

Technical Review Panel Member

Curriculum Vitae

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Expertise: TB Expert

Qualifications

Qualification	Institution	Department	Year
Honorary	School of Public Health and Medicine	Centre for Infectious Disease	2016
Research	Faculty of Health Sciences, University	Epidemiology and Research	
Associate	of Cape Town, South Africa	(CIDER)	
Infectious	University of Colorado Health Science	School of Medicine,	2009
Diseases	Center, Denver, Colorado, USA	Division of Infectious	
Fellowship		Diseases	
Internal	University of Colorado Health Science	School of Medicine,	2007
Medicine	Center, Denver, Colorado, USA	Division of Internal	
Residency		Medicine	
Doctor of	University of Colorado Health Science	School of Medicine	2003
Medicine	Center, Denver, Colorado, USA		
Bachelor of	Stanford University, Palo Alto, Califor	Undergraduate Program in	1991
Arts,	USA and Stanford Overseas Program	Human Biology	
Human	Oxford University, Oxford, England	· ·	
Biology	_		

Employment History

Employer	Position	Place	Year
Desmond Tutu TB	Lead Physician, Output 1,	Stellenbosch University,	2019 –
Centre, Department	BENEFIT Kids Project	Cape Town, South	current
of Paediatrics		Africa	
Médecins Sans	Sub-Principal Investigator,	endTB trial site,	2019 –
Frontières, France	endTB Clinical Trial	Khayelitsha, Cape	present
		Town, South Africa	
USAID/Stop TB	Multi-Drug Resistant TB	Multi-country	2017 –
Partnership	Clinical Consultant		present

Médecins Sans	Medical Project Manager,	Khayelitsha, Cape	2011 –
Frontières, Belgium	Khayelitsha TB/HIV Project	Town, South Africa	2016
University of California, San Diego	Assistant Professor, Department of Medicine	University of California, San Diego, California, USA	2009 – 2011

Relevant Publications

- 1. **V Cox**, L McKenna, R Acquah, A Reuter, et al. *Clinical Perspectives on Treatment of Rifampicin-Resistant/Multidrug-Resistant Tuberculosis*. International Journal of Tuberculosis and Lung Disease, accepted June 2020, publication pending.
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- 5. **V Cox**, H Cox, M Pai, J Stillo, B Citro, G Brigden. *Health care gaps in the global burden of drug resistant tuberculosis*. International Journal of Tuberculosis and Lung Disease State of the Art Series, February 2019.
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- 11.J Furin, E Lessem, **V Cox**. Recommending prolonged bedaquiline use for the treatment of highly resistant strains of tuberculosis. *European Respiratory Journal*, August 2017.
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- Resistant tuberculosis? A non-randomized comparison in a high HIV-prevalence setting. PLoS ONE, June 2017.
- 13. R Cariem, **V Cox**, V Azevedo, J Hughes, E Mohr, L Trivino Duran, N Ndjeka, J Furin. *The Experience of Bedaquiline Implementation at a Decentralized Clinic in South Africa*. Public Health Action, July 2016.
- 14. J Sharp, L Wilkinson, **V Cox**, C Cragg, G van Cutsem, A Grimsrud. *Outcomes of Patients Enrolled in Antiretroviral Therapy Adherence Clubs after Viral Re-Suppression*. JIAS, July 2016.
- 15. G Perez, V Cox, T Ellman, A Moore, G Patten, A Shroufi, K Stinson, G van Cutsem, M Ibeto. 'I know that I do have HIV but nobody saw me': oral HIV self-testing in an informal settlement in South Africa. PLoS ONE, April 2016.
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- 19. J Bernheimer, G Patten, T Makeleni, N Mantangana, N Dumile, E Goemare, V Cox. Paediatric HIV Treatment Failure: A Silent Epidemic. JIAS, June 2015.
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