

# CURRICULUM VITAE



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## ACADEMIC QUALIFICATIONS

- Bachelor of Science in Biology (BS Bio). 1989
- Doctor of Medicine (M.D.). 1993
- Diplomate Philippine Board of Surgery (DPBS). 2000
- Fellow Philippine Society of General Surgeons (FPSGS). 2004
- Fellow Philippine College of Surgeons (FPCS). 2004
- Fellow Philippine Society of Laparoscopic Surgeons (FPSLS). 2005

## ACCREDITATION & TRAINING PROGRAMS

- Rotating Internship, Santo Tomas University Hospital. 1993-1994
- Residency Training in General Surgery, Chinese General Hospital. 1994-1999
- Advanced Specialty Training in Surgical Oncology, Department of Surgical Oncology, National Cancer Centre Singapore. 2001-2000 Advanced Specialty Training in Hepatobiliary & Pancreatic Surgery, Hepatobiliary Pancreatic Unit, Singapore General Hospital. 2001-2003
- Fundamental Critical Care Support Course, American Society of Critical Care. 2002
- Basic Laparoscopic Course, Singapore. 2002
- Advanced Laparoscopic Course, Singapore. 2002
- Fellowship in Liver Transplantation, Zhezhiang 1st Affiliated University Hospital, China. 2004
- Diploma, Minimally Invasive Surgery University of Louis Pasteur, Strasbourg, France. 2006
- Advanced Digestive Laparoscopy Institut de Recherche Contra les Cancers Apereil Digestif (IRCAD), Strasbourg, France. 2006
- Preceptorship in Liver Surgery & Transplantation Hopital Paul Brousse Centre Hepatobiliare. May 2008
- Attachment in HPB & Liver Transplantation Unit Queen Mary Hospital HK. September 2009
- Preceptorship in Liver & Transplantation Surgery University Henri Mondor. Jan, May 2010
- University Diploma, Hepatobiliary Pancreatic Cancers, University Paris Sud Centre Hepatobiliare, Hopital Paul Brousse. May 2010

## MEMBERSHIP IN PROFESSIONAL BODIES

- International Who's Who. 2005-on
- Philippine College of Surgeons. Fellow, 2004-on.
- Philippine College of General Surgeons. Fellow, 2004-on
- Philippine Association of Laparoscopic & Endoscopic Surgeons. Fellow, 2005-on
- International Hepatobiliary Pancreatic Association, member. 2004-on
- Asia Pacific Hepatobiliary Pancreatic Association, member. 2005
- Society of American Gastrointestinal Endoscopic Surgeons (SAGES), member. 2005 -on
- CGHMC Medical Staff Association, member. 2002-on
- Thomasian Alumni Surgical Society, Member. 2000-on
- International Association of Women Surgeons, Member. 1999-on

- Filipino-Chinese Medical Society, Member. 1995-on
- Philippine Medical Association, Member. 1995-on
- Manila Medical Society, Member. 1995-on
- UST Medical Alumni Association, Member. 1993-on

## CURRENT APPOINTMENTS

### CURRENT CLINICAL and ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

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- Chief, Hepatobiliary Pancreatic Center, Makati Medical Center. 2008-on
- Active Consultant, Department of Surgery Chinese General Hospital & Medical Centre. 2003-on
- Active Consultant, Department of Surgery St Luke's Medical Center. 2008-on
- Active Staff, Department of General Surgery, National Kidney & Transplant Institute. 2005-on
- Internat'l Faculty, Institut de recherché Contra les Cancer Appereil Digestif (IRCAD). 2009-on
- Visiting Staff, Department of Surgery, The Medical City. 2003-on

