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King's CICM:

- A research-focused, interdisciplinary initiative within King's Health Partners (KHP), dedicated to addressing major challenges faced by the NHS through innovative integration of traditional Chinese medicine (TCM) with conventional medicine.

Approach:

- Breaking down barriers, fostering dialogue, and building collaborative partnerships.
- Harmonising two enduring medical philosophies.
- Integrating expertise and resources from TCM, conventional medicine, and cutting-edge science and technology.

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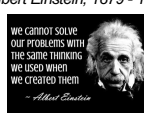


Why King's CICM? *The NHS's current challenges necessitate the integration of function- and anatomy-oriented reasoning, as well as holistic and reductionist thinking.*

- The NHS at Breaking Point** (NEJM 2023;389:100)
 - Prevalent staff burnout (*NHS Staff Survey, 2021-24*)
 - Public satisfaction at record low of 21%-26% (*British Social Attitudes Survey 2025, 2026*)
 - Harm from NHS has risen to 9.7% from 2.5-4.8% in 2001-2013 (BMJ Quality & Safety 2025)
 - 20% doctors wants to quit UK (GMC Survey 2025)
 - Record numbers of Britons seek healthcare abroad (>0.5m, more than doubled in 3 years) (*Donnelly L. Telegraph 27/10/2025*)

"We cannot solve our problems with the same thinking we used when we created them."

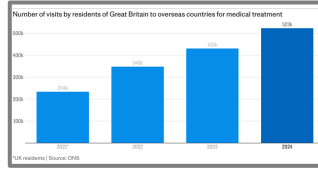
Albert Einstein, 1879 - 1955



"Jade can be polished with the rocks from another mountain."

Classic of Poetry, c. 800-900 BCE





Number of visits by residents of Great Britain to overseas countries for medical treatment

Source: ONS

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- **King's CICM is aligned with**
 - WHO Traditional Medicine Strategy 2025-2034,
 - NHS Priorities, and
 - King's Strategic Vision 2029 / Strategy 2030.
- **King's CICM will build upon *well-established***
 - international standards,
 - good practice guidelines and
 - collaboration networks, which will also support the integration of other ethnic wisdom, e.g., Indian traditional medicines, into tomorrow's medicine and healthcare.

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Our Ambition:

To establish King's CICM as a platform that:

- Engages KHP staff in integrative Chinese medicine (ICM) innovation.
- Attracts philanthropic funding for impactful projects.
- Supports collaborations with global partners.

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Building on Excellence

- Leverages King's world-leading health sciences and legacy in TCM and natural product research.
- Draws inspiration from the EU's FP7 GP-TCM Project and its international network.

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Building on World-leading Health Sciences

All major health subjects top 2-23 worldwide
(2026年QS World University Rankings)

- Nursing No. 2
- Dentistry No. 5
- Life Sciences and Medicine No. 9
- Medicine No. 11
- Psychology No. 15
- Pharmacy & Pharmacology No. 17
- Anatomy & Physiology No. 23



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¹ QS: Quacquarelli Symonds, the name of the company that publishes the rankings.

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Prof Graham Lord's pioneering studies on aristolochic acid nephropathy and carcinogenesis have made botanical use safer

- Impactful publications in *Lancet*, *BMJ*, *AJKD*, *AIM*, etc.



Prof Graham Lord
KCL Senior Vice President
KHP Executive Director

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Dr Qihe Xu: Integrating efficacy & safety, good practices, collaboration

- Impactful publications in *Science*, *Phytomedicine*, *J Ethnopharmacol*, etc.

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Dr Qihe Xu
Director, King's CICM

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Prof. Peter Hylands, Prof. Peter Houghton and Prof. Bob Hider's foundational work in pharmacognosy and medicinal chemistry



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King's spearheaded the FP7 GP-TCM Project, creating a global network and a series of impactful publications



- From a **3.5-year project** to a **sustainable international platform** for collaboration in developing, disseminating and implementing good practices in TCM R&D.
- Developed a GP-TCM network of **200** scientists from **24** countries and **110** institutions → GP-TCM RA, a **UK-based charity**, an **international society**, an **EMA/HMPC Interested Party**, which has **>300** members worldwide.
- Submitted **117** reports to the European Commission proposing **TCM a priority** for future EU-China cooperation.
- 47** papers on good practices, priorities, challenges, opportunities and state of the art of TCM omic studies.



