

Dr Andrew Waddell, FRQA

Director

Andrew Waddell has more than thirty years' auditing experience to GLP, GCP, GMP, ISO9001, ISO17025, ISO14155 and related standards.

From 1980 to 1998 he was Head of Quality and Training at Inveresk Research International where he was responsible for introducing and developing their GLP, GCP, GMP and ISO9001 systems. He also worked with the OECD in drafting the original Principles of Good Laboratory Practice. He is currently the Managing Director of a QA Consultancy Organisation that specialises in provision of audit and training services. Before joining Inveresk Research Andrew taught and researched in Pathology in the University of Edinburgh's Medical School (where he was a member of the team that performed the early work on apoptosis) and was the government's Professional Adviser in Health Education for Scotland.

He is also known to a wider audience as a former international football referee. In 2007 he was appointed to the Council of the Scottish Football Association and to its Professional Game Board in 2013.

A regular lecturer in Europe, Japan and the USA, he has wide experience of working with government and industry bodies and was an adviser to the OECD during the development of the original OECD Principles of Good Laboratory Practice. He is a Senior Member of the American Society of Quality, a member of the Board of the Scottish Lifesciences Association and a former Director and Chairman of the Research Quality Association from which he received their annual Award in 2006 for extended, outstanding services.