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Dr. Errol Alden is the Executive Director/CEO of the American Academy of Pediatrics (AAP), an organization of 60,000 primary care pediatricians, pediatric medical subspecialists, and pediatric surgical specialists, based in Elk Grove Village, Illinois.

Dr. Alden joined the AAP staff in June 1987. As head of the AAP Department of Education, Dr. Alden oversaw the inception and growth of several pediatric education programs on topics such as neonatal resuscitation and the Pediatrics Review and Education Program (PREP). In addition to increasing attendance at AAP meetings, he is credited with the increased growth and membership of specialty sections, especially the Academy's resident and senior sections. He was the Chief Investigator for the Future of Pediatric Education II Project and served on the International Pediatric Association's (IPA) Standing and Executive Committees.

Dr. Alden has authored/co-authored over 45 published articles along with numerous abstracts, commentaries, and chapters.

In addition to his work with the AAP, Dr. Alden served as Vice-Chair/Chair of the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) from 2003-2005. Dr. Alden also serves on the Council of Medical Specialty Societies (CMSS), and as an Alternate Delegate to the American Medical Association.

Dr. Alden retired from the military in 1987 and was formerly the Chairperson and Professor of the Department of Pediatrics, Uniformed Services University of the Health Sciences, Bethesda, Maryland, and Chief, Department of Pediatrics, Walter Reed Army Medical Center, Washington, DC.

Dr. Alden was awarded the Joseph St. Geme Jr., Leadership Award in May 1997, the only award for leadership in medical education given by the entire pediatric community. In addition, Dr. Alden and colleagues won the Gold Medal Award from the AAP in 1977 for their work in teaching neonatal resuscitation.

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Function of the Royal College and Specialty Committees

In Canada, the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons (RCPSC) is the standard setting body for postgraduate medical education and accreditation of training programs. Specialty Committees established by the RCPSC serve to advise the College in matters related to the specialty and are involved in setting standards and accreditation of training programs. This process seeks to ensure that standards for residency education are being maintained in all residency training programs, and that all necessary resources are available and utilized efficiently and effectively to enable residents to meet the training requirements of the specialty. The Specialty Committee in Pediatrics advises the Credentials Committee on matters relating to the training standards necessary to adequately train a pediatrician. This is accomplished through development of the following documents: Objectives of Training (OTR) in Pediatrics and Specialty Training Requirements (STR) in Pediatrics. The OTR and STR in Pediatrics were revised in 2008. The intent of the revised OTR and STR is to assist individual residency training programs to organize their curriculum so that it optimally meets the needs of residents, pediatricians and health needs of children and youth.



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Dr. Nadia Badrawi is an expert in Quality Assurance and Accreditation in Higher Education in Egypt. She is a key member of the founder group and the president of the Arab network for quality assurance in Higher Education (ANQAHE). She is currently a Board Member of the National Authority for Quality Assurance and Accreditation in Education in Egypt (NAQAEE), an elected Board Member of the International Network for Quality Assurance Agencies in Higher Education (INQAHE), a Board Member of Quality Assurance Commission of the Association of Arab Universities, a Board Member of the advisory Committee Quality Assurance support program for African Higher Education, a consultant for the British Council in Egypt for quality Assurance in HE, and a short-term consultant for the world bank for Quality Assurance in the Arab region. She also played a main role in establishing a law to regulate quality assurance and accreditation for education in Egypt. She is currently the head of the education committee of the Egyptian Association of Pediatrics.

Dr. Badrawi was the chairperson of the National Quality Assurance and Accreditation Committee in Egypt from 2004 to 2006. She had also been the director of a quality assurance and accreditation project, a World Bank project for higher education at the same period. She was the chairperson of the pediatrics department of the faculty of Medicine, Cairo University; she has been the director of the Medical Education and Development Center for Cairo University's school of medicine where she contributed effectively in the development of medical education in Egypt during that time. Dr. Badwari has been a professor of neonatology in Cairo University's school of medicine since 1985, and was the head of the neonatal division in the pediatrics department in the same school.

