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This directory has been compiled to acquaint course participants with the faculty and staff who will present classes during the Faculty Development Course series. Participants are encouraged to foster professional relationships with course lecturers and utilize these contacts as resources in support of academic responsibilities in the areas of teaching, patient care, and scholarly activities. Please feel free to contact the lecturers by phone or e-mail.



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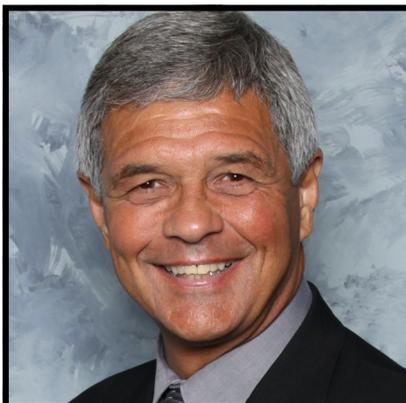
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Dr. Akins joined the faculty of Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center at El Paso in 2006 and is currently an Associate Director of the Clinical Skills and Clinical Simulation Center, Associate Professor in Educational Administration, Co-Director, Medical Skills Course, Department of Medical Education, Associate Director, Residency Program, Department of Pediatrics.

Education: M.D., Medical University, Varna, Bulgaria, 1994; Ph.D., Texas A&M University, College Station, TX, 2004. Post-doctoral Research Associate, Texas A&M University System Health Science Center, College Station, TX, 2004.

Dr. Akins has received numerous honors, from the Harvard Macy Institute, Pediatric Residency Program for "Best Administration"; and "Outstanding Faculty" award.

Courses: *Workshop on Asking and Writing Questions that Measure Student Learning, and How to Prepare and Present a Poster at a Scientific Meeting*



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Dr. Bulik joined the faculty of Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center at El Paso in 2010 and is currently a Professor in Medical Education and Assistant Dean for Faculty Development.

Education: Ph.D., Curriculum and Instruction/Adult Education, University of Wisconsin, Oshkosh, WI

Dr. Bulik was the co-recipient of the Society of Teachers of Family Medicine national Innovative Program Award. Dr. Bulik was honored with the Marie Hall Scholar and has received numerous honors. He has served as an external reviewer for the NIH the past 12 years.

Courses: *Workshop: Adult Learning and Effective Teaching, Scholarship in Academic Medicine, How to Improve your Oral Presentation, Collaborating on Writing Projects, Do I Need a Mentor and What Can I Expect from Him/Her*

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Dr. Casner joined the faculty of Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center at El Paso in 1983 and is currently a Professor of Medicine, Chief, Division of Geriatrics and Associate Professor of Pharmacology. His specialties include Internal Medicine, Geriatrics, and Pharmacology.

Education: M.D., New York Medical College; Residency, Internal Medicine, Westchester County Medical Center, Valhalla, NY; Fellowship, Pharmacology, New York Medical College; Ph.D., Pharmacology, New York Medical College.

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Dr. Casner was awarded the NDEA and NSF graduate fellowships. He currently serves as IRB Chairman.

Courses: *Ethical Issues in Clinical Research and Good Clinical Practice, Roles and Functions of the IRB, and How to Write a Scientific Paper*



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Dr. Ho, Professor of Medicine, joined the faculty of Texas Tech Health Sciences Center at El Paso in 1986 and was named Assistant Dean of Faculty Affairs and Development in 2002, Associate Dean of Faculty Affairs and Development in 2008, and appointed Director of the Advanced Teaching and Assessment in Clinical Simulation Center (ATACS). His practice specialties include Internal Medicine, infectious diseases, and Geriatrics.

Education: M.D., University of Saigon School of Medicine; Residency, Internal Medicine, Texas Tech University Health Science Center, El Paso; Fellowship, Hematology/Oncology, Wadley

Dr. Ho has received various TTUHSC teaching awards, including the Internal Medicine Department Residents "Outstanding Faculty Award" for 15+ consecutive years; "Clinical Faculty Award for Clinical Excellence", 1988-2002; President's Excellence in Teaching Award for the School of Medicine, 1990, 2004; and Students "Lifetime Teaching Award" 1999, 2000, 2002, 2007. El Paso's Best Doctors, 2007, 2008 and Best Doctors in America, 2007, 2008.

Courses: *Welcome, Course Overview, and House Keeping, Introduction to Personal Digital Assistant (PDA), Prepare for Tenure & Promotion, How to Improve your Oral Presentation, Ho to Prepare for a Good Lecture, Evidence-Based Medicine, Workshop: PDA in Medicine Education & Practice of Medicine, Workshop: How to Organize & Conduct a Journal Club, Workshop on Clinical Simulation: Testing your Clinical Skills, Workshop on Bed-side Teaching, Workshop: Why we couldn't Evaluate our Trainees & How to Fix, The Quest of Mentoring your Trainees, Workshop: Prepare for Tenure & Promotion*



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Education: B.Sc., Biochemistry, University of British Columbia, Vancouver, Canada 1993. Ph.D., Dissertation topic: Structural investigations of ribosome-associated GTP-binding proteins. Magna cum laude, Friedrich-Schiller University, Jena, Germany 2001.

