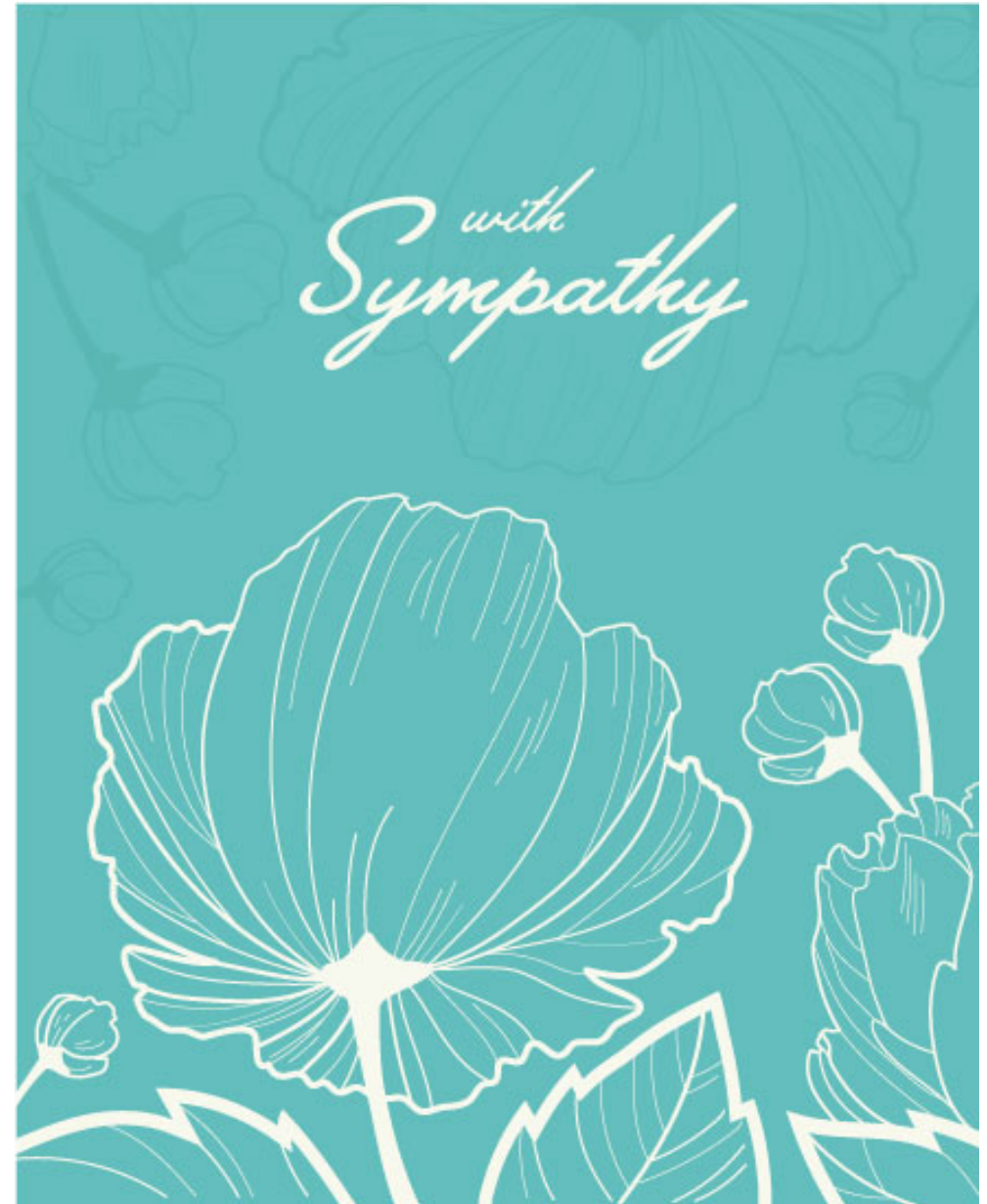




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So sorry to hear of the passing of David. He will be greatly missed. It has been a privilege to work closed to David for the last 5 years. With deapest sympathy,
Sylvaine

I am so very sorry for your loss. David will be greatly missed by all of us at INNODIA. All my best wishes.
Charlotte Wilhelm-Benartzi

*My deepest sympathy to all
many fond memories of my +
he will be greatly missed.
Di Wingate*

*So sorry to hear about David. He was a great boss to me for over 20 years and will be greatly missed. Many condolences to you and the family. Clive x
Clive Petry*

I am so sorry to hear about David's passing. He was a great mentor and support to me in my early days at Cambridge and will be very missed by us all. Sending my deepest sympathy to you all at this sad time.
Nazima Pathan

Dear Jane, I am so sorry to hear of David's passing. My sincere condolences. He leaves a vaccum and will be sorely missed. I have worked with David since my postdoc days and have wonderful memories of times in Cambridge and his visits to South Africa. David has had a profound impact on me as one of my mentors, and he has shaped a significant programme of research in South Africa. I am so grateful. My thoughts and love are with you and your family.

