experimental Oncology, University Hospital in Vienna.

Prof. Zielinski is Area Coordinator, European School of Oncology (Central Europe), Coordinator, Central European Cooperative Oncology Group (CECOG), Vice-Dean, Medical Faculty, University of Vienna and Coordinator, Center of Excellence for Clinical and Experimental Oncology. In 2001 he became Head of Clinical Department of Oncology, University Clinics of Vienna.

He is an author of 191 publications in peer reviewed journals and 31 book chapters, and an Editor of 19 books.

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