

## Professor Bryn Baxendale MB ChB FRCA FAcadMedEd



Bryn is a Consultant Anaesthetist at Nottingham University Hospitals NHS Trust (NUH). His clinical work is primarily covering emergency, major trauma and vascular surgical services. He helped design the Trent Simulation & Clinical Skills Centre at NUH and has been Director of this regional facility since it opened in 2004. In 2009 he was appointed as an Honorary Professor of Clinical Simulation at the School of Psychology, University of Nottingham. He became the inaugural President of the Association of Simulated Practice in Healthcare ([www.aspih.org.uk](http://www.aspih.org.uk)) from 2009-14, which is now the leading UK organisation addressing the use of simulation to enhance professional training and patient safety in healthcare. He currently co-chairs the ASPiH Special Interest Group (SIG) in Human Factors & Ergonomics and is the clinical lead for the MSc in Quality and Patient Safety Improvement at the University of Nottingham.

In July 2019 he was elected onto the Board of the Global Network for Simulation in Healthcare ([www.gnsh.org](http://www.gnsh.org)) which is a collaborative organisation bringing together international healthcare and patient safety organisations, national simulation societies, and industry leaders seeking to design and apply simulation-based interventions to address major global healthcare issues. He has current national roles with Health Education England and the Royal College of Anaesthetists related to the strategic implementation, quality assurance and evaluation of simulation-based and immersive learning technologies within healthcare. He has advisory roles on patient safety and Human factors with the Royal College of Surgeons of Edinburgh and the Royal College of Physicians Joint Advisory Group on Gastrointestinal Endoscopy.

He is interested particularly in the development of individual, team-based and organisational resilience and exploring how systems design (Human Factors) can influence staff performance and well-being at a local and system-wide level.