

Dr Noor Almaani
Assistant Professor of Dermatology

Qualifications

CCT (UK)	Certificate of Completion of Dermatology Training
MD (Research)	King's College- London
MRCP (Dermatology)	Royal College of Physicians- UK
DebRA fellowship	The Dystrophic Epidermolysis Bullosa Research Association Fellowship- London
MRCP (Medicine)	Royal College of Physicians- UK
Jordanian Board	Jordan Medical Council
MBBS	Faculty of Medicine, University of Jordan

Awards/Distinctions

The British Association of Dermatology Travel Award- AAD 2015
The Euroderm Excellence Travel Award, Rome Nov. 2013
Lead Dermatology Registrar, St John's Institute of Dermatology 2012-2013
The British Association of Dermatology Travel Award BSID Apr.2010
The British Society for Investigative Dermatology Travel Award, 2009
The St. John's Dermatological Society Registrar Prize 2008
The Michael Bestow Audit Prize Queen Elizabeth Hospital 2003

Current Employment

September 2015- Current
Assistant Professor Of Dermatology
Head Of The Dermatology Department
Jordan University Hospital
Amman, Jordan

Previous Employment

Consultant Dermatologist
The Private Clinic
Harley Street, London

Consultant Dermatologist
King Edward VII Hospital, Windsor

Honorary Consultant Dermatologist
St John's Institute of Dermatology
Guy's and St. Thomas' NHS Foundation Trust

Specialist Registrar in Dermatology
St. John's Institute of Dermatology
Guy's and St. Thomas' NHS Foundation Trust
Lewisham Hospital NHS Trust
South Thames Dermatology Training Rotation

Dermatology Clinical Research Fellow\ MD (research)
Dystrophic Epidermolysis Bullosa Research Association (DebRA) fellowship
Genetic Skin Disease Group, Department of Genetics and Molecular Medicine
King's College London & St. John's Institute of Dermatology
MD Project: Refining the genotype-phenotype correlation in epidermolysis bullosa.

Publications

1. Perry MEO, **Almaani N**, Desai N, Larbalestier N, Fox J, Chilton D. Raltegravir induced Drug Reaction with Eosinophilia and Systemic Symptoms (DRESS) syndrome – implications for clinical practice and patient safety. Accepted in the international journal of STD and AIDS Dec. 2012.
2. Al-Niaimi F, Beck M, **Almaani N**, Samarasinghe V, Williams J, Lyon C. The relevance of patch testing in peristomal dermatitis. *Br J Dermatol*. 2012 Jul;167(1):103-9.
3. Petrof G, **Almaani N**, Archer CB, Griffiths WA, Smith CH. A systematic review of the literature on the treatment of pityriasis rubra pilaris type 1 with TNF-antagonists. *J Eur Acad Dermatol Venereol*. 2012 Feb 10.
4. Lai-Cheong JE, Moss C, Parsons M, **Almaani N**, McGrath JA. Revertant Mosaicism in Kindler Syndrome. *J Invest Dermatol*. 2012 Mar;132(3 Pt 1):730-2.
5. Nagy N, **Almaani N**, Tanaka A, Lai-Cheong JE, Techanukul T, Mellerio JE, McGrath JA. Allogeneic fibroblast therapy in recessive dystrophic epidermolysis bullosa may induce mutant type VII collagen synthesis by keratinocytes through up-regulation of HB-EGF. *J Invest Dermatol*. 2011 Aug;131(8):1771-4.
6. Tey HL, Lee AD, **Almaani N**, McGrath JA, Mills KC, Yosipovitch G. Epidermolysis bullosa pruriginosa masquerading as psychogenic pruritus. *Arch Dermatol*. 2011 Aug;147(8):956-60.
7. **Almaani N**, Nikolettta Nagy, Lu Liu, Patricia D. C. Dopping-Hepenstal, Joey E. Lai-Cheong, Suzanne E. Clements, Tanasit Techanukul, Akio Tanaka, Jemima E. Mellerio and John A. McGrath. Revertant mosaicism in recessive dystrophic epidermolysis bullosa due to intragenic crossover in the COL7A1 gene. *J Invest Dermatol*. 2010 Jul;130(7):1937-40.
8. **Almaani N**, Liu L, Dopping-Hepenstal PJ, Lai-Cheong JE, Wong A, Nanda A, Moss C, Martínéz AE, Mellerio JE, McGrath JA. Identical glycine substitution mutations in type VII collagen may underlie both dominant and recessive forms of dystrophic epidermolysis bullosa. *Acta Derm Venereol*. 2011 May;91(3):262-6.
9. **Almaani N**, Robson A, Sarkany R, Griffiths WAD. Erythema gyratum repens in a patient with pityriasis rubra pilaris. *Clin Exp Dermatol*. 2011 Mar;36(2):161-4.
10. A Pérez, **N Almaani**, CM Stefanato, B Bhogal, RW Groves, JE Mellerio, JA McGrath. Bullous pemphigoid in a patient with non-Herlitz junctional epidermolysis bullosa. *Clin Exp Dermatol*. 2010 Dec;35(8):881-4.
11. Tanaka A, Lai-Cheong JE, van den Akker PC, Nagy N, Millington G, Diercks GF, van Voorst Vader PC, Clements SE, **Almaani N**, Techanukul T, Hide M, South AP, McGrath JA. The molecular skin pathology of familial primary localized cutaneous amyloidosis. *Exp Dermatol*. 2010;19:416-23.