Dr Qihe Xu



Prof. Bruce Hendry



Prof. Peter Hylands †



Prof. Peter Houghton †

King's PIs of the FP7 GP-TCM project



Distribution of GP-TCM members within and beyond the EU.
[Uzuner H. et al. J Ethnopharmacol 2012](#)

GP-TCM RA Membership	
	As of 12 December 2024
Corporate Members	5
Institutional Members	8
Life Members	45
Honorary Members	15
Ordinary Full Members	251
Student Members	36

By courtesy of President Report by Professor Clara Lau, who co-chairs the King's CICM Honorary Advisory Board

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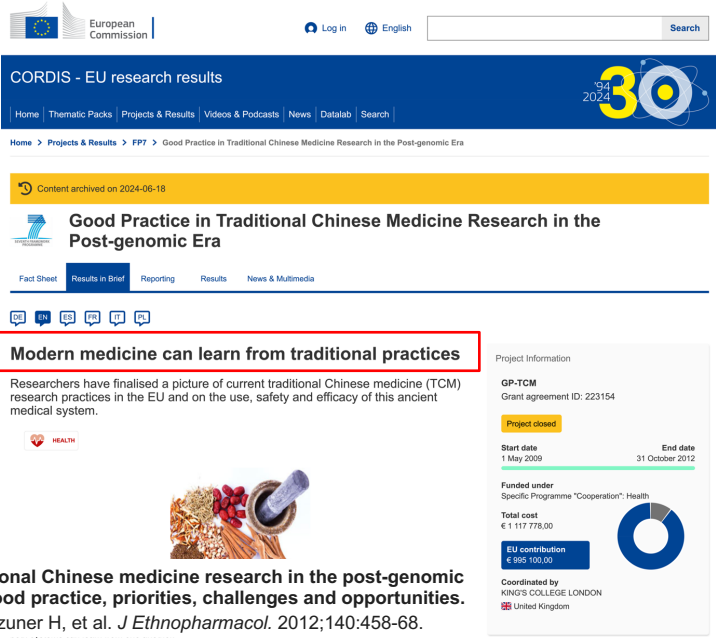
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“Modern medicine can learn from traditional practices.”

The FP7 GP-TCM Project concluded



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GP-TCM RA regards integration a central strategy for innovation and emphasizes integrity and GxP



Integrity

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Integration

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整合



Innovation

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The quest for modernisation of traditional Chinese medicine.
 Xu Q, et al. *BMC Complement Altern Med* 2013;13:132
 (234 citations)

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Integrative Chinese medicine (ICM)

- A framework to catalyse medical innovation, blending TCM wisdom with modern science (Xu & Hylands, 2017).
- Applied in nephrology to study kidney defence mechanisms and metabolic regulation in acute and chronic kidney disease.

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The March 2017 Newsletter of The GP-TCM Research Association

Editorial

Integrative Chinese Medicine

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According to Professor Tu (Hui Mei) (2011:17-22), her groundbreaking discovery of astatin was inspired by the works by Ge Hong (283-343), who also wisely acknowledged as the earliest to describe facial transplantation as a useful therapy (Hui Mei 2016:615-617). It was not until very recently that FDA came to appreciate the importance of facial transplantation and that scientists came to understand the underlying mechanisms, involving gut flora. Ge Hong was also the earliest to document the health benefits of intermittent fasting, which is now understood to have health benefits by reducing autophagy, reprogramming peroxisome cells to reduce insulin generation in beta cells and reducing risk factors for aging and age-related diseases (Nature 2009:457/726-730; Cell 2011:176-178; Sci Transl Med 2017:9:e260700).

