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1972 – 1978 St. Stephen's Church College, Hong Kong  
1978 – 1980 College of Arts and Technology, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, England  
1980 – 1985 MBChB (University of Dundee, Scotland)

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1993 Doctor of Medicine with Honours (University of Dundee)  
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1993 Founding Fellow of the Hong Kong Academy of Medicine (Medicine)  
1998 Fellow of the Royal College of Physicians of Edinburgh  
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**Key positions:**

- Visiting Professor, Department of Medicine, First Military Hospital Guangzhou, China
- Visiting Professor, Division of Rheumatology & Immunology, Foshan First People's Hospital, Foshan, Guangdong, China
- President, Asia Pacific League of Associations for Rheumatology (2006 – 2008)
- Co-founding chairman, Huaxia (Greater China) Congress on Rheumatology
- Co-founding chairman, Asia Autoimmunity Congress
- Editor-in-chief, International Journal of Rheumatic Diseases
- International Advisor, Nature Clinical Practise Rheumatology
- Advisor, Asian Review of Musculoskeletal Disorders
- Member of Editorial Board, Clinical Rheumatology
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