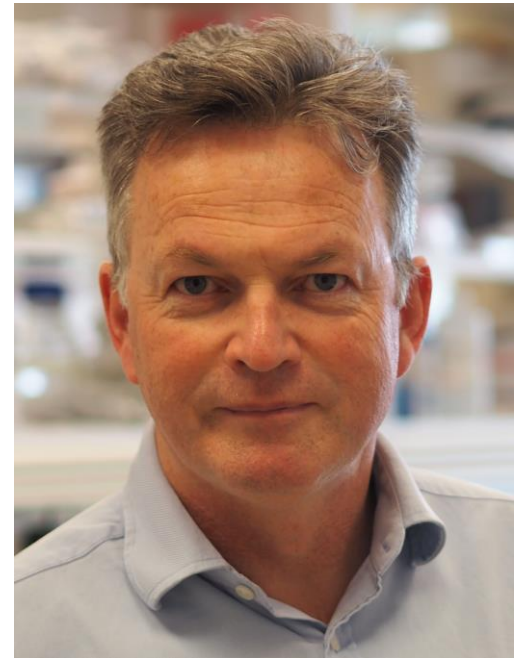


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CURRENT RESEARCH PROGRAMS

The main aim of my research is to identify the early pathological pathways activated in neurodegenerative diseases, using in vitro and in vivo laboratory models, in order to define the most therapeutically tractable areas for drug therapy and to apply these findings to clinical studies in patients. In particular, we aim to understand why ubiquitously expressed proteins involved in RNA processing and trafficking (SMN, FUS and TDP-43) are critically important for motor neuron integrity.

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