Shane Norris

A key mentor of mine who shaped my career in so many positive ways. I am extremely grateful for his guidance....and I am just one of many.

What a phenomenal clinician and scientist.

My sincere condolences

tim

Tim Cheetham

My heartfelt condolences to you. I was lucky enough to work with David for many years as a PDSN in Cambridge & along with Carlo they both developed my interest in research & its application to care. I particularly enjoyed knowing which buttons to press on an insulin pump - the only thing I knew more than him about - & reminding him of that fact! He shaped my career & I am truly thankful.

Rest in peace Prof!

Claire Pesterfield & Magic assistance dog

So sorry to hear the news about David. He will be missed, it has been missed by so many. My thoughts are with you all at this hard time.

Sue Ozanne

David. He will be missed, it has been missed by so many. My thoughts are with you all at this hard time.

Your Canadian AddIT family

Farid Mahmud

Really sad to hear about David. It has been a pleasure and a privilege to collaborate with David over the last 30 odd years. He will be greatly missed by all who knew him. Please accept my best wishes for this difficult time.

Charles Turner

I was just 22 when I started working for David - I am now 40, so he has been an influential figure in my life who I will always respect for his drive, knowledge and leadership. These qualities led him to many achievements and the improvement of people's lives. He will be leaving some very big shoes to fill. Many condolences on your loss.

Mark

**SO SAD TO HEAR OF DAVID'S PASSING. I
HAVE KNOWN DAVID FOR MORE THAN 20
YEARS AS COLLEAGUE, COLLABORATOR AND
FRIEND.
I WISH YOU ALL THE STRENGTH TO
NAVIGATE THIS DIFFICULT TIME.
DAVID WILL BE MISSED, NOT ONLY BY HIS
FAMILY AND LOCAL COLLEAGUES, BUT ALSO
BY THE PEDIATRICS ENDOCRINE COMMUNITY
WORLDWIDE.
MY BEST WISHES, DENIS.
DENIS DANEMAN, TORONTO**

I was so sorry to hear that David had passed away , having known him through our joint interest in transitional diabetes care for many years . He was a regular attendee of the RCPL Joint Speciality committee for diabetes and endocrinology which I chaired from 2017-2021 and I always valued his input to the wider discussions we had .

In fact I mainly spent time with David in airport lounges as we both made our way to the American Diabetes Association meetings and always enjoyed our chats .

I want to express my sincere condolences to you and all your family

Sincerely

Peter Winocour
Dr Peter Winocour

Really sad to hear about David's passing. I didn't know him well but the few times I did work/interact with him he seemed like a very kind and funny man. Reading through his achievements, I'm certain he will be well remembered and greatly missed.

My condolences to you and your family,
Vicky Stevens

MY SINCERE CONDOLENCES. I WILL ALWAYS REMEMBER HIM AS AN APPROACHABLE, WARM AND KIND COLLEAGUE, WHO DEDICATED HIS LIFE TO THE HEALTH OF CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE. HE WILL BE SORELY MISSED.
HOOD THABIT

Please accept my heartfelt condolences.

I recall wonderful times spent with David in the joint clinic. He was instrumental in encouraging Diabetes and endocrine research at Peterborough. He was a great source of wisdom and knowledge.

Life is cruel. Just in a span of 2 years, we have lost two great paediatric endocrinologists from Cambridge. A sense of overwhelming sadness. Rest in Peace David. You will be truly missed. Regards Vijith Puthi

*I am saddened by this news. My sincere condolences. It was a pleasure working with Dr David Dunger over a decade now, as a project manager for AdDIT in Canada. The fond memories of a great collaboration and meetings held in London/Cambridge will never be forgotten. He will be greatly missed. Thoughts are with you and your family during this difficult time - Yesmino
Yesmino Elia*

Very sad and shocked to hear that David is no longer with us. I didn't know him well, but he was always very approachable and helpful, be it for advice regarding complex / unusual clinical problems or regarding research projects. The support he gave directly and through his team was always excellent. He was a leading and inspirational figure for paediatric diabetes research in the UK and internationally. His contributions in academic paediatrics and paediatric endocrinology research will be long remembered. My sincere condolences to you and the family.

