
David Annison, Honorary Treasurer



Job Title : Advanced Practice Physiotherapist - Upper Limb

Place of Work: The James Cook University Hospital Major Trauma Centre, Middlesbrough.

Background : David holds a Bachelor of Science in Sport and Exercise from The University of Leeds and Post Graduate qualifications in Physiotherapy; including a Master of Science from The University of Huddersfield. Following qualification David progressed in the NHS and soon became specialised in his chosen field of MSK.

Inspired by his 'ESP' mentor he began working for a Rugby Football League club. He has been on International pre-season tours, worked for Super League Rugby clubs, covered televised international games and spent some time with England RFL squads.

David then moved sports and spent a further six years working within the Football Premier League club. Whilst gaining practical rehabilitation and strength and conditioning skills David was given opportunities to learn from world renowned orthopaedic teams.

David now works as an APP within a large trauma and orthopaedic team at a major trauma centre in the North East. He specialises in the Upper Limb and is a member of BESS. He is looking forward to improving his knowledge and skills in Clinical Research and has a special interest in Diagnostic Ultrasound.

David enjoys the gym but also gets his fitness from running after his two year old !,

Why I joined the committee : Now is a great time to be an Advanced Practice Physiotherapist .It's a really exciting time to have a seat at the APPN table. I want to explore the scope of Advanced Practice Physiotherapists' practice and highlight their importance, value and impact in secondary care. I have a lot to learn from the wealth of experience on the committee but hopefully can give something back too.