She has more than 75 national and international scientific publications, and was the supervisor of many doctorate candidate MD theses. She is also the main author of three pediatrics books and three quality assurance and accreditation books. Dr. Badwari graduated from Cairo University school of Medicine in 1969 with honors and won a scholarship for neonatology training in France, and received a doctorate degree in pediatrics in 1974.



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Dr Bipin Batra has extensive experience in assessment strategies for post graduates and is serving the National Board of Examinations as Additional Director and Head of the Assessment Division. He is instrumental in the development and implementation of OSCE as an assessment tool for pediatrics at National Level and implementing OSCE in a multi center/city setup. As the head of post doctoral fellowship programmes of the NBE, he has significantly contributed to the growth of pediatric subspecialties namely hematology-oncology, intensive care, cardiology and gastroenterology.

Dr Batra is actively associated with use of newer techniques and technology for item development and item banking. He has worked to promote integrated research projects in medical education and furthered the cause of integrated teaching and formative assessment in Post Graduate Medical Education.

Dr Batra has publications in medical education and radiodiagnosis to his credit and is a member of the Editorial Board for the Journal of Post Graduate Medical Education Training and Research.

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Professor Bhutta was educated at the University of Peshawar (MBBS) and has a doctorate from the Karolinska Institute, Sweden. He is a Fellow of the Royal College of Physicians (Edinburgh), the Royal College of Paediatrics and Child Health (London), and the Pakistan Academy of Sciences. He has been associated with the Aga Khan University since 1986 and heads a large research team working on issues of maternal, newborn, and child survival and nutrition globally and regionally. Dr Bhutta has served as a member of the Global Advisory Committee for Health Research for the World Health Organization, the Board of Child & Health and Nutrition Initiative of Global Forum for Health Research, and the steering committees of the International Zinc and Vitamin A Nutrition Consultative Groups. He is an executive committee member of the International Paediatric Association and on the Board of the Global Partnership for Maternal, Newborn and Child Health (PMNCH). Dr Bhutta is currently the Chair of the Health Sciences Group of the Biotechnology Commission of Pakistan, a member of the WHO Strategic Advisory Committee for Vaccines, the Advisory Committee for Health Research of WHO EMRO, and its apex Regional Consultative Committee. He is also the Chairman of the National Research Ethics Committee of the Government of Pakistan. He is the President of the Commonwealth Association of Paediatric Gastroenterology and Nutrition (CAPGAN).

Dr. Bhutta is on several international editorial advisory boards including the *Lancet*, *BMJ*, PLoS Medicine, and PLoS ONE and has published three books, 45 book chapters, and over 280 indexed publications to date. He has won several awards, including the Tamgha-i-Imtiaz (Medal of Excellence) by the President of Pakistan for contributions toward education and research (2000), the President of Pakistan Gold Medal for contributions to Child Health in Pakistan (2004), and the Outstanding Paediatrician of Asia award by the Asia Pacific Pediatric Association (2006). He is also the first recipient of the Aga Khan University Distinguished Faculty Award for Research (2005). Dr Bhutta has recently been awarded the inaugural award (2009) by the Program for Global Pediatric Research for outstanding contributions to Global Child Health and Research.



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He has published as the Series Editor of "Pediatric and Adolescent Medicine" Karger Publications, Basel, Switzerland (14 books), as the editor of 10 scientific books, author of 41 chapters in medical books including *Nelson's Textbook of Pediatrics*, and has authored over 140 research manuscripts. He was an invited editor/author for two chapters in *Nelson's Textbook of Pediatrics*, 19th Edition - Malabsorption Syndromes and Chronic Diarrhea. He was also invited by the European Academy of Pediatrics, (EAP/CESP) to revise the UK version of the "MasterCourse", Chapters on Abdominal Disorders, Gastroenterology, and Hepatology. He is currently a Member of the Editorial board for *Cochrane Review Journal: Evidence-Based Child Health*.