In early February, Academician Professor Zhu Chen and Sanyan Chen published a Cell Leading Edge Stories article on their journey of TCM-inspired discovery of astatin as a new cure for leukemia (Cell 2017:188-205-206). Entitled *Pursuing the Dream*, the article concluded: "Looking back to our scientific career, we have benefited a lot from the integration of western and eastern wisdom." Integration of western and eastern wisdom is exactly the approach that GP-TCM RA should adopt for the future.

This is particularly timely as the Development Plan of the Belt and Road for TCM (2016-2020) has just been jointly issued by China's State Administration of TCM and the National Development and Reform Commission. According to the Plan, China will build 30 centres for TCM around the world, formulating 10 international standards of TCM, registering 100 kinds of TCM products and setting up 50 exchange and cooperation bases of TCM by 2020. Five cooperation priorities have been proposed: policy coordination, resource sharing, people-to-people bonds, technology connectivity and unimpeded trade. Particularly relevant to the GP-TCM RA, it proposed to:

- **Cooperate with renowned universities along the route to bring TCM into the higher education of these countries, support diploma and postgraduate education and enhance quality of teaching in countries that are ready, open TCM-related courses to realise**
- **Support TCM research organisations and higher education institutions to establish joint laboratories and research centres in TCM along the route**, to apply internationally advanced scientific techniques and methodologies to large-scale scientific collaborations in research of TCM fundamental theories, TCM clinical practice and TCM products, etc. Focusing on common, prevalent and major diseases in countries along the route, carry out evidence-based research, so as to support and guide TCM products to gain entrance to the mainstream market of these countries.

"The Plan entitled in Chinese '一带一路' 中医药发展规划 (2016-2020年)" can be found here: <http://www.sdaa.gov.cn/jydw/.../tcm-plan-2016-2020.pdf>

A few weeks ago, China's State Council published a medium- and long-term plan to prevent and treat chronic disease (2017-2025). The plan aims to improve people's health, lower the onset rates

The October 2019 Newsletter of The GP-TCM Research Association

Editorial

Professor Peter Hylands' contributions to integrative Chinese medicine
—A tribute to our Founding Treasurer at his Memorial Service in London, 9th Oct. 2019¹

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Dear Dariusz & family,

Dear colleagues & friends,

It is so sad that Peter loved China. He first lectured in China when I was still in medical school. And he had been there numerous times ever since.

As a pharmacologist scientist, of course, he understood the huge value of Chinese Medicine as a source for drug development.

Passionate about international collaboration, Peter knew that Chinese Medicine is an integral part of mainstream medicine in China. If we wish to develop a truly engaged partnership with China in the field of health sciences, Chinese Medicine ought to be an integral part!

It is so natural that Peter had championed the King's Centre for Integrative Chinese Medicine initiative, which aims to integrate wisdom from the West and the East to catalyse innovation and to promote collaboration.

It was Peter who first coined the name 'King's Centre for Integrative Chinese Medicine'. The name indicates that Chinese Medicine will be the focus of our study and that we will do this via an integrative approach.

It was also Peter who brought the new centre to life. In 2012, upon my arrival appraisal, I proposed that my long-term goal was to found a new centre at King's, dedicated to Chinese Medicine-inspired research, education and care. My appraiser Professor Bruce Henry advised that, I was believed in his value, we should work on it. And this was agreed by Peter. Together, we worked hard to convey our messages to stakeholders, and one year later, we were invited to present our case to the senior managers. An excellent speaker, Peter was naturally the best person to present our case. He did. And we were officially accepted a King's new initiative in May 2013.

In the following years, Peter chaired 14 follow-up meetings and led the development of a business plan. His passionate cross-generational research of Chinese Medicine, offered Chinese Medicine-related teaching, and trained the first PhD student of our new Centre. By 2016, we have won King's funding!

