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Moira Kinnear until recently was Head of Pharmacy Education, Research & Development in NHS Lothian, Edinburgh and continues as Honorary Senior Lecturer at University of Strathclyde.

Moira worked as an experienced hospital clinical pharmacist before embracing the desire to teach others in this field. In 1991 she was appointed 'teacher-practitioner' and undertook the part-time University of Leeds Advanced Diploma in Clinical Pharmacy Teaching to support her in this role. In her early career Moira was a specialist clinical pharmacist in the field of gastrointestinal medicine and published several textbook chapters and papers in this field. As a specialist in clinical pharmacy teaching, Moira has contributed to the development and delivery of university undergraduate and postgraduate clinical pharmacy programmes and to national programmes coordinated through NHS Education for Scotland. Her NHS role included managing a small team to co-ordinate a large network of NHS staff in the delivery of experiential learning programmes for pharmacists and pharmacy technicians. Moira has supervised numerous practice based student projects which have informed improvements in clinical pharmacy service delivery in addition to leading funded research projects. She has co-authored several scientific publications and is a peer reviewer for scientific journals. Moira has been a member of the Joint Formulary Committee of the British National Formulary (BNF) for several years and more recently was a member of the Scottish Government team working within a European consortium to deliver a project funded by the European Union's Health Programme (2014-2020) Stimulating Innovation Management of Polypharmacy and Adherence in the Elderly (SIMPATHY) www.simpathy.eu

Moira is an active member of the European Society of Clinical Pharmacy (ESCP) having served on committees and delivered several workshops and courses in Europe. Moira was awarded Fellow of ESCP in 2009.