Sankar V

Sankar Vengudi

David has been one of my closest colleagues since 1988. It's hard to imagine what diabetes research will be like without him. I recruited David to Cambridge in 2000, and there he carried out the largest collection for any disease of samples for genetics. His resilience to every kind of event was immense, even my sense of humour which had many features in common. Take care, John
John Todd

*Thanks for having maintained an enjoyable
collaboration over many years.
We will miss you
Lourdes Ibañez*

We are really sad to hear the news of Prof. Dunger's passing. We will certainly remember his great achievements as a scientist and all the contributions he made to improve the lives of children with diabetes. He was a warm and kind man.

*Sincere condolences to his family and loved ones
from the Dexcom team.
Stefania Guerra*

I am so sad to hear about David's passing. Please let me allow to express my sincere condolences. He will be so sorely missed by the INNODIA community and always kept close in my heart. Please accept my best wishes for this difficult time.

Anke M Schulte

We are so very sorry here at Stockport to hear about Prof David Dunger. We have worked with him since 2008 on NFS AddIT DETEMIR and we hoped for INNODIA. We send you our heartfelt condolences and thoughts with love to all of his family. He will be very much missed by all that knew him. We will miss him on the Clinical Studies Group meetings too with Diabetes UK, a huge void will be left.

Lots of love Sara Bennett, Doctor Cooper and the Stockport Research Team x

I am saddened to hear of David's passing. He will be remembered always as a kind and helpful colleague, with thoughtful questions. He never took himself too seriously, and never lost sight of the people with diabetes he wanted to help. I hope that our sharing brings you comfort during this difficult time.

With deepest sympathy

Marie

I send my deepest sympathy, to you and all of David's family.
I worked as David's NESGAS Research Nurse from 2005-2017, during which time I learnt so much. However, I will also remember David for his kindness and sense of humour.

Catherine Fullah

I am so sorry to hear about David's passing.
I am extremely grateful to David, as he gave me the opportunity to work alongside Shane Norris and The Birth to 20 team in Soweto, South Africa, as well as his Cambridge Baby Growth team in Addenbrookes. Truly unforgettable years that shaped my scientific career! He has been so influential in the work we did in the field of body composition in infancy. He will be sorely missed!
My thoughts and sincere condolences go to his family at this difficult time

Ema De Lucia Rolfe, MRC Epidemiology

Dear Jane,
I arrived at Addenbrookes as a new trainee in 2002 and was always a bit in awe of David. He seemed altogether too cool for Cambridge!
I have been indebted to David for his wise counsel and careful consideration on more than one occasion. He brought incredible stability and comfort to the team after Carlo died, despite his own personal grief.
I wish you and your family courage at such a difficult time.

I'll miss him,
Anna

Anna Maw, Cambridge

David was a wonderful collaborator--he will be greatly missed. Many condolences on your sad loss. My thoughts are with David's family, Linda
Linda Wicker, Oxford

On behalf of the whole MRC Epidemiology Unit I wish to express our deep sadness about the news of David's death and to offer our condolences to you and your family.

Over the past 20 years David has been a terrific colleague, working with the Unit in studies in the UK and in South Africa. The results of on-going research that he helped establish like Ntshembo, the aptly named Project Hope, will stand as a long lasting legacy of his great science that makes a difference to people's lives.

At a personal level, he was a great colleague and friend; working with him was inspiring and such fun.
Nick Wareham

My sincere sympathies and sorrow for you and your family's loss. David was the outstanding paediatric endocrinologist of his generation, a mentor, and a friend. My thoughts are with you.

Prof Tim Barrett Birmingham

I had the pleasure of getting to know David over the past few years through my work at JDRF and now at Janssen on T1D. He was a brilliant, passionate scientist but more importantly, he was a genuinely kind person who knew that the best outcomes come from all of us putting our differences aside and using the best in each of us to achieve a common goal.

David -- you will be missed and we will carry on your torch to prevent and cure T1D.

To your family -- my deepest condolences at this difficult time. Please know the tremendous impact David had on all of us.

Jessica Dunne

With deepest sympathy to all the family. David will be truly missed by the Department of Paediatrics, he did his best for all of us and we will always remember him, may he rest in peace.

Amie, Karen & Suzanne (The CBGS nurses)

*Dear Jane and family,
So sorry to receive the news of David's passing. He will be greatly missed by all in the INNODIA family.
My deepest condolences to you and all of David's family.
Julie Wych*

David selflessly dedicated his life to bring about a world where diabetes was significantly less of a burden on our lives. As a patient I will never be able to repay the contribution he made to improve my life and the lives of many others all over the world. Me, my fellow T1s and all those who will come after me will hold David's legacy close forever.

Lots of love and condolences to your family, colleagues and everyone who loved you David from your friends at the Innodia PAC - We will miss you.

