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Work

**IU Health Physicians/Indiana University School of Medicine, Indianapolis, IN 09/2018-Present**

* Attending Anesthesiologist; Assistant Professor
* ABA Board Certification
* Fellowship Program Director: Regional Anesthesia and Acute Pain Management
* Course Director for Anesthesia Advanced Clinical Elective: IUSM
* Residency Selection Committee
* Clinical Competency Committee for the IUSM Residency
	+ Professional Subcommittee for the Clinical Competency Committee for the IUSM Residency

**Harbor-UCLA Medical Center, Los Angeles, CA 08/2017-07/2018**

* Per diem hospital staff providing independent anesthesia services
* Wide array of cases including but not limited to level 1 trauma surgery, neurosurgery, thoracic surgery and obstetric care

**New Directxone, Greenwood, IN 02/2015-06/2017**

* Suboxone- Narcotic Addiction Clinic

Education

**Harbor-UCLA Medical Center, Los Angeles, CA, Fellowship 08/2017-07/2018**

* Acute Pain Management and Regional Anesthesia Fellowship

**Indiana University, Anesthesiology Residency 07/2014-06/2017**

* Indiana University Hospital, Eskenazi Hospital, Riley Pediatric Hospital, Richard Roudebush VA Medical Center, Indiana University Methodist Hospital; Indianapolis, IN

**Wayne State University, Transitional Year Residency 07/2013-06/2014**

* Crittenton Hospital, Rochester Hills, MI; John D. Dingell VA Medical Center, Detroit, MI

**St. George’s University, Sch. Of Med., Newcastle, UK/ Grenada, West Indies 08/2009-05/2013**

* Keith B. Taylor Global Scholars Program
* Doctorate Of Medicine
* USMLE Step 1 score: 247; Step 2 CS: Pass; Step 2 CK Score: 250; Step 3 Score: 210
* Clinical rotations completed at King’s County Hospital and Brooklyn Hospital, Brooklyn, New York

**University of Arizona, Tucson, AZ 08/2003-05/2007**

* Bachelor of Science - Major: Biology, Minor: Chemistry
* Dean’s List (2006-07), Graduation Cum Laude (2007)

Research Experience

**Harbor-UCLA – Research Project 08/2017-07/2018**

* Does the addition of an adductor canal peri-neural catheter to a peri-articular joint injection in a primary total knee arthroplasty reduce opiate consumption? American Society of Regional Anesthesia and Pain Medicine; 2018 World Congress on Regional Anesthesia and Pain Medicine; Moderated Poster Presentation
* The use of regional anesthesia to decrease the incidence of post mastectomy pain syndrome in patients who undergo lumpectomy for breast cancer. Active Research Currently Underway

**University of Arizona Department of Chemistry – Research Project 08/2005-05/2009**

* Fabricated nanoparticle diffraction gratings used in organic light emitting diode (OLED) and organic photovoltaic (OPV) biological sensing applications.
* Co-authored paper on “Efficient CdSe nanocrystal diffraction gratings prepared by microcontact molding”. *ACS nano*, *3*(11), 3629-3637 (2009)
* Authored posters and presented at the Material Research Society conference (San Francisco, CA; 2008) and the American Chemical Society conference (Tucson, AZ; 2006)
* Prepared presentations for undergraduate students at Norfolk State University in Virginia (2007) and University of New Mexico (2009) for the National Science Foundation

**Southern Arizona Veteran Affairs Hospital; Clinical Research 08/2006-01/2007**

* Actively involved in clinical gastrointestinal research trial: Patient Enrollment and Data Collection
* Created poster presentation on the efficacy of different methods in the treatment of GERD

Medical Experiences/Teaching

**Local Anesthetic Systemic Toxicity 10/2017**

* Grand rounds departmental lecture discussing the diagnosis and treatment of local anesthetic systemic toxicity.

**Right Atrial Mass 04/2017**

* Midwest Anesthesia Residents Conference, Chicago, Illinois
* Case presentation on the unique anesthetic considerations for a patient with an intracardiac mass.

**GSW Involving the Airway 04/2016**

* Midwest Anesthesia Residents Conference, Minneapolis, Minnesota
* Case presentation on a gunshot wound to the airway in a pediatric patient and the ASA guidelines for unique situations involving the airway in the trauma victim.

**Neuraxial Implants and the Anesthetic Implications 08/2015**

* Grand rounds departmental lecture discussing the different implantable neuraxial devices as a multi-modal approach to pain management and the anesthetic implications associated with them.

**The Brooklyn Hospital Center 06/2012-04/2013**

* Exploring the efficacy of a dual family medicine/psychiatry clinic to assess the success in patients with dual diagnoses while establishing standards within the family medicine residency department.

**St. George’s University SOM; Dept. of Educational Services Teaching Fellow 01/2010 – 5/2010**

* Prepared and conducted weekly review classes for students in biochemistry and histology

Organizations/CERTIFICATIONS

**American Board of Anesthesiology 04/2018-Present**

* Certificate: 58330; Expiration: 12/31/2028

**American Society of Regional Anesthesia; Member 08/2017-Present**

**American Medical Association; Member 08/2017-Present**

**American Society of Anesthesiologists; Member 02/2012-Present**

**Iota Epsilon Alpha:** International Medical Honor Society **08/2011-06/2013**

**Big Brothers Big Sisters of America; Big Brother Volunteer 09/2007-Present**

* Established a strong relationship with my “little brother” by providing emotional support while being the only positive male influence in his life

**State and National Emergency Medical Technician Certification 08/2007-05/2008**

* Certified in January 2008; Responsible for proctoring the certification exam in the summer of 2008