

# Robert Hudson

<b>Name</b>	<b>Robert Hudson (deceased)</b>
<b>Professional Occupation</b>	Former Chairman of the History of Medicine Department
<b>Institution</b>	University of Kansas
<b>Website</b>	<a href="http://www.kumc.edu/school-of-medicine/history-and-philosophy-of-medicine/about-us.html">http://www.kumc.edu/school-of-medicine/history-and-philosophy-of-medicine/about-us.html</a>
<b>Short Description</b>	Professor Hudson was chairman of the History of Medicine Department at the University of Kansas from 1966 to 1994. Hudson participated in only one tobacco-related trial. He was contacted by John Burnham, another expert witness for the tobacco companies. <sup>1</sup> Hudson made around \$92,000 for his tobacco-related work in litigation. <sup>2</sup>
<b>Education</b>	Ph.D.
<b>Major Fields</b>	History of medicine
<b>Major Publications</b>	Disease and Its Control: The Shaping of Modern Thought (1987)
<b>Number of Cases</b>	1

<b>Case<sup>3</sup></b>	<b>Year</b>	<b>Manner of Involvement</b>
1. Allgood v. R.J. Reynolds	1994	Deposition

<sup>1</sup> Proctor, Robert. 2006. 'Everyone Knew But No One Had Proof': Tobacco Industry Use of Medical History Expertise in US courts, 1990-2002. *Tobacco Control* 15, 121.

<sup>2</sup> Deposition of Robert Hudson, M.D., Ph.D., March 14, 1994, *Allgood v. R.J. Reynolds*, 14/03/1994. LTDL. Bates Number: HUDSONR031494. <http://legacy.library.ucsf.edu/tid/obr07a00>. 31 Oct 2014, 136-137.

<sup>3</sup> Information on the cases is based on Proctor, Robert. 2012. *Golden Holocaust: Origins of the Cigarette Catastrophe and the Case for Abolition*. Berkeley: University of California Press, 461. & The following online databases: <http://legacy.library.ucsf.edu>. <http://tobaccodocuments.org>. <http://lawschool.courtroomview.com/experts>. & Westlaw.