### CURRENT ADMINISTRATIVE APPOINTMENTS/ACTIVITIES

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- External Consultant to NECTAR project of Merck-Serono
- President. SJCS Alumni Batch 1985. Saint Jude Catholic School. 2011-on
- Chairman PCS Committee on Diamond Jubilee Celebration. 2010-2011
- Chairman. PCS Committee on 2012 Annual Convention
- Member. PCS Sub-Committee on 2011 Annual Convention
- Member. PCS Committee on Conventions
- Member. PCS Committee on Continuing Surgical Education
- Member. PSGS-MMC Committee on Continuing Surgical Education.
- Member. PCS Committeee on PCS Website
- Member. PCS Committee on External Affairs
- Member. Committee on Continuing Medical Education. Fil-Chi Medical Society. 2005-on
- Director. Medical Supplies Network, Inc. Rotary Club of Mega Edsa. 1999-on

### CURRENT EDITORIAL/REVIEW APPOINTMENTS

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- Member. Editorial Board International Panel. THE HPBD International Journal. 2004-on
- Reviewer. Editorial Board Singapore Medical Journal. 2010-on
- Reviewer. Editorial Board Hepatology Journal of the AASLD. 2010-on

## PAST POSITIONS HELD

### PAST ADMINISTRATIVE APPOINTMENTS/ACTIVITIES

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- Board of Director. Philippine College of Surgeons Metro Manila Chapter (PCSMMC). 2007-2010
- Board of Trustee. Philippine Society of General Surgeons Metro Manila Chapter (PSGSMMC). 2006-2010
- Vice President. SJCS Alumni Batch 1985. Saint Jude Catholic School. 2004-2010
- Chairman. PCS Committee on 2010 Annual Convention
- Chariman. PCS-MMC Committee on Continuing Surgical Education. 2009-2010
- Editor in Chief. PCS-MMC Newsletter. 2008-2009
- Secretary. Philippine Society of General Surgeons Metro Manila Chapter (PSGSMMC). 2008
- Chairman. PSGS Committee on Continuing Surgical Education. National, 2007
- Chairman. PSGS Sub-Committee on Publication & Information. National, 2005- 2007
- Chairman. PCS Committee on Website. 2007
- Vice Chair. PSGS Committee on Continuing Surgical Education. 2006

- Editorial Consultant. PSGS Committee on Publications. National, 2005
- Member. PCS Sub-Committee on 2007 Annual Convention.
- Member. PSGS Committee on Continuing Surgical Education. National, 2005
- Member. PCS Committee on Website. 2005-2006
- Chair. PSGS AdHoc Committee on Physical Arrangements for Surgical Forum. 2005

#### PAST HOSPITAL/MEDICAL APPOINTMENTS

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- Department of Surgery, Santo Tomas University Hospital. Visiting Staff. 2004-2008
- Department of Surgery, College of Medicine & Surgery, University of Santo Tomas. Clinical Faculty, 2003-2006
- IRCAD. L'Hopital Civil, Strasbourg, France. Clinical Fello. March 2006 to July 2006
- HPB Unit, Department of Surgery Singapore General Hospital. Clinical Associate. 1 March 2002 to 31 April 2003
- Hepatobiliary Pancreatic Surgery Unit. Singapore General Hospital & National Cancer Centre, Singapore. Chief Fellow. 1 March 2002 to 31 April 2003
- Department of Surgical Oncology. National Cancer Centre Singapore. Clinical Fellow 9 January 2001 to 24 January 2002
- Department of Surgery. Chinese General Hospital and Medical Center. Visiting Consultant. January 2000 to December 2001
- Department of Surgery. Chinese General Hospital and Medical Center. Chief Resident. January 1999 to December 1999
- Committee on Blood Transfusions. Chinese General Hospital and Medical Center. Active Member and Project Coordinator. January 1998 to December 1999
- CGHMC Residents' Association. President. January 1998 to December 1998
- CGHMC Residents' Association. Secretary. January 1997 to December 1997
- CGHMC Residents' Association. Committee Member. January 1996 to December 1996
- UST College of Medicine Student Council. Vice President. SY 1991-1992
- UST College of Medicine Student Council. Secretary. Y 1990-1991
- UST College of Medicine Student Council. Auditor. SY 1989-1990

