CURRICULUM VITAE

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Education

1997-2002 PhD University of Otago, New Zealand

1992-1996 BScHons (First Class) (Human Nutrition), University of Otago, New Zealand

Previous appointments

- 2011 2015 British Heart Foundation Intermediate Fellow in Basic Science, OCDEM, University of Oxford, UK
- 2004 2011 Postdoctoral Research Fellow, OCDEM, RDM, University of Oxford, UK
- **1997 2004 Teaching Fellow / Senior Teaching Fellow**, Human Nutrition Department, Otago University, Dunedin, New Zealand (part- and full-time positions)
- **1994 1996 Laboratory administrator** Human Nutrition Department, Otago University, Dunedin, New Zealand

Advisory roles

- Scientific Strategy Board Member for Ochre-Bio (2022 ongoing)
- Scientific Advisory Board Member for Hoxton Farms (2021 2022)
- Scientific Advisory Board Member for ZOE (2018 2022)

Awards

- 2018 Starling Medal, Society of Endocrinology, UK.
- 2017 Cuthbertson Medal, Nutrition Society, UK
- 2012 Diabetes UK, conference grant
- 2010 Best presentation at The Rank Prize Funds symposia on Nutritional Biomarkers: Present Science and Future Opportunities
- 2010 The Association of Clinical Biochemists Professors' Prize in Clinical Biochemistry
- 2010 Keystone Symposia Scholarship
- 2006 Free Communications Prize Winner. H.E.A.R.T UK
- 2000 Emerging Speaker award, New Zealand Nutrition Society Conference
- 1996 The Muriel Bell Memorial Prize in Human Nutrition
- 1995 Marion Robinson Prize in Human Nutrition

Current/Recent Grants

2022-2025	BHF project grant	£223,135
	Low fat or low carbohydrate? A precision medicine approach to cardioprotective diets for	
	individuals genetically predisposed to dyslipidaemia. (Co-I)	
2022-2027	BHF Senior Research Fellowship in Basic Science (renewal)	£1,043,543
	compartmentalisation of liver lipid flux determines atherogenic lipoprotein production and ver fat accumulation: the relevance of dietary macronutrient composition. (PI)	
2021-2023	NIHR	£911,252
	fatting of donor transplant livers during normothermic perfusion – a pilot randomised	
	clinical trial. (Co-I)	
2019-2023	British Heart Foundation PG/19/43/34432	£167,770

Revealing the mechanisms by which milk sugars exaggerate postprandial lipaemia: Implications for cardiovascular disease risk (Co-I)

2018-2023 BBSRC £749,200 Strategic Programme in Food Innovation and Health. Quadram Institute Bioscience. Norwich. (Total award ca £6.8M) (Named HEI partner).

Publications (relevant examples from >120 publications) (

- Nagarajan SR, Livingstone EJ, Monfeuga T, Lewis LC, Ali SHL, Chandran A, Dearlove DJ, Neville MJ, Chen L, Maroteau C, Ruby MA, Hodson L. MLX plays a key role in lipid and glucose metabolism in humans: Evidence from in vitro and in vivo studies. Metabolism. 2023;144:155563.10.1016/j.metabol.2023.155563
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- Green, C.J., Pramfalk, C., Charlton, C.A., Gunn, P.J., Cornfield, T., Pavlides, M., Karpe, F., Hodson, L. Hepatic de novo lipogenesis is suppressed and fat oxidation is increased by omega-3 fatty acids at the expense of glucose metabolism. BMJ Open Diabetes Res Care 2020 8(1) 10.1136/bmjdrc-2019-000871
- Rosqvist, F., McNeil, C.A., Pramfalk, C., Parry, S.A., Low, W.S., Cornfield, T., Fielding, B.A., Hodson, L. Fasting hepatic de novo lipogenesis is not reliably assessed using circulating fatty acid markers. Am J Clin Nutr 2019 109(2): p. 260-268. 10.1093/ajcn/nqy304
- Luukkonen, P.K., Sadevirta, S., Zhou, Y., Kayser, B., Ali, A., Ahonen, L., Lallukka, S., Pelloux, V., Gaggini, M., Jian, C., Hakkarainen, A., Lundbom, N., Gylling, H., Salonen, A., Oresic, M., Hyotylainen, T., Orho-Melander, M., Rissanen, A., Gastaldelli, A., Clement, K., Hodson, L., Yki-Jarvinen, H. Saturated Fat Is More Metabolically Harmful for the Human Liver Than Unsaturated Fat or Simple Sugars. Diabetes Care 2018 41(8): p. 1732-1739. 10.2337/dc18-0071
- Pramfalk, C., Pavlides, M., Banerjee, R., McNeil, C.A., Neubauer, S., Karpe, F., **Hodson, L**. Fasting Plasma Insulin Concentrations Are Associated With Changes in Hepatic Fatty Acid Synthesis and Partitioning Prior to Changes in Liver Fat Content in Healthy Adults. Diabetes 2016 65(7): p. 1858-67. 10.2337/db16-0236. PMID: 27207513 DOI: 10.2337/db16-0236
- Hodson, L., McQuaid, S.E., Humphreys, S.M., Milne, R., Fielding, B.A., Frayn, K.N., Karpe, F. Greater dietary fat oxidation in obese compared with lean men: an adaptive mechanism to prevent liver fat accumulation? Am J Physiol Endocrinol Metab 2010 299(4): p. E584-92. 10.1152/ajpendo.00272.2010
- Hodson, L., McQuaid, S.E., Karpe, F., Frayn, K.N., Fielding, B.A. Differences in partitioning of meal fatty acids into blood lipid fractions: a comparison of linoleate, oleate, and palmitate. Am J Physiol Endocrinol Metab 2009 296(1): p. E64-71. 10.1152/ajpendo.90730.2008