



Curriculum Vitae (01 November 2020)

Name : **Mr. Ajit Ambekar**

Date of Birth: 26 August 1944

Nationality : British.

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Qualifications : M.B., B.S., M.S.Orth. (Master of Orthopaedic Surgery, Honors. Bombay 1972)

MCh.Orth. (Master of Orthopaedic Surgery) Liverpool 1976

FRCS (Fellow of Royal College of Surgeons of England)

Registration : Gen. Med. Council, UK (1974) Full Reg. (No. 2211477)

Note : **Retired from active surgery** – GMC 'clinical' practice licence relinquished (Oct' 2016)
Prov.Reinstatement (Potential Covid-19 NHS Return)

Last Consultant Appraisal, Hammersmith Group /Imp.College NHS, London, 2016

Learned Society Affiliations :

Medical : Royal College of Surgeons of England (# 1009480)

British Orthopaedic Association incl. Orthopaedic Trauma Society (# 13857)

AO Trauma Association, 'Member Plus', Davos, Switzerland. (# 319321)

European Federation of Orthopaedics & Traumatology (EFORT)

American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgeons. (# 557940 – Resigned October 2020)

Royal Society of Medicine – Orthopaedics, Medico-legal and Military chapters. (# 00704979)

Medico-legal :

Cardiff University Law School (Bond Solon) **Expert Witness Certification**

Expert Witness Institute, London – 13 years (#1704) with Litigation Indemnity Insurance.

Executive Council Member, European Expertise & Experts Institute. Paris, France

American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgeons (Expert Witness affirmation since 2006).

Association of Personal Injury Lawyers (APIL) : **1st Tier** Expert** & Associate Member

UK Register of Expert Witnesses ('vetted' list).

Bond Solon Expert Witness Register, UK

Continuing Professional Development – Medico-legal :

	Hours	
1. Single Joint Expert Seminar, Expert Witness Institute,	3	19.09.2013
2. Expert Witness Institute Annual Conference,	6	03.10.2013
3. Intermediate Report Writing, Expert Witness Institute,	6	07.11.2013
4. <u>Cardiff Law School - Bond Solon –Expert Witness Training Phase I</u>	12	12-13.11.2013
5. Best Practice, Expert Witness Institute-Law Society	3	19.11.2013
6. Single Joint Expert seminar, Expert Witness Inst., London	3	26.11.2013
7. Report Writing & Tech. Seminar, (Cert. MR II) Premex Med-legal,	6	19.12.2013
8. Whiplash Associated Disorders Certification, Capita-PreMex.	6	08.01.2014
9. Advanced Report Writing Seminar, Expert Witness Inst. London	6	31.01.2014
10. <u>Cardiff University Law School - Bond Solon Training in Civil Law</u>	18	5-7.02.2014
11. Seminar on Expert Witness Joint Meetings, Bond Solon, London	3	29.04.2014
12. 'Jackson Reforms' Symposium by Lord Rupert Jackson, England	4	12.09.2014
13. Course for Personal Injury Lawyers, The Solicitors Group, London	4	25.09.2014
14. Expert Witness Institute Seminar : Contracts	2	30.10.2014
15. Cardiff Law School-Bond Solon Annual CPD Conference -, London	6	07.11.2014
16. Mediation Seminar, Expert Witness Institute, London	2	04.02.2015
17. Reference Literature Search Seminar, Royal Society of Medicine, London	4	21.05.2015
18. Spinal Injuries – Medico-legal Perspective Conference. Nottingham.	6	25.06.2015
19. British Orthopaedic Asscn. Conference. Trauma -Medico-legal sessions	4	16.09.2015
20. Expert Witness Institute Annual Conference	8	24.09.2015

