

# British Pharmacopoeia 2010

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## Setting the standard for compliance across the globe

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**Richard Flynn**

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### **Andrew J. Hutt**

*Professor & Head of Pharmaceutical Chemistry,  
School of Pharmacy, University of Hertfordshire,  
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