Peter had also played important roles nationally and internationally. He was a senior leader of the 1997 GP-TCM Project, funded by the EU in 2000. It was the first ever major EU-China cooperation on Chinese Medicine and it was widely acclaimed a success. As a member of the Steering Committee and Coordination Office, Peter chaired the Scientific & Technological Advisory Committee and one of our two work packages. Three years later, the GP-TCM Research Association was founded. I quickly grew into a UK-based charity, a reputable international society and an

¹ A report of Peter's Memorial Service is available in the "Special Feature" column

Open access version: <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.gtc.2019.10.001>

The August 2019 Newsletter of The GP-TCM Research Association

Editorial

Let Traditional Wisdom Inspire: A Nephrologist's View

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Acute kidney injury (AKI) and chronic kidney disease (CKD) are interconnected conditions. They cause end-stage kidney failure, which needs expensive and painful treatments such as dialysis and renal transplantation. The incidence of AKI is on the rise and mortality associated with AKI is high¹. Data from the USA, for instance, indicate that burden of CKD increased 50% from 2002 to 2016, outstripping any other noncommunicable disease² and by 2030, the burden of end-stage kidney disease will once again increase 250%³. Indeed, CKD is predicted to become a top-5 cause of mortality by 2040 worldwide⁴.

As a nephrologist and a renal scientist for thirty years, I have been frustrated by the fact that existing strategies are failing to prevent AKI, to stop AKI transition to CKD, and to prevent CKD progression to end-stage kidney disease.

"Modern medicine can learn from traditional practice", concluded the GP-TCM Consortium, EU's first Coordination Action on modernisation of TCM⁵. As the PI of the project, I have been invited to contribute a TCM-inspired Special Article to *Nephron*, in which I propose that innovation in nephrology can be catalysed by the wisdom from Yellow Emperor's Inner Canon⁶. When there is sufficient protection of inside, pathogenic factors have no way to hurt the body, when pathogenic factors cause damage, the inward "Qi" must be deficient⁷. Hence, if we can find the internal mechanism of the body that defend against attack⁸.

I propose that deeper understanding of renal defence mechanisms as a key blind spot in modern nephrology and the collecting duct meets many criteria as a critical renal target against injury. It's ideally located to probe the entire kidney, it has specialised defending cells, molecules and signalling, it senses and responds to danger, and it appears to be a convergent point of regulation by mediators of AKI and CKD. Hence, AKI/CKD may be considered a tight of not only attacks to nephrons, but also changes of defence mechanisms in the collecting duct. To protect emergency defence and to normalise repressed defence can then be developed as novel strategies for prevention and treatment of AKI/CKD, as the Nobel Prize winning vaccine immunisation⁹!

Nephron is the original journal of nephrology that has been published continuously ever since 1964 and was the original official journal of the International Society of Nephrology¹⁰. An invited TCM-inspired Special Article by the journal indicates that, if properly communicated, a TCM-inspired innovation can be welcomed internationally and this, in turn, may make a special contribution in fighting tomorrow's medicine.

After publishing my hypothesis as a poster at the UK Kidney Week (UKKW) 2018, the hypothesis was chosen as the theme of a standalone 10-minute session at the UKKW June 2019 in Brighton. Commenting on my talk, Mrs Elaine Davies, Research Director of Kidney Research UK, talked "Interesting thought, provoking talk", followed by Dr Mark Dockrell, a renal scientist: "Real thinking and a unique approach to a common problem".

¹ www.gtc-journal.org/news

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The Xu's hypothesis was well received at the UKKW2019 in Brighton

"A hypothesis is only as good as the experiments you can design to test it", advised Prof. Sir Robert Leach, Senior Vice President of King's College London and President of the Academy of Medical Sciences. I have designed a series of exciting proof-of-concept and translational studies and derived novel tools to enable these experiments¹. I cordially invite talented students and fellows to join me at King's College London in my efforts to develop novel diagnostic measures on the defending capacity of the kidney and novel TCM-inspired, science-based means to "toughen" the kidney so as to prevent and treat AKI and CKD.