#### OTHER PAST APPOINTMENTS

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- Rotary Club of Mega Edsa, District 3780 Quezon City, Philippines (Rotary International)  
Director International Service RY. 1998-1999  
Vice Chairman The Rotary Foundation. 1999-2000  
Chairman Group Study Exchange Committee. 1998-2000
- UST College of Science Student Council. Committee Member. SY 1986-1989
- Chinese Varsitarian School Paper. Saint Jude Catholic School. Editor in Chief SY. 1982-1985

## SCHOLARSHIPS, AWARDS & RECOGNITIONS

#### SCHOLARSHIPS

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- Soudavar Travelling International Fellowship. Department of Surgical Oncology, Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center, N. York
- Clinical Fellow Scholarship Grant. Department of Surgical Oncology, National Cancer Centre Singapore. 2001-2002
- Outstanding Young Professional of QC Exchange Scholarship. Group Study Exchange Program Rotary International District 3780 Quezon City 1998

#### AWARDS RECEIVED

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- "Intra-operative Lymphatic Mapping and Selective Lymphadenectomy in Breast Cancer"  
CGHMC Senior's Research paper Contest. 1st Place. December 1999
- 7th Philippine College of Surgeons Metro Manila Chapter Annual Inter-Hospital Clinical Research Paper Contest. 2nd Place. 28 April 1999
- CGHMC Department of Surgery Annual Research Paper Presentation. 2nd Place. 4 December 1998

“An Evaluation of the POSSUM Predictor Equation”

7th Philippine College of Surgeons Metro Manila Chapter Annual Inter-Hospital Clinical Research Paper Contest. 3rd Place. 28 April 1999

CGHMC Department of Surgery Annual Research Paper Presentation. 1st Place. 4 December 1998

“POSSUM: Predictor of Mortality and Morbidity”

1st UST Medical Alumni Association Research Paper Contest. 2nd Place. 20 December 1998

“Vitamin E and Ketoprofen in the Prevention of Postoperative Adhesions: A Comparative Animal Study”

CGHMC Department of Surgery Annual Research Paper Presentation. 2nd Place. December 1997

1st UST Medical Alumni Association Research Paper Contest. 3rd Place. 20 December 1998

“Ketoprofen Drip in the Management of Postoperative Pain”

CGHMC Department of Surgery Annual Research Paper Presentation. 1st Place. December 1996

“Efficacy of Intranasal Meperidine in Postoperative Pain Control”

CGHMC Interdepartmental Research Paper Presentation-Presenter. 2nd Place. December 1995

“A Closer Look at the Streetchildren of Metro Manila: An Assessment of their Pulmonary Function using the Peak Expiratory Flow Meter”

Santo Tomas University Intern's Paper Presentation. 1st Place. May 1994

#### OTHER RECOGNITIONS RECEIVED

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- Most Outstanding GSE Team Member to England. District 3780 Quezon City, Philippines (Rotary International). Rotary Year 1998-1999
- Award of Recognition (invaluable contributions to CGHMC Residents' Association). CGHMC Residents' Association. December 1998
- Patience Award Interns' Association Chinese General Hospital and Medical Center. April 1998
- Most Promising Resident Interns' Association Chinese General Hospital and Medical Center. May 1995

## PUBLICATIONS and PRESENTATIONS

#### PUBLICATIONS (un-updated)

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“A Rare Case of Hepatocellular Carcinoma post-hepatic resection presenting late with Chylous Ascites: A Case Report”. HPBD International-in print

Management of Metastatic Colorectal Cancer. Author UMED Workbook on “Multidisciplinary Management of Colorectal Cancer” May 2008

“Debulking Surgery for Functional Malignant Insulinoma Metastatic to the Liver in a patient with Diabetes Mellitus”. Philippine Journal of Surgical Specialties. Vol 61 Number 1 January-March 2006

“Hepatic Resection for Colorectal Metastases to the Liver: National Cancer Centre, Singapore and Singapore General Hospital Experience”. Annals, Academy of Medicine Singapore. Vol 32 Number 2 March 2003

