CURRICULUM VITAE

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EDUCATION

1968-1972	University of Miami, Coral Gables, FL	B.S.	
1972-1974	University of Texas Graduate School of		
	Biomedical Sciences at Houston, Tx.		M.S. (Virology)
1974-1978	University of Texas Medical School, San Antonio	M.D.	

HOSPITAL TRAINING

1978-1979	Montefiore Hospital, Bronx, New York	Medicine Intern
1979-1982	Bronx Municipal Hospital Center, Bronx, NY	Neurology Resident
1982-1983	Albert Einstein College of Medicine, Bronx, NY	Fellow, Neurology

LICENSURE

1979	New York	140361	(Active)
1984	New Jersey	MA44787	(Inactive)
1992	Arizona	20709	(Inactive)
2002	California	C 50803	(Active)

BOARD CERTIFICATION

1985	Diplomate (Neurology), American Board of Psychiatry & Neurology
1992	Certified, American Society of Neurorehabilitation; re-certified, 1997, 2002

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

10/12-present	Professor of Clinical Neurology UCLA
7/07-9/12	Clinical Professor of Neurology, UCLA
9/02-present	Medical Director, MS Achievement Center, UCLA
7/02-present	Clinical Director, MS Program, UCLA
7/02-6/07	Associate Clinical Professor of Neurology, UCLA
4/98-6/02	Medical Director for Neurology, Arizona Telemedicine Program
2/93-6/02	Associate Professor of Clinical Neurology, AHSC, Tucson
12/91-6/95	Medical Director, Rehabilitation Institute of Tucson
1/92-1/93	Clinical Lecturer in Neurology, AHSC, Tucson
1988-1991	Consultant staff, Burke Rehabilitation Center Mamaroneck, New York



1985-1990	Medical Director, Bernard Gimbel MS Comprehensive Care Center, Holy Name Hospital, Teaneck, NJ
1983-1991	Assistant Professor of Neurology, Albert Einstein College of Medicine, Bronx NY
1982-1991	Attending Neurologist, Multiple Sclerosis Research and Training Center, Albert Einstein College of Medicine
1982-1991	Attending Neurologist, Hospital of the Albert Einstein College of Medicine
1981-1982	Staff physician, Headache Unit Montefiore Hospital, Bronx, NY

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Committee and Educational Service (David Geffen UCLA School of Medicine)

2003-pres.	Member, GEC
2004-2006	Member QA Committee
2004-2005	Neurology Clerkship Co-Director
2005- 2006	Neurology Clerkship Director
2005	Member, Psychiatry Clerkship Review Committee
2005	Dep't. of Neurology Taxation Review Committee
2006-pres.	Vice Chair for Clinical & Educational Affairs, Dep't of Neurology
2007-2008	Neurology Clerkship Co- Director
2007-2008	SOM Clinical Education Task Force
2008-2011	Residency Selection Committee, DON
2008-2011	Residency Training Committee, DON
2008-pres	Organizer & faculty, "Neurology for Psychiatrists" lecture series
2009-2011	Search Committees member, Neuromuscular, Epilepsy, Headache
2009-2010	COM Science of Learning Symposium, planning committee & panel member
2012-2015	DON Care Connect Committee
2013-pres	Member, DON In-pt. Oversight Committee
2013-2015	DON Residency Selection Committee
2013-2015	DON Residency Training Committee
2012-2014	DON representative, FPG QI initiative
2014, 2015	Co Facilitator: Teaching Humanism at the Bedside
2014-pres	Member, Clinical CAP Committee (SOM)

Committee Service (University of Arizona Health Sciences Center {AHSC})

1996-1997	Vice Chair, HCB Review Sub-Committee
1996-2000	COM Admissions Committee
1997-2002	Dep't. of Neurology P&T Committee
1997-2002	Dep't. of Neurology Resident Education Committee
1998-2002	COM Curriculum Committee
1999-2000	Chair, SBS Review Sub-committee
2000-2001	Dean's Advisory Committee on Admissions
2000-2002	Chair, Electives Sub-Committee
2000-2001	Dean's Committee on Women Faculty
2001-2002	Chair, HCB Review Sub-committee
2001-2002	Vice-Chair, COM Curriculum Committee