What are the implications of my hypothesis to future R&D of TCM and Chinese medicine? Despite differences between the function-oriented concept of "kidney" in TCM and the anatomical kidney, many functions of the "kidney" have been scientifically proven as functions of the anatomical kidney, regulating water homeostasis, governing the bone through modulating vitamin D activation, controlling haemopoiesis through producing erythropoietin and serving as the fountain of youth². By reducing the attack against the kidney, the "kidney" can then "toughen" the kidney and the "kidney" can then "toughen" the kidney. Can some "kidney" TCM drugs boost defence of the anatomical kidney and the "kidney" market roles in AKI/CKD prevention and treatment?

To the wider biomedical and pharmaceutical community, what are the implications of the hypothesis? Given that non-immune defence mechanism are generally overlooked in modern medicine, it is hoped that this Special Article will inspire not only nephrologists, but also other physicians and medical scientists able to perceive health and disease in light of the balance and imbalance between attack and defence³, as I concluded in the *Nephron* article.

The *Nephron* Special Article and this editorial are dedicated to the late Prof. Peter Hylands, co-founder of King's Centre for Integrative Chinese Medicine and the founding Treasurer of GP-TCM RA, for the irreplaceable mentorship, invaluable collaboration and inspirational encouragement and support⁴. I had talked with Peter for a number of times on this hypothesis and he had always been highly supportive of publishing it to enhance awareness, arouse interest and build collaboration. A Memorial in celebration of Peter's great academic and non-academic contributions will be held at King's College London on 9th October. Should you wish to attend, please do let me know.

Finally, to read the *Nephron* paper, please visit: <https://www.karger.com/Article/FullText/5052462>

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23 KHP staff: Cardiovascular, kidney, metabolic health; ageing, cancer, pharmaceutical science; AI, RCT, humanities
56 Honorary Advisors: Global leaders in Acupuncture, TCM, RCT, Pharmacology, etc.
Collaborators: NHS, WHO, industry partners, patients, and the public.

TCM ↔ **KHP**

Project steering committees to conduct quality control

Holistic, personalised, function-oriented diagnoses

Four diagnostic methods (Inspection, Auscultation & olfaction, Inquiry and Palpation) are the key to TCM diagnosis

