

CURRICULUM VITAE

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EDUCATION

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| 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

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| 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

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

BOARD CERTIFICATION

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

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

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| 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

1985-1993 Active member, American Academy of Neurology
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, *Initiatives* 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 Member, NMSS Patient Management, Care and Rehabilitation peer review study section
2012 Member, NIH Expert review panel for PROMIS®
2012-2014 Chair, Client Education Committee National MS Society (New York)

- 2014-2014 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*
- 2015-2015 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 Technology
- 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 Elected to American Neurological Association
2016 RRUCLAMC “Exceptional Physician” Award

GRANTS

- 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 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

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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