“CT Appearance of Colorectal Hepatic Metastases”. Annals, Academy of Medicine Singapore. Vol 32 Number 2 March 2003

“Breath-hold fast recovery fast spin echo versus conventional non-breath-hold fast spin echo T2-weighted MR imaging of focal liver lesions.” Annals, Academy of Medicine Singapore. Vol 32 Number 2 March 2003

“Comparison of Continuous Intravenous Ketoprofen Perfusion and Round the Clock Bolus Intravenous Injection in the Management of Postoperative Pain following Major Abdominal Operations”. Philippine Journal of Surgical Specialties. Volume 52 Number 3 July-September, 997

“POSSUM Revisited: A Validation Study on the Predictors of Surgical Morbidity & Mortality. The Chinese General Hospital & Medical Center Experience”. Philippine Journal of Surgical Specialties. Volume 55 Number 1 January-March, 2000

“Vitamin E and Ketoprofen in the Prevention of Postoperative Adhesions”  
Philippine Journal of Surgical Specialties. Accepted for publication

PRESENTATIONS and LECTURES (incomplete update for 2011 lectures and talks given locally and internationally)

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Things I never learned in school & training: Inching your way as a Young Surgeon. Speaker  
66th Philippine College of Surgeons Annual Clinical Congress. EDSA Shangri-la. 7 December 2010

Stage IV Colon Rectal Cancer: The Outlook Brightens. Speaker & Panelist  
66th Philippine College of Surgeons Annual Clinical Congress. EDSA Shangri-la. 6 December 2010

Multidisciplinary Management of Colorectal Cancer. Speaker / Workshop Facilitator  
Emilio Aguinaldo College of Medicine. Dasmariñas, Cavite. 18 November 2010

Multidisciplinary Management of Colorectal Cancer. Speaker / Workshop Facilitator  
Roxas City 24 November 2010

Breast Cancer Lay Forum. Speaker  
Saint Jude Catholic School. 21 October 2010

Liver Cancer: To Cut or RFA? Speaker & Panelist  
8th PSGS Surgical Forum “To Cut or to Contemplate”. SMX Convention Center. 5-7 August 2010

Multidisciplinary Management of Colorectal Cancer. Speaker / Workshop Facilitator  
Post grad Course of Philippine Federation of Medical Private Practitioners. Richmond Hotel. 1 June 2010

MINI ORAL “HPB Miscellaneous”. Commentator  
9th World Congress of the International Hepato-Pancreato-Biliary Association-IHPBA 2010  
Hilton Buenos Aires Hotel, Argentina. 18-22 April 2010

PANCREAS CANCER & NEUROENDOCRINE TUMORS. Commentator  
9th World Congress of the International Hepato-Pancreato-Biliary Association-IHPBA 2010  
Hilton Buenos Aires Hotel, Argentina. 18-22 April 2010

Multidisciplinary Management of Colorectal Cancer. Speaker / Workshop Facilitator  
UMED. Bicol Medical Center Auditorium, Naga. 18 Feb 2010

Multidisciplinary Management of Colorectal Cancer. Speaker / Workshop Facilitator  
UMED. Pagadian Alindahaw Hotel. 18 Feb 2010

Oncosurge Approach in the Management of Liver Metastases from Colorectal Cancer. Speaker  
65th Philippine College of Surgeons Annual Clinical Congress. SMX Convention Center. 6-9 December 2009

Advanced Course in Laparoscopic Digestive Surgery. Speaker & Faculty  
IRCAD Taiwan. 3-5 December 2009

Multidisciplinary Management of Metastatic Colorectal Cancers. Speaker  
UMED Worskhop on Multidisciplinary Approach. Bacolod. 29 October 2009

Right Hepatectomy w/ Liver Hanging Maneuver Video presentation. Speaker  
Australia and New Zealand Medical and Surgical Gastrointestinal Week 2009  
Sydney Convention Center, Australia. 21-24 October 2009

