

**Sir Edward Sharpey-Schafer**  
Founder of Experimental Physiology  
Professor of Physiology  
Edinburgh University

- 1850 Born Hornsey, north London
- 1860s Attended Clewer House School, Windsor
- 1868 Student at University College London while living with his parents in Highgate
- 1874 Assistant Professor at University College
- 1876 Attended foundation discussion and inaugural meeting of The Physiological Society
- 1878 Lived in Borehamwood, Elstree
- 1883 Jodrell Professor of Physiology at University College  
Lived at Croxley Green, Watford
- 1899 Professor of Physiology at Edinburgh University
- 1902 Moved to North Berwick
- 1908 Founded the *Quarterly Journal of Experimental Physiology*
- 1913 Received a knighthood
- 1914–18 Deaths of three of his four children
- 1933 Retired
- 1935 Died 29 March (obituary *Exp Physiol* 25, 99–104)
- 1980 *Quarterly Journal of Experimental Physiology* acquired by The Physiological Society
- 1990 Title shorted to *Experimental Physiology*

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