



THE UNIVERSITY *of* EDINBURGH

College of Medicine and Veterinary Medicine

# Medical DETECTIVES

## From Bedside to Bench and Back Again



A series of four  
lectures in the  
Anatomy Lecture  
Theatre at the  
University of  
Edinburgh  
at 6pm

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A series of lectures, inspired by Sir Arthur Conan Doyle, will highlight the University of Edinburgh's internationally acclaimed medical research and show that keen detective work is still essential for 21st century doctors.

Conan Doyle drew inspiration for Sherlock Holmes when he was a medical student at Edinburgh and based his character on the Professor of Medicine Joseph Bell, who was known for his meticulous attention to detail.

The lectures will show that, just like Sherlock Holmes, today's medical sleuths must use powers of observation and deduction not only to make the right diagnosis but also to find new treatments.

Please join us for four stimulating evenings of medical sleuthing:

### 29 October

*Case book: Fighting Cancer with Killer Cells*

by Dorothy Crawford, Professor of Medical Microbiology and Assistant Principal for the Public Understanding of Medicine

### 5 November

*On the Cushing Case: A Tale Linked to Obesity*

by Jonathan Seckl, Moncrieff-Arnott Professor of Molecular Medicine

### 12 November

*A Study in Scarring: The Dark Side of Wound Repair*

by John Iredale, Professor of Medicine

### 19 November

*Hounds and the Cancer Genes: Cats and Dogs Providing Clues to Treating Human Cancer*

by David Argyle, William Dick Professor of Veterinary Clinical Studies