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Education

Undergraduate: Cornell University (College of Engineering), Ithaca, NY
College Program in Engineering
Major field: Mechanical Engineering
Minor field: Biological Sciences
Bachelor of Science (With Distinction), 1981

Medical: University of Michigan Medical School, Ann Arbor, MI
Doctor of Medicine (With Distinction), 1984

Postgraduate: University of Central Florida (College of Business
Administration), Orlando, FL
Master of Business Administration, 1999

Postgraduate Training

Internship: St. Mary's Hospital and Medical Center, San Francisco, CA
1984-1985

Residency: Wilmer Ophthalmological Institute (Johns Hopkins University)
Baltimore, MD
Ophthalmology
1985-1988

Fellowship: University of California, San Francisco
San Francisco, CA
Ophthalmic Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery
1988-1989

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Certifications and Fellowships

American Board of Ophthalmology
American Academy of Ophthalmology (AAO)
American Society of Ophthalmic Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery
American College of Surgeons
American Health Information Management Association
Certified Coding Specialist—Physician-based (CCS-P)

Clinical Work Experience

Florida Eye Associates, Melbourne, FL
1989-present

Chief, Section of Ophthalmology, Department of Surgery
Holmes Regional Medical Center, Melbourne, FL
2010-present

Academic Appointment

University of Central Florida College of Medicine, Orlando, FL
Assistant Professor of Ophthalmology

Administrative Positions

Current

Director and Shareholder
Florida Eye Associates
Ambulatory Surgery Center of Brevard

Director, Coding and Reimbursement
Florida Eye Associates

CPT Advisory Committee
American Medical Association
Advisor, American Society of Ophthalmic Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery

Chairperson, Coding and Third Party Reimbursement Committee
American Society of Ophthalmic Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery

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Chairperson, Managed Care/Third Party Liaison Committee
Florida Society of Ophthalmology

Board of Directors
Florida Society of Ophthalmology

Florida Medicare Carrier Advisory Committee
Alternate State Representative, Ophthalmology

Internet Moderator, ASOPRS Internet Forum (<http://asoprsforum.org>)
Coding, Billing, and Practice Management Section
American Society of Ophthalmic Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery

Physician Advisory Group
FAIR Health

Intersociety and Government Affairs Committee
American Society of Ophthalmic Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery

Operating Room Committee
Holmes Regional Medical Center

Previous

Chairperson, Journal Committee
American Society of Ophthalmic Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery

Candidate examiner, Education Committee
American Society of Ophthalmic Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery

Health Policy Committee
American Academy of Ophthalmology

Industry Relations Committee
American Society of Ophthalmic Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery

Trustee of Pension Plans
Melbourne Eye Associates
Brevard Eye Care

File Review Expert

Exam Coordinators Network
Medical Consultants Network, Inc.

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Advanced Medical Reviews, Inc.
Disability Management Consultants, LLC

Honors and Awards (Selected)

American Academy of Ophthalmology
Secretariat Award
Achievement Award (Instructional)

American Society of Ophthalmic Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery
Orkan Stasior Leadership Award
Outstanding Contribution Award

Writing Activities (Selected)

Author and Editor, "coding.doc" feature, *Ophthalmology Times*

Author, "Coding Tips" section, *YASOPRS News* (official newsletter of Young American Society of Ophthalmic Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery)

Ophthalmic Medical Assisting (AAO study course), Coding section

Oculoplastics Coding Module in Ophthalmic Coding Series (official AAO coding publication)

Presentations on Medical Management (Selected)

American Academy of Ophthalmology
Courses on coding and reimbursement, strategic planning, financial planning, marketing, and quality management

University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center/University of Texas at Dallas
School of Management
Alliance for Medical Management Education
Courses on quality management and strategic planning

American Medical Association
CPT Symposium

CodeQuest (American Academy of Ophthalmology Instruction Course)

The Coding Institute

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The Coding Center

American Society of Ophthalmic Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery

Florida Society of Ophthalmology

Joint Commission of Allied Health Professionals in Ophthalmology

Ophthalmology Times webinar

Professional Society Memberships

American Academy of Ophthalmology

American Society of Ophthalmic Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery

American College of Surgeons

American Medical Association

Florida Medical Association

Florida Society of Ophthalmology

Brevard County Medical Society

Surgical Eye Expeditions, International (volunteer surgical clinics almost yearly since 1990)

Alpha Omega Alpha

American Health Information Management Association

American Association of Professional Coders

The Johns Hopkins Medical and Surgical Association

Consulting Activities

Coding and Physician Reimbursement Analysts, Inc. (www.CPRanalysts.com)

President