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Licenses/Certifications

Pennsylvania Medical Board - Medical Physician and Surgeon
Louisiana State Board of Medical Examiners – Physician
Medical Board of California - Physician and Surgeon
State Medical Board of Ohio - Physician

Employment Experience/ Post Graduate Education and Training

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| California Aesthetic Center, Huntington Beach, CA Plastic Surgeon | April 2023 – Present |
| Sono Bello, Beverly Hills, CA Plastic Surgeon | Mar 2023 – June 2023 |
| Private Practice, New Orleans, LA Plastic Surgeon | July 2022 – Jan 2023 |
| Tulane Medical Center, New Orleans, LA Plastic Surgery Fellow | July 2019 – June 2022 |
| The Wall Center for Plastic Surgery, Shreveport, LA Observership | August 2021 |
| The Center for Restorative Breast Surgery, New Orleans, LA Observership | May 2020 |
| Temple University, Philadelphia, PA Plastic Surgery Elective Rotation | Nov 2017 – Dec 2017 |
| University of Texas Southwestern, Dallas, TX Plastic Surgery Elective Rotation | April 2017 |
| Conemaugh Memorial Medical Center, Johnstown, PA General Surgery Resident | June 2013 – June 2019 |

Education

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| Ross University School of Medicine, Portsmouth, Dominica, West Indies Doctor of Medicine - Honors | Jan 2009 – Sep 2012 |
| Columbia College, Columbia, MO Bachelor of Art, Business Administration 3.8 GPA, Dean's List – 4 semesters | Jan 2004 – Dec 2005 |

Achievements and Honors

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| 8th Annual Oncologic and Reconstructive Microsurgery Course – Nashville, TN | Dec 2021 |
| AOCMF Management of Facial Trauma Course – Herndon, VA | April 2019 |
| Best Senior Resident ABSITE Score 2016-2017 – Conemaugh Memorial Medical Center | June 2017 |
| Intern of the Year 2013-2014 – Conemaugh Memorial Medical Center | June 2014 |
| Best Junior Resident ABSITE Score 2013-2014 – Conemaugh Memorial Medical Center | June 2014 |
| Ear Nose and Throat Subspecialty School Certificate | June 2002 |
| Surgical Technologist School Certificate of Completion | Feb 2002 |
| Naval Field Medical Service Technician School Certificate of Completion | May 2001 |
| Naval Hospital Corpsman School Certificate of Completion | Feb 2001 |

Military Awards

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| Navy and Marine Corps Achievement Medal (Second Award) | 2006 |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Meticulous management of clinic operating budget resulting in cost-savings of \$25,000, increasing clinical efficiency and productivity to accommodate 3 ENT surgeons and their patient load. | |
| Navy and Marine Corps Achievement Medal (First Award) | 2003 |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Invaluable role in the rapid transformation of “Shock Trauma Platoon” into a cohesive combat emergency resuscitative medical unit providing sole support for initial breach of US forces into Iraq. | |

Publications

Co-Investigator

“Lower Extremity Salvage in a Diabetic Patient With Cutaneous Mucormycosis and COVID-19 After Open Patella Fracture”

- Published Case Report in *Ochsner J* 2022 Summer;22(2):163-168. doi: 10.31486/toj.21.0099. PMID: 35756595; PMCID: PMC9196960.

Co-Investigator

“A preoperative protocol to reduce SSI rates in elective neurosurgical procedures”

- Accepted for publication in *World Neurosurgery* 2022 Jun 6:S1878-8750(22)00785-9. doi: 10.1016/j.wneu.2022.06.002. Epub ahead of print. PMID: 35680085.

Co-Investigator

“Benefit of Continued Noninvasive Cardiac Monitoring in Geriatric Trauma: A Retrospective Review of Geriatric Pelvis, Hip, and Femur Fractures and Analysis of Cardiac Events during Immediate Post Traumatic Course”

- Poster presentation at 2017 Trauma Quality Improvement Program Annual Scientific Meeting and Training
- Published Research Article in *SAGE Open Medicine* 2021 Oct 20;9:20503121211047379. doi: 10.1177/20503121211047379. PMID: 34691468; PMCID: PMC8532202.

Co-Investigator

“A Propeller Perforator Flap in the Distal Lower Extremity: An Alternative to Free Flap Coverage Near the Ankle”

- Published Case Report in *Cureus* 2021 Jun 6;13(6):e15476. doi: 10.7759/cureus.15476. PMID: 34262814; PMCID: PMC8260209.