Management & Follow up of Ruptured of HCC. Speaker  
Australia and New Zealand Medical and Surgical Gastrointestinal Week 2009  
Sydney Convention Center, Australia. 21-24 October 2009

HCC in the Philippines. Speaker  
Australasian New Zealand Hepatobiliary Pancreatic Association.  
Royal Brisbane & Women's Hospital, Australia 19-20 October 2009

Setting up a Liver Service. Speaker  
Australasian New Zealand Hepatobiliary Pancreatic Association  
Royal Brisbane & Women's Hospital, Australia 19-20 October 2009

Laparoscopic Liver Surgery Workshop. Faculty  
Australasian New Zealand Hepatobiliary Pancreatic Association  
Royal Brisbane & Women's Hospital, Australia 19-20 October 2009

HCC in Decompensated Cirrhotic Patients: What do we do? Speaker & Panelist  
Philippine Society of Gastroenterologist Midyear Convention. Tagaytay. 17 October 2009

Management of mCRC: The Multidisciplinary Approach. Speaker  
Philippine Society of Medical Oncology 40th Annual Convention. EDSA Shangri-La Hotel 8 October 2009

Oncosurge Approach in mCRC. Speaker  
World Congress on Gastrointestinal Cancer (Asian Perspectives). Taipei, Taiwan. 27-29 August 2009

Multidisciplinary Approach in mCRC. Speaker  
UMED series of lectures from 2008 to 2009. Baguio, Alabang, Subic, Metro Manila, Bacolod

Multidisciplinary Approach in mCRC. Speaker  
Merck Serono Series of lectures 2008. Metro Manila, Cebu, Bohol, Cagayan de Oro, Iligan, Baguio.

Right Hemihepatectomy Cine Clinics. Speaker  
PCS 64th Annual Congress. Shangrila -Edsa. 5 December 2008

Surgical Wound Healing and Management. Series of talks by Wyeth and Schering Plough on wound healing  
All over the country 2007-2008

Strategies in the Management of mCRC. Speaker  
Surgical Updates. Bayanihan Hall, Unilab. 28 November 2008

Strategies in the Management of mCRC. Speaker  
Philippine Society of Colon & Rectal Surgeons. Crowne Plaza Hotel. 19 November 2008

M.A.G.I.C. (Multipdisciplinay Approach in GI Cancers). Speaker  
8th International Conference of Asian Clinical Oncology Society. SMX MOA. 22 -24 September 2008