Jaivir Pall

It was a pleasure to collaborate with David in INNODIA since 2014 when we prepared the first draft of our project. For us, David represented the British scholarship at its best - objective, caring for the patient, polite and always evidence based. We only saw David losing his patience when we talked about Brexit and its impact on the scientific collaborations with other European countries. He would say - exasperated - "don't mention Brexit". He will be sorely missed, and the INNODIA meetings will not be the same without him.

Decio Eizirik and Miriam Gnop

I truly appreciate how David always looked out for all of us, and went out of his way to ensure that we could continue working alongside him in the Department of Paediatrics. Sending my condolences to David's family and friends. Paula

My sincere condolences to you and the family for David's departure. He has been an unmatched example for all of us in the INNODIA community for his dedication, humbleness, and stature. I will remember him not only for the scientific discussions, but also for some memorable billiard games at the end of our meetings. INNODIA is his last legacy out of a long list, he will be remembered and he will keep inspiring us.

Roberto Mallone, Paris

I am deeply saddened to learn of David's passing. Although I never had the privilege of training with him, he was very supportive to me personally in developing my clinical academic career in paediatric diabetes. He was a true giant in our field and will be very much missed. My thoughts are with you and his wider family at this difficult time.

John Gregory, Cardiff

Dear Jane,

David brought me to the University of Cambridge and thereby changed my life. I will always remember my first visit to Cambridge to meet him. It was a sunny, autumnal day. Full of hope. David gave me his trust, time, and shared his life-long experience to pursue my calling and work on the artificial pancreas which has transformed over the years from a small research project to changing the lives of many people and families.

I, and others, will be forever grateful.

Roman Hovorka, Cambridge

IT HAS BEEN AN HONOUR TO MEET AND WORK WITH DAVID, A BRILLIANT AND GENTLEMAN SCIENTIST. ALL MY CONDOLENCES TO THE FAMILY. JEAN, BELGIUM

JEAN VAN RAMPENBERGH

I am still shocked with the sudden notice of you not being with us any more. I never told you how much gratitude i feel towards you .You were a true mentor for the begining of my research . As a Christian I am certain that you are now resting in peace and that the eternal life hope will help all your beloved people to maintain your enyoable spirit alive.

Veronica

Veronica Mericq

Dear Jane, My sincere sympathy. I am very sad, to learn about David passing away. During my activities in INNODIA I always enjoyed his presentations, listening to his thoughts and admired the vast experience he had in pediatrics and science. He was always so friendly and open and, as Chantal has put it, he was a very good father for INNODIA. My thoughts are with you.

Nanette

Nanette Schlöot

A chance meeting at ICH more than 30y ago resulted in a collaboration that continues to this day. Simply, David was instrumental in defining the majority of my scientific career. It has been a true pleasure and a privilege to have had so many scientific discussions, arguments, and laughs with David. Countless day trips to Cambridge, meetings in London and internationally, and the regular telephone calls; a constant in my life that will be sorely missed.

Please accept my deepest condolences at the passing of an absolute gentleman, with unrivalled perception, and an enviable sense of humour.

Neil Dalton

Deeply saddened to hear of David's passing.
Please accept my most sincere condolences.
Stella
Dept of Paediatrics 2005-2016
Stella Silvester

Dear Jane and family,
We are sorry to hear about David. It was a pleasure to collaborate with David on the MELD-ATG trial. We remember David as being a very precise scientist, but most of all being extremely dedicated. David will be missed by the entire MELD-ATG team.
Our deepest sympathy to you and the entire family.
Lisa Van Ryckeghem, Hilde Morobé & Renka Van Heyste
(MELD-ATG team - Leuven, Belgium)

Dear Jane,
So sorry to learn of your ,and indeed the world's, loss of David. Cool, calm, collected, kind, funny and terribly witty. A generous mentor and an indomitable spirit. Brilliant mind, dedicated researcher and a caring gentleman. So much bigger and yet understated. I was blessed to be able to do my post-doc with David in Cambridge. A truly life changing experience. I will miss him greatly.
God bless and sustain you through this loss.
My deepest sympathy.
Paul
Paul Benitez, Sydney Australia

Please accept my sincerest condolences.

Professor Dunger has been a huge inspiration for all trainees who met him.

I had the pleasure to be taught by him in a few clinics in 2019 when I arrived to Cambridge,

I hope he rests in peace.

Regards,

Xanthippi (trainee in Weston centre)

xanthippi tseretopoulou

Dear Jane,

I am so sorry to hear about David's death. What a loss David will be to you and the family, and also to all of us who worked with him and cared for him over many years. It was a great privilege to have been a trainee, and then a colleague of his since the mid 1980's. He was a wonderful collaborator, extremely intelligent, a master of problem solving and an innovator in children's diabetes, as well as being kind and caring.

