

Professor David Rogers

Curriculum Vitae

CURRENT WORK:

Self-employed consultant. Preparation of reports on all aspects of aquatic biology including fisheries, fish farming, water quality, pollution and conservation. Trained in presentation of Civil Procedure Rules compliant expert opinion & familiar with procedures of Alternative Dispute Resolution. Experience as Single Joint Expert & negotiator; 25 years experience in this field.

Company website: <http://website.lineone.net/~d-rogers/>

University website: <http://www.derby.ac.uk/staff-search/professor-david-rogers>

ACADEMIC:

2004	University of Derby	Professor of Freshwater Biology
2002	University of Derby	Visiting Fellowship
1997	University of Nottingham	Ph.D. Zoology
1977	University of London	M.Sc. in Applied Hydrobiology
1976	University of Reading	B.Sc. (Hons) in Applied Zoology with Agriculture

CAREER:

1987-	David Rogers Associates, Aquatic Biological Consultants. This is a specialist consultancy in Biological Research and Development, Surveys and Fish Farming. Regularly contracted to Universities, Government and its Agencies since 1991 – many reports and publication; specialist expert witness and crayfish publications reports listed below.
1980-87	Company Manager, Kingsmead Fish Farms Limited, Ready Mixed Concrete plc, High Street, Feltham, Middlesex. Kingsmead was the largest commercial fish farming enterprise in the Thames Valley, operating three farms, three trout fisheries and four retail shops, with a staff of 26. I started on site with 2 workers and eventually built up the company and took responsibility for all aspects.
1978-79	Invertebrate Specialist, River Nene Biological Survey Team, Nature Conservancy Council, Huntingdon, Cambridgeshire.
1977-78	Biologist, Central Water Planning Unit (now Defra), Reading, Berkshire.
1975	Research Assistant to the Freshwater Biology Group, University of Reading, Berkshire.

MEMBERSHIP OF PROFESSIONAL BODIES:

Chartered Environmentalist
British Institute of Agricultural Consultants Fellow.
Lead Partner for UK Biodiversity Action Plan for native crayfish Steering Group
British Trout Association; Associate Member.
The Institute of Fisheries Management; Member.
National Farmers Union, Former Committee Member Specialist Fish Farming Section.
Peak District National Park Biodiversity Action Plan Steering Member
Academy of Experts; Practising Member, listed in Law Society Directory of Expert Witnesses.

VOLUNTARY

- Reviewer of manuscripts for the following journals: Diseases of Aquatic Organisms, Aquaculture, International Association of Astacology, International Journal of Biodiversity, Journal of Fish Diseases.
- Presentation to Chinese Agriculture Delegation at British Expertise, 1 Westminster Palace Gardens, Artillery Row, London (2007)
- Lead Partner for the white-clawed crayfish UKBAP Steering Group (2004- 2010)
- International Association of Astacology, President 1998-2000
- Joint organiser of “The 15th Symposium of the International Association of Astacology”. One hundred and thirty delegates from 23 countries, 5-day conference at the Zoological Society and Linnaean Society, London (2004)
- Report on Aquaculture in Hanshan and Wuwei Counties, Anhui Province, China. British Executive Services Overseas.
- Report on angling & fish farming in Malawi. British Executive Services Overseas .

SELECTED EXPERT WITNESS REPORTS

- Rogers D (2011) Expert Witness. Quantum assessment: Fish farm slurry pollution incident losses.
- Rogers D (2011) Single Joint Expert. Valuation of koi fish farm:
- Rogers D (2010) Expert investigation and report: Loss of earnings from fishing industry in Grimsby.
- Rogers D. (2009) Expert investigation & report on Oil Pollution Incident losses. Lunnon Investments –v- Hall Fuels Ltd.
- Rogers D (2008) Expert investigation and report: Angling Association claim for damages arising from bank protection works by Network Rail and May Gurney. Beachcroft Solicitors, Bristol.
- Rogers D (2007) Expert report; Effluent from Sciantec Analytical Services Ltd at Stockbridge Technology Centre.
- Rogers D (2007) Negotiation of closure agreement for fish farming within Special Area of Conservation. Natural England.
- Rogers D (2006) Loss of income from fishing grounds and fish market. Corrib Gas Find Co, Mayo, Ireland.
- Rogers D. (2005) Single Joint Expert: Fish Mortalities at Woodlands View. Hulme and Co, Worcester, Whitehead Monckton, Kent & Carylson and Son, Cornwall
- Rogers D (2004) Expert witness. Quantum; Amenity loss to Angling Club. Morgan Cole Solicitors.
- Rogers D (2003) Single Joint Expert. Fish veterinary services provided and reasonableness of fees. Leigh Williams Solicitors and Forsters Solicitors.
- Rogers D (2003) Expert witness, Warrington Anglers-v-Stubbs, Loss of fish and angling amenity. Chapman & Co.
- Rogers D (2003) Expert on Fisheries for Winchester City Council at Public Inquiry.
- Rogers D. (2001) Expert witness report regarding fish mortality due to Aluminium poisoning.
- Rogers D. (2001) Crayfish plague issues arising during fish transfer. Report for the Environment Agency
- Rogers D. (2001) Expert witness report on fish vaccination procedures. Allan McDougall & Co S.S.C.
- Rogers D. (2000) Claim and expert witness report on losses arising from sewage pollution. Kingennie Fishings, Dundee.
- Rogers D. (2000) Expert report on pollution incident at Driffield WwTW. Yorkshire Water Services Ltd.
- Rogers.D. (2000) Expert witness report on losses due to Carp Herpes Disease, CGU Insurance.
- Rogers.D. (2000) Quantum: losses due to oil pollution. Kinnaird Trout Farm, Dundee.
- Rogers D. (1999) Expert witness report regarding fish (sea bass and sea bream) storm losses to Lera Gojenje RIB d.o.o. Slovenia.