Use of herbal drugs and other types of medication

Over 11,000 botanical species, 1600 zoological species and 80 mineral substances

A traditional medicine with over 2000 years of text record

By 1911, 410 volumes, 800 Chinese materia medica works have been published

Non-drug therapies, e.g., acupuncture, Tai-chi and tuina

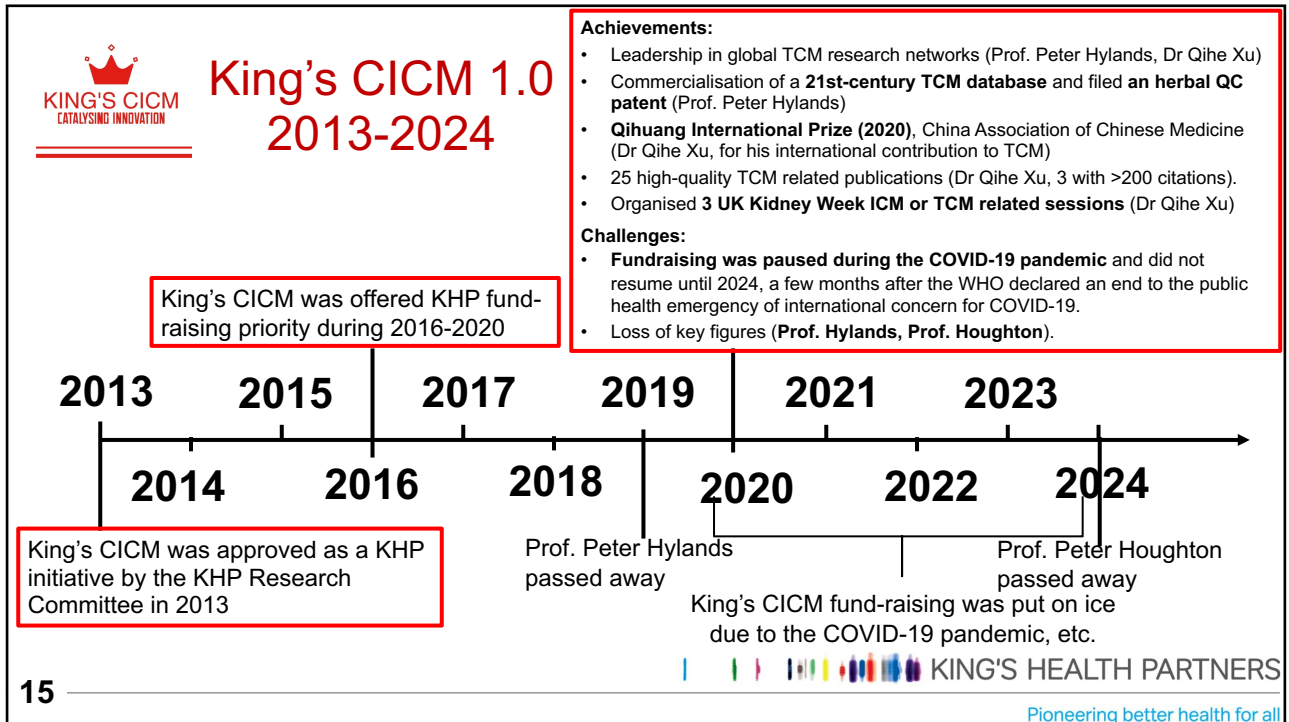
A dozen non-drug therapies also include cupping, Gua Sha, lotus position, medical Qigong, meditation, etc.

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Maudsley Hospital
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Guy's Hospital

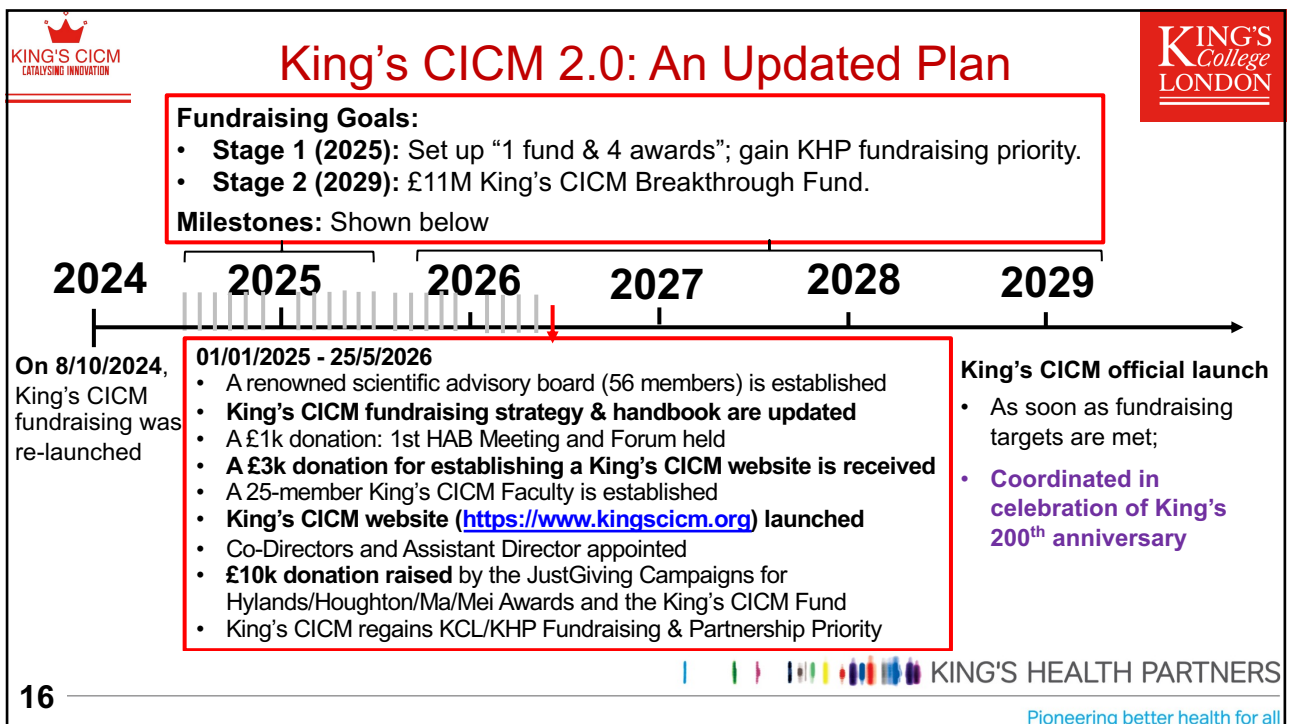
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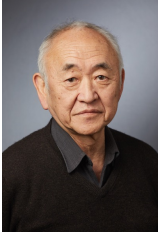