Community Service

1992-2000 Board of Directors, Desert SW Chapter, National MS Society

2002-2004 Professional Advisory Committee So. Cal. Chapter National MS Society

2003-2015. Board of Directors, So. Cal Chapter, National MS Society

2003 Member, Strategic Long Term Planning Committee, So. Cal. Chapter, NMSS

2004-2006 Chair, Professional Advisory Committee, So. Cal. Chapter, NMSS

2016 Member, Healthcare Advisory Committee So Cal. Chapter NMSS

Professional Societies

1987-1994 Active member, American Academy of Clinical Neurophysiology

1993- Fellow, American Academy of Neurology 2012- Fellow, American Neurological Association

Professional Activities

1991	Chair, Scientific Session on Rehabilitation, 43rd Annual Meeting of the AAN (Boston)
1997	Member, Task Force on Gender Issues in Multiple Sclerosis. NMSS
1997	Principal author, "Compendium of Multiple Sclerosis Information, 2nd Edition." NMSS
1997-1999	Counselor, AAN Section on Multiple Sclerosis.
1998-2000	Chair, Scientific Issues Committee, American Society of Neurorehabilitation
1999	Author, "Core Curriculum for MS" AAN Section on MS
1999-2003	Chair, Client Education Committee, National MS Society (New York)
1999-	Advisory Panel, MS Women Neurologists Initiative
1999-2005	Member, AAN Undergraduate Education Subcommittee
1999- 2011	Chair, Education Committee, AAN Section on MS_
1999-2003	Member, Executive Committee, Medical Advisory Board, NMSS (New York)
2000	Grant Reviewer, Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board, Biomedicine Panel
2002-pres	Member, Selection Panel National MS Society Clinical Fellowship in MS
2003	Member, Clinical Expert Panel, MS Quality Indicators Project, National MS Society (NY)
2003-	Invited Member, MS Forum
2003-2005	Member, Client Education Committee, National MS Society (New York)
2003-2009	Member, Professional Education Committee, National MS Society (New York)
2003-	Member, Medical Advisory Board, National MS Society (New York)
2004	Chair, Quintessentials module on Multiple Sclerosis (AAN)
2005-2007	Editor in Chief, <i>Initiatives</i> newsletter(Publication of the Women Neurologist's MS Initiative)
2007-2008	Member, Neuroscience Question Writing Task Force, NMBE (Part II) (Philadelphia)
2009-2011	Chair, Professional Education Committee National MS Society (New York)
2009	Delegate, AAN "Neurology on the Hill" (Washington D.C.)
2009	Member, NIH review panel



2012-2015

2012-2014

2012

Chair, Client Education Committee National MS Society (New York)

Member, NIH Expert review panel for PROMIS®

Member, NMSS Patient Management, Care and Rehabilitation peer review study section

2014-	NMSS Wellness Task Force, Co-Chair(Dallas November, 2014)
2014	AAN MS Quality Measures Development Work Group(Minneapolis)
2015	NMSS Public Policy Forum (Washington DC, March 2015)
2015	Member, General Neurology Topic Work Group AAN(Minneapolis)
2016	Member, General Neurology Topic Work Group AAN(Minneapolis)
2016-2017	Chair, Clinical Fellowship Committee NMSS

Editorial Service

1999	Ad Hoc Reviewer, Archives of Internal Medicine
2003	Editorial Board, MS Quarterly Report
2005	Ad Hoc Reviewer, J. Rehabilitation Research & Development
2006	Ad Hoc Reviewer, Neurology, Neurorehabilitation & Neural Repair
2008	Ad hoc reviewer, Archives of PM.&R, Continuum(AAN)
2010	Ad hoc reviewer, Int. J. of MS Care, Neurorehabilitation & Neural Repair
2011	Ad hoc reviewer, JRR&D, Neuropsychiatric Disease & Rx.
2013	Ad hoc reviewer, Exp Rev OB/Gyn, J. of Medical Internet Research, Neurology
	Exp. Rev. Clin. Immunology
2014	Ad hoc reviewer, JRR&D, Neurorehabilitation. & Neural Repair
2015-	Editorial board, Neurology Now (AAN)
2015	Guest Editor, "Sex Differences in the Study of Neurological Illnesses" Behavioral
	Neurology Vol 2015