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Professor Kevin Forsyth is Dean of the Royal Australasian College of Physicians (RACP), a position he has held since June 2006. As head of the Deanery, he is responsible for designing and implementing education, training, accreditation, and CPD for Fellows and Trainees of the College, and overseeing all the education committees of the College. His major focus in recent years has been the design and implementation of a new education training program for post graduate specialist medical education.

In addition to his RACP role, Professor Forsyth is Professor in the Department of Paediatrics and Child Health at Flinders University of South Australia and Flinders Medical Centre. For 15 years until his appointment to the College, he was Head of the Clinical and Academic Paediatric Department at Flinders.

Professor Forsyth's medical speciality area is as a paediatrician and a paediatric immunologist. He has practiced in both areas, and holds specialist qualifications in both paediatrics (FRACP) and pathology (FRCPA). In addition, he has two research doctorates, an MD, University of Otago, and a PhD from Flinders University.

He is currently the President of the International Paediatrics Academic Leaders Association and has worked as a consultant to numerous bodies including the World Health Organisation, where he remains active with roles in international child health education programs.



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Dr. Patricia Hamilton is the Director of Medical Education at the Department of Health and co-chair of the MMC England Programme Board. She is responsible for overseeing the development and delivery of many of the medical educational projects referred to in *A High Quality Workforce* and works closely with the newly formed Medical Education England.

She is working at the Department of Health on secondment from her post of Consultant and Senior Lecturer in Neonatal Paediatrics at St George's Hospital Medical School. She was previously a Medical Director at St George's Hospital.

Until recently, Dr. Hamilton was President of the Royal College of Paediatrics and Child Health (RCPCH), having previously been Vice President for Training and Assessment. She has chaired many college committees and working parties including those developing the paediatric curriculum and programmes. She was also involved in developing workplace-based assessments and was responsible for producing training packages in child protection and child mental health.

As President of the RCPCH, she was a member of the Academy of Medical Royal Colleges (AMRC) and sat on several of its Education and Training Committees. She was Chair of the steering group of the Medical Leadership Competency Framework project completed by the AMRC and the National Institute for Innovation and Improvement. She was a board member of the Postgraduate Medical Education and Training Board, co-chair of the London Children's Clinical Pathways group, and a member of the leadership group of Lord Darzi's *Next Stage Review*.



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Professor Peter F. Hoyer completed medical school at the University of Cologne in 1976. His thesis focused on the diagnostic tools for rejection episodes after kidney transplantation. He completed his postgraduate training at the Children's Hospital, Medical School in Hannover where he specialized in Neonatology and Pediatric Nephrology and Transplantation. He spent time in the US in 1987 working in the transplant centers at Houston and Minneapolis.

In 1992 he became Associate Professor of Pediatrics at the Medical School in Hannover, Germany. He took the position of Director and Chair of the Department of Pediatric Nephrology at the University of Essen in 1998 and became Director of the University Children's Hospital in 2006.

Peter's main areas of research include pediatric transplantation, nephrotic syndrome, immunosuppression, pharmacology, tubulopathies and tubular dysfunctions (see PubMed) and he is a member of many national and international societies of nephrology and transplantation.

Peter was recently a Council Member and Treasurer of the ESPN, a Member of the European Board of Pediatrics, and President of the European Academy of Pediatrics. He is currently the Chair and member of committees of the Faculty of the University in Essen (eg, Habilitation committee, ethics committee, committee for structures), Chair of the committee for training and structures of the German Academy of Pediatrics, Chair of the APN study group (Arbeitsgemeinschaft für Pädiatrische Nephrologie), and the Dean for Structure and Financial Affairs of the Medical Faculty at the University Duisburg-Essen.

