



### **Christopher Griffiths, OBE MD FMedSci**

Chris Griffiths is an emeritus professor of dermatology at the University of Manchester and an adjunct professor at King's College London in London, United Kingdom.

Dr. Griffiths founded the Manchester Dermatopharmacology Unit and the Manchester Psoriasis Service in 1994. He has received many awards for his work, including being named an Officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire (OBE) "for services to dermatology" in the 2018 Queen's New Year's Honours.

He is a former president of the European Society for Dermatological Research (ESDR), the British Association of Dermatologists (BAD), and International Psoriasis Council (IPC), which he cofounded in 2004. He is editor-in-chief of *Rook's Textbook of Dermatology* and *Rook's Dermatology Handbook* and is the third most cited dermatologist in the world.

Dr. Griffiths has had a career-long interest in all aspects of psoriasis and was part of the team that showed psoriasis to be an immune-mediated disease. He is active in global health initiatives, including directing the Global Psoriasis Atlas (GPA) and cofounding the Burma Skincare Initiative (BSI) charity.