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Professor Jon Stone is Professor of Neurology at the University of Edinburgh and Consultant Neurologist with NHS Lothian.

Jon was a medical student in Edinburgh before working in Oxford, Leeds and Newcastle and then returning to Scotland. Since 1999 Jon has promoted a new transparent, pragmatic and multidisciplinary approach to FND which had been a neglected and stigmatised problem.

In 2009 he made the first website (and now app) for patients with FND at www.neurosymptoms.org which is now widely used across the world. He has published over 300 articles in the area including large cohort, mechanism and treatment studies. and led on new diagnostic

criteria for FND in DSM-5 and ICD-11. He is the first Secretary and cofounder of the new international FND society (www.fndsociety.org).

His awards include the Jean Hunter prize from the Royal College of Physicians (2014), Royal College of Psychiatry President's Medal (2017), the Ted Burns Humanism in Neurology Award from the American Brain Foundation (2020) and the John Walton Lecture Award from the Association of British Neurologists (2022).

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