I will miss his wise advice as he was a great mentor.

With great sadness, Julie

Julie Edge, Oxford

Şükürü hatun

'If there is another world he lives in bliss,
if there is none, he made the most of this'

David was always dedicated to his work and always on the go (even when he was on holiday there was no respite from emails!). He helped so many people over the years, including me and I feel privileged to have worked with him for the past 12 years.

Thinking of you all at this sad time.

Diane

I am so sad to hear about David's passing and so sorry for your loss. David will be very much missed by all in the Department of Paediatrics. My sincere condolences to you and your family.

Susan

Susan Chapman

My condolences. I knew David from our common interests in pediatric endocrinology and research. Several years ago we had the chance to have him lecture at Necker hospital in Paris: afterwards we had a chat together over glasses of wine. A nice moment just both of us. Let me express my support and friendship. Michel Polak

David was a great man, an outstanding scientist, speaker, and teacher. He was unforgettable in my life. I knew David through ISPAD, and we met many years ago. He was an "eminence" of ISPAD. We participated together in many scientific projects where David's Knowledge and Personality was crucial. He gave strength and wings to INNODIA and INNODIA's members.

It was my privilege to know and work with David. His voice temperament, his movements, his gentle smile, his hand gestures will always remain in my memory.

Honor your memory!

Thank you that I could know you!

Przemka

Przemysław Jarosz-Chobot MD PhD Prof., Medical University of Silesia, Katowice, Poland

I never spoke to him or met him, but I always saw him at international meetings. I felt that he was a person with a philosophy and a unique perspective on science and medicine. I felt a closeness to him that I didn't know why; That's why I was sad when I found out by chance this morning. I wish strength to his family and loved ones.

Sukru Hatun, Koc University, Istanbul.

Şükrü Hatun

So verry sorry to hear that David passed away. The advice and support he gave me was always touched with good humour, warmth and kindness.

Sam

Sam Jerram, Addenbrookes

you dont get to know someone till you spend time with them on a stopover and talk about everything except business. My David Dunger moment came at Chicago and Denver airports where we stayed on our way to New Orleans courtesy of several typhoons. There was so much more to him than the sum of his parts as the famous Professor. May God hold him in the palm of His Hand. David
David Leslie

Dear Jane

I only met David personally a few times. I just wanted to say that he was an inspirational speaker and always made me think differently both clinically and scientifically. He was always genuinely interested in the nurturing and work of younger colleagues.

My sincere condolences to you and your family at this time. May he rest in peace. Renuka

Renuka Dias (Birmingham)

Dear Jane,

David was such an inspirational leader and researcher - care for children in the UK and internationally improved directly from his own research. He was very kind and supportive to me in our interactions over the last 20 years.

Please accept my condolences and my thoughts are with you and family at this sad time.

Kind regards,

Justin Davies (Southampton)

Justin Davies, Southampton

I'm so sorry for your loss. My sincere condolences to you and your family at this saddest of times.

Emma Jane Gault, Glasgow

Dear Jane,

Professor Dunger was the greatest professional inspiration of my life. No words will ever describe the admiration I feel for him.

I am so grateful for his mentorship and kindness. He touched my life with his brilliance and generosity. What a privilege for me to have crossed paths with such a beautiful soul!

My sincere condolences to you and your family. My heart goes deeply for you in such a difficult time.

May God bring comfort to you and yours.

Kindly
Pati Gallego

Patricia Herold Gallego
Pediatric endocrinologist
(Brazil-Canada)

Dear mrs Roberts, dear Jane and family,

On behalf of myself and as Secretary General of the European Society for Paediatric Endocrinology (ESPE), I want to express our sincere condolences to you and your family.

David has contributed a lot to the understanding of paediatric endocrine disorders and particularly type 1 diabetes mellitus. He was a regular key note speaker during our annual congresses and very well known as a knowledgeable and generous collaborator in numerous projects. David will be missed by many people.

Wishing you a lot of strength.

Anita Hokken-Koelega & ESPE

So sorry to hear of David's passing. I have known him for many years and we have had many interesting conversations. He has helped the Turner Syndrome Support Society UK with research and awareness. He cared for many of our members, he will be sadly missed. Our sincere condolences to his family and colleagues. you are in our thoughts.

Kind regards
Arlene Smyth

Dear Jane,
I am so very sorry for your loss. I worked with David over the last decade giving him statistical advice for various trials/studies/ideas that he had floating about. He always had an incredibly clear vision of what he wanted and he was a pleasure to work with and to chat to. I will miss his wit and sensible musings, the world is definitely a worse place without him.