21. <u>Cardiff University Law School Bond Solon –Annual CPD Conference</u>	6	06.11.2015
22. Accidents Abroad'Conference Asscn.of Personal Injury Lawyers (APIL)	6	17.11.2015
23. Asscn. of Personal Injury Lawyers : Practice & Procedures Seminar	6	25.11.2015
24. Experts Meeting & Joint Statement protocol Seminar. 'Pro-Sol'. London	5	04.12.2015
25. Workplace Accidents Seminar, Asscn.of Personal Injury Lawyers, UK	4	14.06.2016
26. Expert Witness Institute : Lecture – Jury Trial. London	1	05.07.2016
27. Expert Witness Institute – Annual Conference, London	6	29.09.2016
28. Accidents Abroad Conference – APIL, London	6	03.11.2016
29. <u>Cardiff Law School –Bond Solon Annual CPD Conference</u> , London	6	04.11.2016
30. <u>APIL</u> RTA Update – Webinar	1	22.11.2016
31. European Expert & Expertise Institute Annual Conference	2	18.05.2017
32. Psychological issues in trauma Symp. Royal Society of Medicine, London	4	20.07.2017
33. Expert Witness Institute – Annual CPD Conference	6	21.09.2017
34. <u>Cardiff University Law School – Bond Solon Annual conference</u>	6	10.11.2017
35. <u>APIL</u> Personal Injury – Annual Update Seminar, London	6	16.03.2018
36. Expert Witness Institute, Annual Conference, London	6	27.09.2018
37. <u>APIL</u> – Accidents Abroad Conference. London	4	02.11.2018
38. <u>Cardiff University Law School - Bond Solon- Conference</u>	6	09.11.2018
39. APIL Webinar – Fundamental Dishonesty.	1	30.04.2019
40. <u>European Expertise & Experts Institute. Annual CPD Conf. The Hague</u>	4	07.06.2019
41. <u>Expert Witness Institute London Annual CPD Conference</u>	9	26.09.2019
42. <u>APIL Expert Witness Certification*</u> (Part I)	6	12.11.2019
43. <u>APIL Expert Witness Certification**</u> (Part II)	6	22.01.2020
44. European Expertise & Experts Institute, Annual Conference	6	05.06.2020
45. <u>APIL</u> Experts' Joint Statement Webinar	1	10.07.2020
46. <u>Due</u> : European Institute of Expertise & Experts Conference		22.10.2020

Medico-legal Expertise and Experience :

CPR 35 compliant reports (except certain pelvic and cervical spine fractures) in Orthopaedic Trauma based on extensive experience in management of trauma in adults and children.

Interests : Complex Regional Pain Syndrome, 'Bone Bruise'.

Note : I do not accept instructions in Criminal or certain cases of 'Breach of Duty' Clinical Negligence. I am prepared to undertake reasonable travel if necessary.

Reports – 46 in UK prior to 2005. 2005-13 : 144 MT' (CPR 35) reports on Instructions by the UK affiliated Lawers in Cayman Islands. 9 reports for jurisdictions of UK, USA and Canada.

2016 : **146**, 2017: **159** incl. **18** Europe, **2018** : **118** (**9** Europe), **2019** : **90** (incl. **15** Europe, Ireland, Scotland)

Claimant : Defendant Ratio 80 : 10 SJE : 10. Pre-trial Conf. : 36. Court Evidence 3(Cayman) **UK: None**

I am able to provide evaluation of Permanent Physical Impairment (Amer. Med. Asscn.), 'DASH' score and Category of Disability as per the Judicial College Guidelines for international jurisdictions.

Standard Reference Literature (in addition to case-specific research references) :

1. Civil Procedure Rules 35 and Practice Directions 2014 and Equality Act 2010
2. Medico-legal Reporting in Orthopaedic Trauma, Foy and Fagg, 2010
3. Writing Medico-legal Reports in Civil Claims. Eyre and Alexander, 2015

Consultant level Experience : 34 years (16 Years on long-term locum contracts in the UK.)