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- **Chaired by Prof. YC Cheng and Prof C Lau**
- **Comprising 55 international leaders, offering complementary expertise in TCM, Acupuncture, Herbal Medicine, Clinical Trial, Pharmaceutical Science, etc.**



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Leadership, Enabling and Coordination



Dr Qihe Xu
Director
Overall leadership; Kidney Research



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Co-Director
RCT, Big Data, AI, Stroke



Dr Min Zhang
Assistant Director
Cardiovascular Science & Translational Research

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The King CICM Team

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 - **TCM and acupuncture:** Ms Mandy Brass and Ms Titta M. Laattala
 - **Fundraising:** Mr Alex Page, Mr Oliver Mangham, Mr David Meredith
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Our Research Priorities and Key Approaches:

- Cardiovascular Kidney Metabolic Health; Healthy Ageing, Cancer & Pharmaceutical Science; Body-Mind Integrated Medicine; Medical Humanities;
- RCT, AI, Big Data and TCM-Inspired Biomedical Innovation in Education, Research and Care.

Serving as the Integrative Medicine Theme of Ageing Research at King's (ARK)



2. REQUESTS the Director General: (by the WHO Executive Board, 10 Feb. 2025)

(1) to advance **kidney disease** as a noncommunicable disease of increasing global priority, in addition to **cancer**, **cardiovascular diseases** (heart disease and stroke), **diabetes** and **respiratory diseases**, as well as **mental health**, which have been recognized as the major causes of death and disability;
https://apps.who.int/gb/ebwha/pdf_files/EB156/B156_20-en.pdf

As our expertise grows, our R&D remit will expand to be more fully **aligned with patient & public needs and WHO & NHS priorities**

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CONCLUSION: King's College London is globally renowned for excellence in conventional medicine and health sciences. Now, we are pioneering a **research-focused Integrative Chinese Medicine Platform**. The mission is bold, yet its potential is boundless—and we are inspired by the journey ahead.

If you're inspired by our vision and want to:

- **Support** our groundbreaking work
- **Collaborate** or develop institutional partnerships
- **Work or study** with our team

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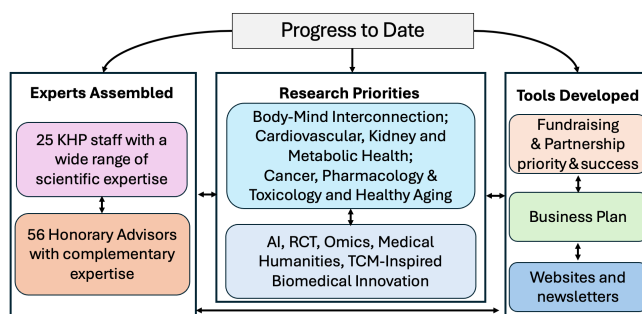
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King's CICM: Progress to Date



King's CICM Fund and Four Memorial Awards

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Advancing core research in Integrative Chinese Medicine to build a robust evidence base for future therapies.

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