You may find nearly 200 of Peter's publications and book chapters in PubMed at

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Professor Akbar Mohammad is Professor and Chairman of the Department of Pediatrics at the Collage of Medicine and Medical Sciences (CMMS) at the Arabian Gulf University (AGU). He received high school diplomas from Bahrain and Beirut, Lebanon in 1954 and 1958, and completed his Bachelor's in 1964 and his Medical Degree in 1968 at the American University of Beirut (AUB). From 1969 to 1971 he completed a pediatric residency at University of Missouri in Columbia, MO (USA) and conducted his fellowship in Hematology-Oncology at University of Missouri Medical Center (UMMC) in 1973, 1976, and 1983. He is board certified by the American Board of Pediatrics and is a Fellow of the American Academy of Pediatrics.

Dr. Mohammad served as Consultant and Chairmen of Department of Pediatrics at Salmaniya Medical Complex (SMC), Bahrain from 1971- 1990 and as Chairman of the Department of Pediatrics at Bahrain Defense Force Hospital (BDF) from 1991-1995. He is currently serving as Chairman of the Department of Pediatrics at CMMS, AGU, Bahrain. He was the Chief of the medical staff at SMC for four years and Acting Dean of CMMS for three years.

Dr. Mohammad has represented the Ministry of Health and the Pediatric Council of the Arab Board of Medical Specializations for 17 years. He is currently the President of the Pediatric Council of Arab Board of Medical Specializations and Chairman of the Scientific Advisory Council of all specialties of the Arab Board of Medical Specializations.



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Professor William Ogala has been Professor of Paediatrics at the Ahmadu Bello University Zaria since 1994 and an Honorary Consultant Paediatrician to Ahmadu Bello University Teaching Hospital Zaria since 1985. Since 2007 he has served as the President of the Paediatric Association of Nigeria. He is a Principal Investigator in the Malaria Drug Therapy Efficacy Trials in Nigeria North West Zone since 1990 and a member of the National Task Team on Prevention of Mother to Child Transmission (PMTCT) of HIV/AIDS and Chairman BMS Subcommittee since 2005. He also serves as the Chairman of the Welfare Committee, Chapel of Salvation Kongo Campus ABU Zaria and a member of the Board of Management, Ahmadu Bello University Teaching Hospital Zaria (Representative of the Vice-Chancellor). He currently serves as an Elder in the Chapel of Salvation, ABU, Kongo Campus, Zaria.

He previously served as the Head of the Department of Paediatrics and the Deputy Dean for the Faculty of Medicine at Ahmadu Bello University Zaria. He also acted as a Coordinator at the Baby Friendly Hospital Initiative, C zone. He has served and is currently serving as Chairman/Member of several University, Teaching Hospital and National Committees and Boards, as Consultant to the Federal Ministry of Health, UNICEF, WHO and other Agencies. He has been an External Examiner to Several Nigerian Universities, University of Ghana Medical School, Accra, Kwame Nkrumah University Medical School, Kumasi, Ghana and as Examiner in the National Postgraduate Medical College and West African Postgraduate Medical College.

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Dr. Jean Robillard is Vice President for Medical Affairs and Dean of the Roy J. and Lucille A. Carver College of Medicine at the University of Iowa. He began his three-year appointment as Vice President in January 2007, after serving four years as Dean.

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Prior to his appointment in 2003 as Dean of the Carver College of Medicine, Dr. Robillard served as Chair and Professor of the Department of Pediatrics at the University of Michigan Medical School and physician-in-chief at C.S. Mott Children's Hospital.

A native of Montreal, Canada, Dr. Robillard earned a bachelor's and a medical degree from the University of Montreal. Following post-doctoral training in Montreal, Los Angeles, and Iowa City, he joined the faculty at the University of Iowa in 1974 as an assistant professor. He was later promoted to professor in 1982 and appointed as Vice Chair of the Department of Pediatrics in 1987 while he was also Director of the Pediatric Nephrology Division.

Dr. Robillard is a pediatric nephrologist whose work focuses on the developmental physiology of the kidney. He has published more than 220 scientific papers during his career, many of which have contributed to advances in the field.