- Current Standards in Management of HCC. Speaker & Panelist  
8th International Conference of Asian Clinical Oncology Society. SMX MOA. 22-24 September 2008
- "RFA of liver tumours: Is this the alternative?". Speaker & Panelist  
6th PSGS Surgical Forum. SMX MOA. 6 August 2008
- Unresectable HCC: What are the options? Speaker & panelist  
Philippine College of Surgeons 63rd Annual Congress. Shangrila-Edsa. 6 December 2007
- Evolutions in the Diagnosis & management of HCC. "Liver Surgery at its Cutting Edge". Speaker & panelist  
5th PSGS Surgical Forum. Edsa Shangrila Hotel. 4 August 2007
- Evolutions in Management of Colorectal Metastases to the Liver "Are We Pushing the Limit?". Panelist  
5th PSGS Surgical Forum. Edsa Shangrila Hotel. 4 August 2007
- Treatment Options in HCC. Speaker / panelist  
UST Postgraduate Course. UST BCI Auditorium. 15 June 2000
- Surgical Management of Liver Colorectal Metastases. Speaker & as panelist in the International Panel of Experts  
UMED 1st International Multidisciplinary Conference on Colorectal Cancer. Hotel Lisboa, Macau. 6 May 2007
- Surgical Management of Colorectal Metastases. Speaker  
SLMC Cancer Institute 1st International Symposium on Cancer. EDSA Shangrila Hotel. 20 October 2006
- Advanced Course on Laparoscopic Morbid Obesity Surgery. Faculty  
Institut de Recherche Contre les Cancers de l'Appareil Digestif (IRCAD). Strasbourg, France. 2-3 June 2006
- Hepatic Resection in Liver Metastases. Plenary Speaker  
21st Annual Convention Philippine Society of Oncology, Inc. EDSA Shangri-la Hotel. 14 October 2005
- Current Trends in Liver Cancer Surgery. Speaker  
11th Postgraduate Course. Batangas Regional Hospital. 20 July 2005
- Liver Surgery at its Cutting Edge. Speaker  
Staff Conference. Chinese General Hospital & Medical Center. 12 March 2005
- Ruptured Hepatocellular Carcinoma: Best Management Options. Speaker-panelist  
8th Penta Hospital Surgical Group Postgraduate Course. The Medical City. 19 August 2004
- Controversies in the Management of Hepatocellular Carcinoma. Speaker-panelist  
2nd PSGS Surgical Forum: Controversies in General Surgery. EDSA Shangri-la Hotel. 8 August 2004
- Breast Cancer: Diagnosis & Treatment Options. Speaker  
Asia Brewery Public Forum. Century Park Sheraton, Philippines. 8 March 2004
- Management of Colorectal Liver Metastases. Plenary session-speaker  
Philippine College of Surgeons 59th Annual Clinical Congress. Edsa Shangri-la Hotel, Philippines. 2 December 2003
- Updates in General Surgery on Hepatocellular Carcinoma. Speaker-panelist  
9th Postgraduate Course Philippine Society of General Surgeons. Edsa Shangri-la Hotel, Philippines. 30 November 2003
- Update on Current Trends in the Management of Breast Cancer. Speaker  
Chinese General Hospital Staff Conference. 13 Sept 2003

“Intraoperative Cardiac Monitoring: When Is it Necessary?”. Presentor  
10th CGH Annual Research Paper Presentation December 4, 1999

“POSSUM: Predictor of Mortality and Morbidity”. Presentor  
Philippine College of Surgeons 54th Annual Convention and 9th Clinical Congress Free Paper Presentation. December 1998

Head and Neck Cancer-“A Case of Metastatic Mucinous CystadenoCA of the Parotid”. Presentor  
16th PCS-Unilab Surgical Postgraduate Course. “Adjuvant Therapy in Cancer Surgery”. June 1998

Upper GI Bleeding-“A Case of Haemosuccus Pancreaticus”. Presentor  
International College of Surgeons Philippine Section 6th Post Graduate Course. December 1997

“Ketoprofen Drip in the Management of Postoperative Pain”. Presentor  
5th Philippine College of Surgeons Metro Manila Chapter. Annual Interhospital Clinical Research Paper Contest. April 1997

“ Management and Outcome of Abdominal Trauma: Trauma Score vs Clinical Judgement and the Role of Exploratory Laparotomy”. Presentor  
CGHMC Department of Surgery Annual Research Paper. December 1995

## EDUCATION, TRAINING & CREDENTIALS

### POST GRADUATE

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January 2001 to January 2003. Clinical Fellowship  
Surgical Oncology subspec. Hepatobiliary Pancreatic Surgery  
Department of Surgical Oncology. National Cancer Center, Singapore

September 1998 to November 1998. Observership in General Surgery  
Queen’s Medical Center, Nottingham UK. King’s Mill Hospital, Nottingham UK. Royal Infirmary of Derby, UK

January 1995 to December 1999. Residency Training  
Department of Surgery. Chinese General Hospital and Medical Center  
Chief Resident January 1999 to December 1999. Nominated Most Outstanding Surgery Resident in the Philippine College of Surgeons

May 1993-March 1994. Internship  
Santo Tomas University Hospital. Nominated Most Outstanding Intern

June 1989-March 1993. Doctor of Medicine  
College of Medicine. University of Santo Tomas. Graduated rank 46 in a class of 396

### COLLEGE

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June 1985-March 1989. B.S. Biology  
College of Science  
University of Santo Tomas  
Cum Laude