12. **Almaani N** and Mellerio JE. Genitourinary tract involvement in epidermolysis bullosa. *Dermatol Clin.* 2010 28:343-6:
13. Abbott RA, Calonje E, **Almaani N**, Kulasegram R, McGibbon D. Widespread papules in a patient with HIV. *Clin Exp Dermatol.* 2010 Oct;35(7):801-2.
14. **Almaani N**, Liu L, Harrison N, Tanaka A, Lai-Cheong J, Mellerio JE, McGrath JA. New Glycine Substitution Mutations in Type VII Collagen Underlying Epidermolysis Bullosa Pruriginosa but the Phenotype is not Explained by a Common Polymorphism in the Matrix Metalloproteinase-1 Gene Promoter. *Acta Derm Venereol* 2009; 89: 6–11.
15. **Almaani N**, Liu L, Dopping-Hepenstal PJ, Lovell PA, Lai-Cheong JE, Graham RM, Mellerio JE, McGrath JA. Autosomal dominant junctional epidermolysis bullosa. *Br J Dermatol.* 2009;160(5):1094-7
16. **Almaani N**, L. Liu, A. Perez, A. Robson, J.E. Mellerio, J.A. McGrath. Epidermolysis bullosa pruriginosa in association with lichen planopilaris. *Clin Exp Dermatol.* 2009; 34:825-8.
17. Lai-Cheong JE, Parsons M, Tanaka A, Ussar S, South AP, Gomathy S, Mee JB, Barbaroux JB, Techanukul T, **Almaani N**, Clements SE, Hart IR, McGrath JA. Loss-of-function FERMT1 mutations in Kindler syndrome implicate a role for fermitin family homolog-1 in integrin activation. *Am J Pathol.* 2009 Oct;175(4):1431-41.
18. **Almaani N**, Chew A., Mellerio JA. Viral Warts: Review Article. *Prescriber* Nov. 2008; 46-50.

I had presentations at numerous international meetings including:

St. John's Dermatological Society Meeting, London
The Royal Society of Medicine Dermatology Meeting, London
The American Academy of Dermatology Meeting
The British Society of Paediatric Dermatology Meeting
The British Society of Investigative Dermatology Annual Meeting
The Society for Investigative Dermatology Meeting
The British Association of Dermatology Annual Meeting
The British Society for the Study of Vulval Disease Meeting

I have also taught on numerous dermatology courses and was a tutor on the Clinical Dermatology MSc Course, King's College London, as well as, internal examiner in the Objective Structured Clinical Examinations (OSCE), Part of the MBBS program at Guy's, King's and St Thomas' School of Medicine.