He is a Fellow of the American Association for the Advancement of Science and in 2006 served as Chair of the Board of Directors of the American Board of Pediatrics.



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Prof. Saili is currently a member of the governing board and immediate-past president and Secretary of the National Neonatology Forum of India. He is currently Professor of Pediatrics and the Head of Neonatology at Lady Hardinge Medical College New Delhi. He has been a Technical Expert on various Government committees on children's health, senior examination to various prestigious universities, and technical expert and advisor to various international agencies on child health issues (eg, WHO, UNICEF, USAID, CARE). He was the convener for the operationalisation of newborn care at the district level in India and trained 6000 medical personnel in essential newborn care under the NNF/WHO program.

Prof. Saili has been a TAG member for the John Hopkins University project on Newborn health at Shivgarh India. He has served as the Faculty Coordinator for undergraduate Pediatric training at Kalawati Saran Children's Hospital Lady Hardinge Medical College and as a member of the Academic Council of University of Delhi, the Board of Research studies at Institute of Medical Sciences Rohtak, and the Group for Revised Curriculum for Pediatrics at Delhi University.

Prof. Saili is the author of several Neonatology texts and has published many research papers in national and international journals. He is associated with the Medical Council of India for accreditation of institutions in Pediatrics. He has worked to promote integrated research projects in Pediatrics and other specialities and supervised many interdisciplinary research for furthering the cause of integrated teaching.

He has served the National Board of Examinations (NBE) in many ways including, serving as a coordinator for Objective Structured Clinical Examination, coordinating the Neonatology curriculum by for the superspeciality course, conducting distance learning programs in Pediatrics and skill transfer programs for India Gandhi National Open University, and distance learning project for Pediatrics on FM Radio.



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Prof. Saloojee has a range of interests including HIV, neonatal care, childhood malnutrition, medical education, and health systems organisation. He has co-authored a WHO manual on neonatal care in resource-poor settings and the book, *Child Health for All*. He serves as a reviewer/referee for more than a dozen international journals, is Chairperson of the US National Institutes of Health (NIH) DAIDS African Data and Safety Monitoring Board, and is also the Chairperson of the Soul City Institute, a dynamic and innovative internationally recognised multi-media health promotion and social change project.

His interest in medical education includes under- and post-graduate curriculum development, particularly the design and introduction of components that address the needs of resource-poor settings. He has a keen interest in developing and teaching evidence-based practice. Over the past five years, Prof. Saloojee has been instrumental in the review and re-design of the various examinations offered by the College of Paediatricians of South Africa. He has also been involved as an external examiner in postgraduate paediatric examinations in Malawi and Kuwait.



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Dr. Jane Schaller, a native of Wellington, Ohio, received a BA from Hiram College and an MD with honors from Harvard Medical School. She completed pediatric residency and a fellowship in Immunology and Rheumatology at the University of Washington in Seattle. She was on the faculty of the University of Washington from 1965 to 1983, organizing the Children's Rheumatology Service and serving as the Head of Pediatric Rheumatology. In 1971/1972 she was a visiting physician at the MRC Rheumatism Unit in Taplow, England. In late 1983 Dr. Schaller moved to Boston as the David and Leona Karp Professor of Pediatrics and Chairman of the Department of Pediatrics at Tufts University and Pediatrician-in-Chief at the Floating Hospital for Children. From 1997–1999 she was an Adjunct Professor of International Diplomacy at the Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy at Tufts University. In November 2005 she came to Vancouver as a Visiting Professor of Pediatrics and consultant in international child health. She is currently the Karp Professor of Pediatrics Emerita at Tufts University School of Medicine, Visiting Professor of Pediatrics at the University of British Columbia, and Executive Director of the International Pediatric Association.

