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Fiona Marshall serves as Vice President, Head of Neuroscience Discovery and Head of Discovery Research in London, focused on research into diseases of aging.

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Fiona won the 2012 WISE Women of Outstanding Achievement for Innovation and Entrepreneurship and the 2015 RSC Malcolm Campbell Award for chemistry. She is a Fellow of the Academy of Medical Sciences, Honorary Fellow of the British Pharmacological Society and Honorary Fellow of the Royal Society of Chemistry.

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