Best Wishes
Adrian Mander

Dear Jane,
Please accept our condolences.
David was a member of a dining group, the Riyadh Rascals, composed of Great Ormond Street paediatricians who had also worked in the Middle East. We are all sad to hear that David has passed away. His fellow Rascals praised his work which improved the lives of many children, the care he showed to his colleagues, his sense of fun and his gentle, generous personality. He will be missed.
R Richardson, D Matthew, P Barbor, M Dillon, J Leonard, T McShane, J Taylor, D Taylor, S Sieck, D Walker, V Novelli, R Trompeter, P Duffy. A Michalski
Antony Michalski



**My sincere condolences to you and
Lorenzo Iughetti**

Dear Jane and family,
Sorry to hear the news and our prayers are with you and your family on such difficult moments.

I was fortunate to have listened to many of David's talks on his ADdIT research which were very thoughtful and inspiring. His contributions to the world of paediatric research will always be remembered.

Dr Chandan Yaliwal
Reading

I was so sad to hear of David's death - he was a great colleague and co-author, and had a substantial positive influence on my career trajectory. We will miss him terribly.

Ben Fisher (paediatric trainee)

On behalf of the BSPED, please accept our sincere condolences and deep sadness on the news of David's death. David was a truly inspirational paediatric diabetologist, endocrinologist & researcher who was kind, supportive and nurturing to all. The BSPED acknowledged his excellence when we awarded him our highest honour, the inaugural James Tanner Award in 2019, in recognition of the many scientific breakthroughs he made in paediatric diabetes. He will be greatly missed by the paediatric diabetes communities in the UK and worldwide. Our thoughts and sympathies are with you at this very sad time.

Dr Tabitha Randell, Chair British Society for Paediatric Endocrinology & Diabetes

I wish to express my great sadness at David's passing and for your loss. He will be very much missed. My sincere condolences to you and your family.
Criona

Dear Jane,
Like many others I met David in Cambridge when I was a trainee. He was an amazing man for all the reasons highlighted - so brilliant academically and so dedicated to the huge amount of work he achieved in his life. He also inspired me as a Clinician, and we had some lovely shared moments with patients he saw at his outreach clinic in Ipswich. An extremely caring man, and a true gentleman, we will all miss him,
Jackie
Jackie Buck

So sorry for your loss. I have worked on several of David's studies over the last 12 years, he is going to be greatly missed. Thinking of you all at this time.

Tracey

Dear Jane
I'm sorry to hear of the death of David he was my boss for 5 years when I was an admin assistant in Cambridge. He was an amazing man. I'm glad he managed to continue working to the end.

My condolences and best wishes for you.
Anna

Anna Diaz

I have known David for the past 5 years as leader of INNODIA. His passion for finding a cure for type 1 diabetes was immense, and will be remembered. But, even more important, he was a pleasant and kind person, a real friend for all of us. We will miss him. My condolences dear Jane and best wishes in this difficult period

Lut
Lut Overbergh

Dear Jane,

I was one of David's first network research nurses. He inspired and enabled us to go and take the research to children and families with T1 diabetes. In the 15 years I knew him we saw huge advances in knowledge, treatment & prevention.

A true gent with a great sense of humour..... a big loss to us all.

I hope these words are in some way supportive at this difficult time.

Jon.

Jon Hassler-Hurst

Dear Jane

David has been a great and admirable Colleague for all of us in the Eastern region! It is a huge loss for the medical society. My thoughts are with you and family at this difficult time!

My sincere Condolence!

Swe

Swe Myint

Dear Jane and family

I have worked with David for 15-20 years now, initially as chair of the AdDIT TSC and laterly also on MELD-ATG. David always knew exactly which direction to move the studies in and was prepared to work harder than any one else I have ever known to push things forward. Even in sticky moments he was cheerful, optimistic, polite and kept cool. The international AdDIT community will miss him enormously and paediatrics have lost a unique champion. Nothing however compares to your loss- my thoughts and prayers are with you all.

Sally Marshall, Newcastle

My sincere condolences on David's passing. I had the pleasure to work with David in a few of his projects in the past years and his enthusiasm, friendliness and zest for life was always so striking. My warmest regards to his family and close work colleagues!
Renata Schaeffer (Cambridge)

Dear Jane & family

David was a 'one off' in so many ways. We met following my interview and before I started as a study manager in 2008. I came away feeling slightly overwhelmed, acronyms whizzing round my head, clutching a bundle of handwritten papers. I always remember him saying 'You can start work now, if you want'. That was the beginning of my 11 year stint.