AWARDS

1982	Leo Davidoff Society Award for Excellence in Housestaff Teaching (Albert
	Einstein Coll. Med)
1992	DOVE Award, Desert Southwest Chapter, National MS Society
1995	AHSC, Dean's List Award for Excellence in Teaching in Clinical Sciences
1995	AHSC, Dean's Teaching Scholar
1995	Community Education Volunteer of the Year, Desert Southwest Chapter
	National MS Society
1996	Teacher of the Year, Neurology Department, AHSC
1997	Award for Outstanding Research in Medical Education, WGEA
1997	Virginia and Vernon R. Furrow Grant Award for Innovations in
	Educational Technolog y
1998	Dedication Award, Desert Southwest Chapter, National MS Society
1997-2006	Who's Who in the World
1997-2008	Who's Who in Medicine & Healthcare
1998-2008	Who's Who in America
2000	Dedication Award, Desert Southwest Chapter, National MS Society
2001	Dedication Award, Desert Southwest Chapter, National MS Society
2001	Volunteer Appreciation Award, Desert Southwest Chapter, National MS Society
2002, 2011	AB Baker Section (AAN) Teaching Recognition Certificate
2003	Sylvia Lawry Founder of the Year Award So. Cal. Chapter, National MS Society
2004	Hall of Fame Inductee National Multiple Sclerosis Society
2005, 2007,	2009, 2011,2013,2014,2015,2016 Best Doctors in America
2009	"Teaching Humanism at the Bedside" Award (David Geffen UCLA School of Medicine



2010	Serge & Yvette Dadone Award for Excellence in Clinical Teaching (David Geffen UCLA SOM)
2012 2016	Elected to American Neurological Association RRUCLAMC "Exceptional Physician" Award
GRANTS	
	National Multiple Coloresia Cosiatu (#0.000) Ple Funkad Patentiale 9 Cosmition in MC
1987-1988	National Multiple Sclerosis Society (\$8,300) PI: Evoked Potentials & Cognition in MS
1989-1991	National Multiple Sclerosis Society (\$287,000) PI: Longitudinal Study of Evoked
1000 1001	Potentials and Cognition in MS
1990-1991	Eastern Paralyzed Veterans Association (\$33,000) PI: Use of the Levo-Chair in MS
1997-1998	National Multiple Sclerosis Society (\$26,000) PI: Neurologic Status and the Menstrual Cycle in MS
2003-2004	National Multiple Sclerosis Society (\$44,000): PI: Locomotor Training Using Body Weight
	Support on a Treadmill in Persons with MS
2006-2009	National Multiple Sclerosis Society (\$602,689) PI: Robotic locomotor training in persons with MS
2002-2008	National MS Society, Harry Weaver Junior Faculty Award, (\$512,867) Co- I.
	"The Onset of Progressive MS: Structural and Functional Determinants (NL Sicotte, PI)
2005-2010	National Multiple Sclerosis Society (\$825,000) Co-investigator (R. Voskuhl PI).
	"A Collaborative MS Research Center Award: Neuroprotection in EAE/MS"
2007-2013	National MS Society, NIH(\$ 4,768,091) Co-Investigator (R. Voskuhl, PI)
	A Combination Trial of Copaxone Plus Estriol in RRMS.
2007-2009	National MS Society (\$392,350) Co-investigator: (NL Sicotte, PI)
	Hippocampal volume loss in MS: Clinical consequences
2007-2010	National MS Society(\$487,973) Co-investigator: (B. Vickrey, PI)
	Development of Indicators for Multiple Sclerosis.
2009-2013	National MS Society(\$560,819) PI: "Exercise as a strategy to treat cognitive
	dysfunction in persons with MS"
2013-2014	National MS Society (\$44,000) PI: Cooling strategies in persons with MS
2014-2015	AUPN (\$100,000) Co-PI (C.Flippen, PI): Educational grant: The NERVE project: videotaping the resident neurologic examination
	project. Videotaphing the resident heurologic examination

CLINICAL TRIALS

1998-1999 **Site PI:** A double blind, placebo controlled dose determination safety, tolerability and efficacy study of intravenous Antegren in patients with MS during an acute attack.

1999-2001 **Co-Investigator:** The CORAL Study: A multinational, multicenter, randomized double blind, placebo controlled study to evaluate the effect of 2 doses of glatiramer acetate administered orally in R/R MS patients.

2002-2005 **Co-investigator:** (R Voskuhl, PI): Trial of Testosterone Treatment for Multiple Sclerosis

2006-2009 PI: Locomotor training in persons with Multiple Sclerosis



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