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# Consultation Skills: Finding your Inner Physician

# Saturday 13th October 2018 The Hilton Hotel North Promenade, Blackpool FY1 2JQ

#### Introducing your speaker

# Dr Roger Neighbour

Meet a National and International Authority on Consultation Skills. Roger is former President of the Royal College of General Practitioners and author of the classic text books "The Inner Consultation", "The Inner Apprentice" and most recently "The Inner Physician."

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Meet the Speaker ...

### Dr Roger Neighbour OBE MA DSc FRCGP FRCP FRACGP

Roger Neighbour qualified from King's College, Cambridge and St Thomas' Hospital. After vocational training in Watford he became a GP in Abbots Langley, Hertfordshire from 1974 to 2003.

He was a trainer and course organiser with the Watford Vocational Training Scheme for many years, an MRCGP examiner for 20 years, and Convenor of the RCGP's Panel of Examiners from 1997 to 2002. In 2003 he was elected President of the Royal College of General Practitioners for a three year term.

An interest in the psychology of the doctor-patient relationship and of the teacher-learner relationship in vocational training led Roger to write 'The Inner Consultation' (1987, 2nd ed. 2005) and 'The Inner Apprentice' (1992, 2nd ed. 2005). His latest book 'The Inner Physician' (2016) explores the contribution of a doctor's non-professional self to the clinical process.

Now retired from clinical practice, Roger continues to write, teach and lecture in the UK and worldwide on consulting skills and general practice. In 2011 he was awarded an OBE for services to medical education. He enjoys playing the violin to semi-professional standard and spending time at his second home in Normandy. He also plays golf badly, but not quite badly enough to give up.

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# **Finding your Inner Physician**

In this seminar based on his 2016 book "The Inner Physician", Roger Neighbour (author of "The Inner Consultation") suggests that every doctor retains an untrained 'ordinary human being' part that makes an important but often neglected contribution to practice. Drawing upon film and literature as well as clinical examples, Roger aims to help participants recognise those aspects of their personal histories, emotions and personalities that impact on patients.

Drawing on the non-medical parts of our experience can enhance our insight and empathy with patients, and makes for greater effectiveness in the consulting room.

You can expect to be stimulated, intrigued and challenged – but ultimately inspired!

## Programme ...

9.00-9.30am	Registration, Coffee & Exhibition
9.30-11.00am	Finding your Inner Physician Part 1
11.00-11.30am	Coffee, Biscuits & Exhibition
11.30-1.00pm	Finding your Inner Physician Part 2
1.00pm	Conference closes



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