His drive and passion to get things done was infectious and quite remarkable. Yet, he was incredibly intuitive. I learnt so much and I am very grateful for the opportunities he gave me.

My thoughts are with you all.

Catherine Guy

David was an academic inspiration and yet great fun to be with. I

wish you strength in dealing with this tragedy. Colm

Colm Costigan

Dear Jane,
I knew David for some years and
worked closely together until re
friendly and open to me as a me
clear in his vision of where he w
diabetes research. He will be sor

Chris Wallace

David was an amazing inspiration in paediatric endocrinology and diabetes. I had the pleasure of working with him for many years as a collaborator in an international growth trial. His amazing intellect and sense of humour brightened many meetings. His research has contributed so much to the field, he will be sadly missed. My deepest sympathies. May David Rest in Peace.

Edna Roche

He was a great man, who will be sadly remembered. I really enjoyed hearing his meetings.

Clare Megson



Dear Jane, I had the honour to work with David over the last 15 years. David was a source of encouragement and enthusiasm, offering opportunities for others to excel. I was delighted when we travelled together knowing the experience would be far more fun (often aided by the odd glass or two). I developed T1D as a kid, so we often laughed about how patients (like me) used to try to trick consultants about our adherence- I never did find a trick he was not aware of. I share a picture from our last INNODIA trip (& celebratory lunch afterwards). My thoughts and prayers are with you all.

Tim Tree

We have had a very fruitful research collaboration with David and team over many years and vividly remember exciting scientific discussions.

Our sincere condolences with your loss - our thoughts are with you and your family during this difficult time.

Also on behalf of (former) Mead Johnson Nutrition/Reckitt colleagues,
Janna van Diepen, Maciej Chichlowski and Gabriele Gross

Dear Jane and family,
our sincere condolences on David's passing.
He was an inspiring man, his belief in finding a cure for diabetes was encouraging our patients. He will be missed within innoDia.
Our thoughts are with you and your family.
Kristina Casteels and Eva Vandoorne (pediatric department
InnoDia UZ Leuven)

We would like to send our sincere condolences to you and your family at this very sad time. No one can prepare for the loss of such a loved one, and David's passing seemed to happen so quickly, that we feel that loss as well, and will miss him dearly.

We refer to his patients too, whom he had such a caring relationship with. He would often come into the Weston Centre first thing, (with an Espresso!) and ask us to arrange a test for one of his patients, that he'd clearly been thinking about all night! His attention to detail was an example to us all, we've been so privileged to play our part.

Susan, Karis, Sam and Betty (Paediatric Endocrine Nurses, The Weston Centre)

*So sorry to hear the news, my thoughts are with all David's family. He was so dedicated to his research and having worked for him for a number of years, I know this and his family are his legacy to the world.
Clare Rice (retired University administrator)*

*I was very saddened to hear of the death of Prof Dunger. I was part of the Paediatric Endocrinology team as a Nurse Specialist for two years from 2007 to 2009 and it was an honour and a privilege to have worked with Prof. Always extremely thorough and caring for his patients, and well being of his team.
I am sure he has left a massive void in your family and he will certainly Never be forgotten by all who had the good fortune to have known him.
Rest in Peace Prof.*

Nina Wood (Beaumont)

Dear Jane,

I am so sorry to hear of your great loss.

I met David when he moved to Cambridge in 2000 when I was the administrator for the Dept of Paediatrics through until I retired in 2013. He was always totally devoted to his patients and research. An incredible man in so many ways, he will be missed by so many people.

Please accept my sincerest condolences.

Lynda

Lynda Dovey

I was very saddened to hear of David's death. He was an outstanding paediatric endocrinologist and his research contributed so much to the improvement of the lives of children with diabetes. I will remember him as a warm and kind man with a great sense of humour. He was such a supportive colleague and friend to Carlo and he will be greatly missed by so many.

Pauline Acerini

I was very sorry to hear of David's death. We first got to know each other as senior registrars at Great Ormond Street and had many professional contacts in paediatric and adolescent endocrinology and diabetes contexts over the years. I hugely admire his professional achievements and it was a privilege to have known him.

Christopher Kelnar

Such a loss for the international pediatric endocrinology that Prof Dunger has passed away. His amazing scientific contribution, participation and gentle voice at numerous conferences has inspired so many colleagues around the world during decades.

In Great Memory

Gun Forsander, Associate Prof, Gothenburg Sweden

Such very sad news to hear that Professor Dunger has passed away.

During my time working in the Department of Paediatrics I knew him to be so dedicated to his work and his colleagues, always finding time in his busy schedule for others.

He will be greatly missed.

My thoughts go out to his family.

Sheila Norton

Dear Jane and family

So sorry to hear of David's passing.

