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**1-2 pm**

**Lecture Theatre, Richard Doll Bldg, Old Road Campus**

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## Professor Clive Osmond

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Professor Clive Osmond is Medical Research Council Senior Scientist and Professor of Biostatistics at the University of Southampton, and holds posts as visiting professor at the University of the West Indies and adjunct professor at Florida State University. After training in mathematics at the Universities of Cambridge and Bath, Professor Osmond joined the MRC Environmental Epidemiology Unit of the University of Southampton and since 1984 has worked, often with Professor David Barker, on human epidemiological studies that have underpinned the “Developmental Origins of Health and Disease” hypothesis. Professor Osmond’s work involves studying the extent to which health and disease in adult life are associated with growth trajectories early in life through international collaborations with researchers in Finland, the Netherlands, India and Jamaica, studying people whose early growth and development were recorded in detail some time ago, and relating their early experience to well-being later in life.