Dr. Schaller has been active in academic pediatrics, particularly in pediatric rheumatology, and in international child health. She has received the Marian Ropes Award of the Arthritis Foundation and a Masters Award from the American College of Rheumatology. She has been a lecturer and visiting professor in numerous professional meetings and universities both nationally and internationally and is the author of some 200 articles and chapters. She has extensive international experience in child health and human rights. She was the Founding President of Physicians for Human Rights, has served on its Executive Committee, and in 2006 was honored for her leadership role in health and human rights, particularly for giving a voice to children. Dr. Schaller has also served on the Executive Committee of the Women's Commission for Refugee Women and Children and as a Technical Advisor to the United Nations Study on Children and Armed Conflict. She has chaired the Advisory Committee for the Children's Rights Division of Human Rights Watch and served as a member of the Middle East Advisory Committee of Human Rights Watch. She was President-elect of the International Pediatric Association from 1998 - 2001, President of the IPA from 2001-2004, and in 2004 was elected Executive Director of IPA. She has been a member of the Boards of Directors of the Global Alliance for Vaccines and Immunization (GAVI) and of the Partnership for Maternal Newborn and Child Health. She has been elected to membership in the Institute of Medicine of the National Academy of Science, the Society for Pediatric Research, and the American Pediatric Society. She has been active in alumni affairs of the Harvard Medical School, and has served as President of the National Harvard Medical School Alumni Association.

Dr. Schaller has a lifelong interest in music, both as a board member of three chamber music societies and as an amateur performer (choral music and piano). And, perhaps most important, she has 2 sons, 1 daughter, 2 daughters-in-law, 1 granddaughter and 2 grandsons.



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Upon returning to the United States, Dr. Stanton joined the faculty at the University of Maryland as Division Chief, General Pediatrics and Director, Center for Minority Health Research. She served at the University of Maryland for 11 years, where she was also vice-Chair of the Department for two years and as Director, Center for Minority Health Research for five years. She became Chair, Department of Pediatrics at West Virginia University and four years later joined the faculty at Wayne State University, where she serves as Schotanus Professor and Chair, Carman and Ann Adams Department of Pediatrics, Pediatrician-in-Chief, Children's Hospital of Michigan, and President, University Pediatricians, Inc. (the faculty practice plan). During this time she has remained active in national and international research and public health, including serving on and now chairing the Federation of Pediatric Organization's Task Force on Women in Pediatrics.

Dr. Stanton is an editor of *Nelson's Textbook of Pediatrics* and has authored over 220 peer-reviewed manuscripts. Currently she is President, Association of Medical School Pediatric Department Chairs and serves on the Advisory Board to the Fogarty International Center, NIH. She and her husband (John Clemens, MD, Director, International Vaccine Institute) have two daughters, Margaret, an attorney, and Rebecca, a social worker.



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Dr. James Stockman received his undergraduate degree from St. Joseph's College in 1965 and his medical degree from Jefferson Medical College in 1969. He was a pediatric resident at Children's Hospital of Philadelphia from 1969-1972 (1971-72 as Chief Resident), an Instructor in the Department of Pediatrics at the Children's Hospital of Philadelphia from 1971-72, a Visiting Fellow, Division of Oncology, Children's Hospital of Philadelphia from 6/72-9/72 and a Fellow in the Division of Pediatric Hematology/Oncology, Health Science Center of Syracuse, State University of New York, from 1972-1974. At the State University of New York at Syracuse, Dr. Stockman was appointed Assistant Professor of Pediatrics in 1974, Associate Professor and Vice-Chair in 1977 and was appointed Professor in 1981. In 1984, he assumed the position as Professor and Chair, Department of Pediatrics, Northwestern University Medical School, Chicago, Illinois. Between 1984 and 1992, he served as Chair of Medicine, Physician-in-Chief, and Women's Board Centennial Chair in Pediatrics, Children's Memorial Hospital, as well as Chief of Pediatrics and Associate Dean for Hospital Academic Affairs at the McGaw Medical Center of Northwestern University Medical School. On October 1, 1992, he assumed the role as President, American Board of Pediatrics.

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