Co-Investigator

“A Multidisciplinary Approach to Penetrating Neck Trauma in a Patient with Self-Inflicted Gunshot Injuries to Zones 1-3 of the Neck”

- Poster presentation at Southeastern Surgical Congress 2019 Annual Scientific Meeting
- Published Research Article in *American Surgeon* 2020 Dec 30;3134820973357

Principal Investigator

“Missed Hand Fractures in Polytrauma at a Rural Level 1 Trauma Center. What is the Pattern?”

- Poster presentation at Southeastern Surgical Congress 2019 Annual Scientific Meeting
- Published Research Article in *OSP Journal of Surgery* 2020 Mar 20;1(1):105

Principle Investigator

“Persistent Median Artery Compression Syndrome”

- Poster presentation at Southeastern Surgical Congress 2019 Annual Scientific Meeting
- Published Research Article in *OSP Journal of Surgery* 2019 Oct 30;1(1):105

Principle Investigator

“A prospective study of perioperative complications and postoperative success of carpal release with and without the use of a tourniquet”

- Poster presentation at Southeastern Surgical Congress 2019 Annual Scientific Meeting
- Published Research Article in *OSP Journal of Surgery* 2020 Mar 10;1(1):103

Principle Investigator

“Resident Implementation of an Enhanced Recovery Pathway for Colorectal Surgery in a Rural Community”

- Podium presentation at 2018 13th Annual American Surgical Congress
- Published Research Article in *American Surgeon* 2019 Dec 1;85(12):e593-e595. PubMed PMID: 31908238

Co-Investigator

“Exuberant Ductolobular Hyperplasia as the Primary Histological Finding in a Patient with Idiopathic Gigantomastia”

- Poster presentation at Southeastern Surgical Congress 2019 Annual Scientific Meeting
- Published Research Article in *American Surgeon* 2019 Sep 1;85(9):e481-e482. PubMed PMID: 31638546

Co-Investigator

“Traumatic Blunt Rupture of Pulmonary Artery”

- Poster presentation at Southeastern Surgical Congress 2019 Annual Scientific Meeting
- Published Research Article in *American Surgeon* 2019 Sep 1;85(9):e449-e451. PubMed PMID: 31638534

Co-Investigator

“Norwegian Scabies management after prolonged disease course: A case report”

- Published Research Article in *International Journal of Surgery Case Reports* 2019;61:180-183. doi: 10.1016/j.ijscr.2019.07.025. Epub 2019 Jul 23. PubMed PMID: 31376739

Principle Investigator

“Successful Management of Ludwig's Angina Only to Encounter Perforated Viscus during Recovery”

- Poster presentation at Southeastern Surgical Congress 2018 Annual Scientific Meeting
- Published Research Article in *American Surgeon* 2018 Sep 1;84(9):e381-e382. PubMed PMID: 30454505.

Principle Investigator

“Mucinous Eccrine Carcinoma of the Sweat Glands: Characteristics, Treatment, and Survival Outcomes of a Rare Malignancy”

- Poster presentation at Southeastern Surgical Congress 2018 Annual Scientific Meeting
- Published Research Article in *American Surgeon* 2018 Aug 1;84(8):e307-e308. PubMed PMID: 30454458.

Principle Investigator

“Using ROTEM to Evaluate the Relationship between Obesity and Hypercoagulability. Are we doing enough?”

- Podium presentation at SAGES 2018 Annual Meeting and World Congress of Endoscopic Surgery
- Published Podium Abstract in *Surgical Endoscopy* 2018 Apr;32(Suppl 1):1-44. doi:10.1007/s00464-018-6119-y. PubMed PMID: 29532223.

Principle Investigator

“Preoperative Decolonization to Reduce Infections in Urgent Lower Extremity Repairs”

- Podium presentation at 2017 12th Annual American Surgical Congress
- Podium presentation at 2017 Trauma Quality Improvement Program Annual Scientific Meeting and Training
- Published Original Research in *European Journal Trauma and Emergency Surgery* 2018 Jan 6. doi: 10.1007/s00068-017-0896-1. PubMed PMID: 29306970

Principal Investigator

“Retrievable inferior vena cava filters in geriatric trauma: Is there an age bias?”

