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Bernard Man Yung Cheung returned to Hong Kong in 2009. He was previously Professor of Clinical Pharmacology and Therapeutics at the University of Birmingham, and Honorary Consultant of the University Hospital Birmingham NHS Foundation Trust UK.

Prof Cheung's main research interest is in cardiovascular diseases and risk factors, such as hypertension and the metabolic syndrome. He works on vasoactive peptides such as adrenomedullin and urotensin II. As a clinical pharmacologist, he is also interested in clinical trials, meta-analysis, drug utilisation and medication safety.

Prof Cheung has authored well over 100 scientific articles, published in prestigious journals including the *New England Journal of Medicine*, *The Lancet*, *Journal of the American Medical Association*, *Hypertension and Diabetes Care*. He is a former Director of the Editorial Board of *Medical Progress*, the Chief Editor of the *Open Diabetes Journal*, and an Executive Editor of the *British Journal of Clinical Pharmacology*.

Prof Cheung is a member of many medical associations, and is a fellow of the Royal Colleges of Physicians of London and Edinburgh.

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