Last UK post : Hammersmith Group Hospitals/Imperial College London NHS Trust, 2001-05
Overseas experience : Armed Forces Hospital, Oman (Lt.Col. 1991-2000), RAF (Locum 2004), Cayman Islands Hospital, Grand Cayman (Incl. Medico-legal practice)- March'05-August'13.
 (General Orthopaedics / Trauma incl. Paediatric conditions/trauma)

Continuing Professional Development – Orthopaedics - Trauma (Last 10 years)

1 Mandatory annual CME 20 Hrs. (Cayman Islands and USA)	2005-2013
2 American Ortho.Asscn.,Paediatric Orthopaedics/Trauma, Orlando,USA.	Mar 2009
3 Hand Trauma Surgery Observership. Miami, USA	Apr'2013
4 Trauma Conference Royal Society of Medicine, London	Feb' 2014
5 AO Trauma Ankle & Foot Injuries Seminar, Bristol	7-9 April'14
6 European Federations of Ortho/Trauma Surgery Congress(EFORT) London	4-6 June'14
7 British Orthopaedic Asscn. Annual Conference, Brighton	11-12 Sept'14
8 Orthopaedic Trauma Conference, Royal Soc.Medicine, London	Feb' 15
9 BOA Orthopaedic Trauma Society Conference, Warwick	19-20 Mar' 15
10 Spinal Injuries Conference, Nottingham.	25 June'15
11 British Orthopaedic Asscn. Annual Conference. Liverpool	15-17 Sept'15
12 Amputations-Advances in Prosthetics and Rehabilitation. Royal Soc. Medicine	25 Sept'15
13 BOA – Orthopaedic Trauma Society Annual Conference, Warwick	28 Jan' 16
14 Trauma conference, Royal Society of Medicine, London	23 Feb'16
15 British Ortho. Asscn.- Orthopaedic Trauma Soc. Conference, Warwick	12 Jan' 17
16 European Federation (EFORT) of Orthopaedics/Trauma Annual Congress (Vienna)	31 May'17
17 British Orthopaedic Asscn.-Trauma Soc. Ann. Conference, Burton upon Trent,	10 Jan'19
18 Annual Trauma Symposium-Royal Society of Medicine, London	12 Feb'19
19 British Orthopaedic Association. Annual Conference, Liverpool	10-11 Sept'19
20 Annual Trauma Conference, Royal Soc.Med. London	26 Feb'20

Publications / Conference Presentations :

1. Compound Fractures of Tibia, J.of J.J.Hospitals,Bombay. Research Award	1972
2. Protocol for Assessment of Polytrauma, Intl.Ortho.Congress, Oman.	1993
3. Comminuted Fractures of Distal Radius. Intl.Ortho.Congress, Oman.	1995
4. Bone-Marrow Grafting for Delayed Union Intl.Ortho.Congress, Oman	1995

Medical Training:

MB.,BS. (1963-69) Grant Medical College, Bombay. First in Order of Merit at MS(Orth.) 1972

United Kingdom: (Sept 1974- Feb'77)

1975-6 Manchester and Professorial Unit, Liverpool.

1977-80 Sr.Registrar : 3 years, Nassau, Bahamas - CME University of Miami. Switzerland : 3 months.

Teaching Experience :

1. Students and Residents in the UK.	12 years
2. Clinical Teaching, Graduate Students, University of Oman.	8 years
3. Adjunct Prof. Orthopaedics, St.Matthew's University, Florida/Grand Cayman (2006-12)	6 Years

Operative Experience in Trauma : AO principles, Average 200 cases per year using Locking Nails, Plates, Cannulated Screws, Orthofix/AO External Fixators.

Note : Member of Medical Protection Society 1974 - 2013. No adverse clinical incident.

Community Service : Rotary International and Institute of Advanced Motorists, UK

Referees : Medico-legal :

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Orthopaedics / Trauma :

1. Prof. Sean P. F. Hughes FRCS Ed(Orth); FRCS; FRCSI Professor Emeritus of Orthopaedic Surgery. Imperial College of Medicine. London shughes@imperial.ac.uk	2. Mr. Robin S. Strachan FRCS Ed (Orth) Consultant Orthopaedic Surgeon. Imperial College/Charing Cross Hospital, London strachanrk@gmail.com
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