- Podium presentation at 2015 19th Annual Pennsylvania Committee on Trauma/Pennsylvania Trauma Systems Foundation Fall Conference and Meeting
- Published Original Research in *Injury* 2017 Jan;48(1):148-152. doi: 10.1016/j.injury.2016.07.008

Co-Investigator

“Activation of Latent Lyme Disease after Epidural Steroid Injection (ESI)”

- Published Case report in *Practical Pain Management* Volume 12, Issue #11, December 2012

Research and Presentations**Principle Investigator**

Feb 2022

“CSF Breast Pseudocyst Etiology and Prevention Strategies: Review of the Literature”

- Presentation at 7th Mountain West Society of Plastic Surgeons 2022 Annual Meeting

Principle Investigator

Jan 2018

“Integra® and split thickness skin graft reconstruction of chronic wound secondary to post breast radiation burn injury”

- Accepted for Podium presentation to 40th Annual John A. Boswick Maui Symposium

Principle Investigator

Jan 2018

“Investigating Prevalence of Staphylococcus Aureus Nasal Colonization and Efficacy of Preoperative Povidone-Iodine Skin and Nasal Antiseptic”

- Podium presentation at 2018 13th Annual American Surgical Congress

Principal Investigator

April 2015

“Evaluation and Management of Metacarpal and Phalanx Fractures at a Community Hospital”

- Podium presentation at 2015 19th Annual Pennsylvania Committee on Trauma/Pennsylvania Trauma Systems Foundation Fall Conference and Meeting
- Podium presentation at 2017 12th Annual American Surgical Congress

“NK Cell-mediated Cytotoxicity”, Ross University Pathology Conference, Freeport, Bahamas

March 2010

- 4th annual Ross University Pathology Conference

“Neuroendocrine Tumors”, Ross University Pathology Conference, Freeport, Bahamas

Feb 2010

- 3rd annual Ross University Pathology Conference

Military Service

US Navy Reserve Feb 2007 – Nov 2008
Field Medical Service Tech – Fox Battery, 2nd Battalion, 14th Marines, Midwest City, OK

- Provided health and medical readiness for 130 Marines and Sailors in preparation for the deployment of two truck platoons in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom

US Navy Aug 2000 – Jan 2006
Surgical Technologist/Medical Assistant/Hospital Corpsman – Naval Hospital Jacksonville, FL
Field Medical Service Tech – Iraq

Other Work Experience

Wright Career College, Oklahoma City, OK Nov 2012 – June 2013
Biology Instructor

- Prepared and presented course materials and lessons. Sustained an effective learning environment through instruction, relevant assignments, fair and holistic learning

Oklahoma City Community College, Oklahoma City, OK Jan 2008 – Dec 2008
Physical Science Tutor

- Assisted students with lecture and laboratory material in Chemistry and Physics

US Navy Reserve Training Center, Midwest City, OK Feb 2007 – Nov 2008
Field Medical Service Tech

- Ensured all Marines were medically ready for deployment
- Acted as first responder during training exercises

Integrus Baptist Medical Center, Oklahoma City, OK Jan 2007 – June 2007
Surgical Technologist

- Maintained a safe environment in the operating room, ensured equipment functioned properly and that the procedures were conducted to maximize patient safety

Dell Inc, Oklahoma City, OK March 2006 – Jan 2007
Relationship Sales Representative

- Managed IT sales accounts for 200 small and medium sized businesses

US Navy Aug 2000 – Jan 2006
Surgical Technologist/Medical Assistant/Hospital Corpsman – Naval Hospital Jacksonville, FL

- Assisted in the operating room during surgical procedures and in the ENT clinic for pre and post op patients. Held multiple roles including operating room coordinator, supply officer and safety officer

Field Medical Service Tech – Iraq

- As part of a field surgical unit, provided medical support in the first ever Shock Trauma Platoon to be deployed into combat during Operation Iraqi Freedom

Staffing Partners San Diego, CA Sep 2001 – April 2002
Nursing Assistant

- Documented and reported patient activities, vital signs and clinical & treatment information

Volunteer Work

Johnstown Free Medical Clinic, Johnstown, PA June 2017
Medical Provider

- Support the volunteer primary care physician in diagnosing and managing a variety of medical conditions for the uninsured and low-income patients in the community

The Paul Chester Children's Hope Foundation, Costa Rica

Nov 2015

First Assistant

- Delivering aid to developing countries in the field of reconstructive surgeries with maximum social impact, under direct supervision of board certified plastic surgeon

Hospital Ruben Lenero, Mexico City

May 2015

First Assistant

- Assisted surgeons and nurses at a urban hospital with limited resources covering an impoverished area in the heart of Mexico City

Moore, OK

May 2013

Volunteer Member

- Coordinated and participated in relief efforts for victims of the EF5 2013 Tornado that destroyed many parts of Moore, OK. Including raising money for food and water and aftermath clean-up.

Sunshine Gospel Ministries, Chicago, IL

Feb 2011 – Feb 2012

Youth Tutor and Mentor

- Member of the youth outreach program providing students with constructive activities after school and during weekends.