It was a great privilege to be part of his research group and working with him over the last 15 years. He was a great mentor who has had such an impact on me and my career. There was always something new to learn from him. I will miss our regular meetings, sharing ideas, planning new projects.

My thoughts and prayers are with you during this difficult time.

Loredana Marcovecchio

Dear Jane

I worked for David for 18 years and he was always kind and thoughtful. I'll never know how he kept up the relentless travelling, crossing timezones and still came into work the following day with another idea or project. With the dramas that came with running a team and overseeing studies David found a fair outcome. His support and mentoring to colleagues was amazing. He will be so missed. I was sometimes glad when he was out the office at meetings so I could catch up with his work. I shall miss typing the endless drafts so he could have a perfect copy.

My condolences to the family

Jane

Sorry to hear about David, he was such a knowledgeable and friendly person to work with.

Best wishes

Wendy Cooper

Dear Jane and family,

I am so sorry for your loss. I met David when I was a PhD student at the Babraham Institute almost two decades ago. We have collaborated ever since and published several papers and shared grants. David was a great mentor to me and he played an important part in my integration at the Clinical School as a University research lecturer. I will be forever grateful.

David is one of a kind - a calm and gentle person, a great medic and scientist. He lives on, having touched so many of us.

My condolences to you and closest ones.

Miguel Constancia

David was an inspiration to me to follow a career in Paediatric Diabetes and I owe a lot to him. My sincere condolences to you all and apologies I can't attend on Friday but will watch later thanks to modern funeral links. Will raise glass to you all on Friday night. We and all the trainees who worked for him are his legacy.

Martha Ford-Adams

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Dear Jane and family

David was a valued colleague, friend and mentor and I will miss him greatly.

Condolences to you all

With very best wishes, Rachel

Rachel Williams

Dear Jane and Family,

Please accept my deepest condolences for your loss.

David has been an inspiring scientist and clinician. He has been a great mentor to me and several of my colleagues and helped to shape our clinical and academic careers. He will be greatly missed.

Ajay

Ajay Thankamony, Clinical Lead

Paediatric Endocrinology and Diabetes, Addenbrookes Hospital

My heart felt condolences to all the family and friends. I was fortunate to work with him at Cambridge Addenbrookes endocrine dept 10 yrs ago. I remember him as a soft spoken, knowledgeable, supportive and overall a good gentleman. I had gained a lot of endocrine insight discussing and working with him. Indeed it is a massive loss for all of us. His memories will always be relished. OM SHANTHI/ RIP
Dr Santhosh Olety, India

Dear Jane and Family

When I joined the department, David was very welcoming and supportive, listening patiently to all my questions and ideas. He had such an intuitive way with his patients and was so kind, this was also his manner with colleagues. Childrens lives will forever be enriched by the research he conducted and inspired others to pursue, a legacy that continues.

May David rest in peace and the love you shared bring comfort for the difficult days ahead.

Julie

David's research nurse

Julie Harris

I am so sorry for your loss.

David was such an inspiring, committed, interesting and caring person. He was a wonderful mentor and gave me so many opportunities. I will miss him

Philippa

Jane, my sincere condolences at the loss of David. What a giant he was in the department when he joined us in 2001 from Oxford. David helped to put us on the map worldwide with his research. He built a large team of loyal and committed supporters who will miss him greatly. I found it a privilege to be able to recruit David and to be a colleague. My thoughts are with you and the family at this time. Cofion cynnes. Ieuan
Ieuan Hughes

With deepest sympathy for your sad loss. Remembering Professor David Dunger, for his enthusiasm and thirst for research to make a difference in the life of all children with diabetes. Thank you for a life of dedication.

With deepest respect

From a previous Research Fellow in Oxford

Dr Rani Pal, Oxford University Hospitals NHS Trust

David was inspirational in so many ways. As a gynaecologist with a focus on paediatric and adolescent gynaecology I really valued his opinion on patients and felt privileged to be involved in some of his research. He will be much missed by us all - my condolences to you and the family.

With kind regards
Jane MacDougall

I'm deeply sorry for your loss. Prof dunger will always be missed by all his trainees forever.

*With the deepest respect ,
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I would like to express my sincerest condolences to David's family.

Professor Dunger gave me my first job in science. I worked as a laboratory technician supporting the Department of Paediatric's invaluable research into diabetes from 2000 to 2004.

To quote another great Cambridge scientist, Sir Isaac Newton: "If I have seen further, it is by standing upon the shoulders of giants."

The giants themselves stand upon on the shoulders of laboratory technicians. It was both a pleasure and an honour to help David see a little further by standing on mine.

Top bloke.

Martin Andrew White BSc, MSc., LTCL.