

Mohammed Umer 1959-2011

## To Mohammed's family and close colleagues

It is with great sadness that we have heard that Dr. Mohammed Umer has passed away last Sunday. Mohammed was a member of our Scientific Steering Committee since 2006. He was a dedicated, inspiring and internationally recognized researcher and an ambassador for African science and for PAGES. Beyond his scholarly legacy, we will remember Mohammed as a respectful, gentle, and friendly colleague with a wholeheartedly positive attitude. We will miss him as an esteemed colleague and many of us also as a dear friend.

The present and past members of the PAGES Scientific Steering Committee and International Program Office, on behalf of the worldwide PAGES community, express their deep and sincere condolences to Mohammed's family and colleagues.

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