Courses: *Curriculum of PLFSOM*



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Dr. Jesurun joined the faculty of Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center in 1979. He is the Director of the division of Neonatology in Pediatrics, Pediatric Vice-Chair, and Director of Pediatric Residency Program.

Education: M.D., Baylor College of Medicine, Houston, TX; Residency, Pediatrics, Children's Hospital of Michigan, Detroit, MI; Fellowship, Neonatology, Children's Hospital

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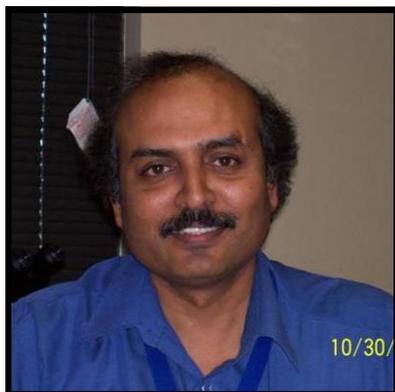
School of Medicine, Detroit, MI; M.M.M., Tulane School of Public Health and Tropical Medicine

Dr. Jesurun has been listed in *The Best Doctors in America* in 1996-1997, 1997-1998, 2003-2004, and 2005-2006, and received the Health Care Provider of the Year Award in 2004 by the Vista Hills Optimist Club. Fellowship, National Association of Public Hospitals.

During his tenure, Dr. Jesurun has served on various committees and has twice been elected Chief of Staff. He is in demand as a speaker on subjects ranging from neonatology to bioethics.

Courses: *Innovation in Clinical Practice, and What is Professionalism and How Can We Measure It.*

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Dr. Lakshmanaswamy joined Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center at El Paso in 2004. He is an Assistant Professor in the Biomedical Sciences Department.

Education: M.S., University of Madras, Madras, India, 1988; M. Phil., University of Madras, Madras, India, 1990; Ph.D., University of Madras, Madras, India, 1997.

Dr. Lakshmanaswamy was awarded the Cornelius L. Hopper Scientific Achievement Award for Best Poster: Highest Impact on Breast Cancer, for the poster entitled "Breast Cancer Prevention with Estrogen" awarded at the 2005 California Breast Cancer Research Symposium: Research to Action: Seeking Solutions in 2005. He was invited to serve as an expert on the panel advising the Avon Foundation's Breast Cancer Crusade on issues regarding pregnancy and breast cancer in April 2006 in Washington, D.C. Dr. Lakshmanaswamy has been honored with numerous awards which include Young Investigator Award, and Excellent Performance Award.

Courses: *The ABC's of Writing a Seed Grant Proposal. Workshop on Developing Networking for Re-*



search at PLFSOM, and How to Prepare and Present a Poster at a Scientific Meeting

Kathryn McMahon, Ph.D.

Dr. McMahon, Professor of Pharmacology of Medical Education, joined the faculty of Texas Tech University of Health Sciences Center at Lubbock in 1988 and joined the faculty at El Paso in 2008.

Dr. McMahon was appointed College Master in the department of Medical Education in 2009.

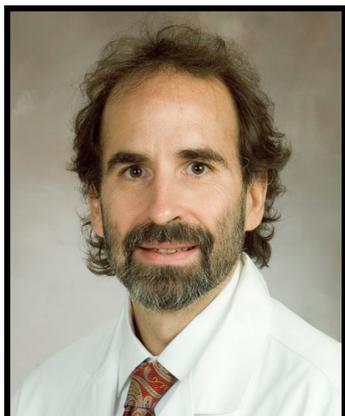
Education: Postdoctoral, University of Health Sciences /The Chicago Medical School, NIH Postdoctoral Fellowship, University of Medicine and Dentistry of New Jersey, Ph.D., North Dakota State University, B.S., Chemistry, New Mexico Institute of Mining and Technology.

In 1994, Dr. McMahon was elected member of the Teaching Academy for TTUHSC School of Medicine. In addition to having been awarded numerous grants, Dr. McMahon has been honored for teaching awards which include Dean's Basic Science Teaching Award, Dean's Teaching Scholar in Geriatrics and recipient of the Jonathan and Patricia Rogers Endowed Chair in Medical Education in 2009.

Courses: *Workshop on Small Group Learning.*

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Education: B.A., Religious Studies, Texas Christian University 1983, M.A., Philosophy, Rice University 1987, Ph.D., Epidemiology, University of Texas-Houston Health Science Center 1993.

Dr. Miller has been awarded numerous grants.

Courses: *Research Opportunities and Available Resources for Faculty at TTUHSC-El Paso, Workshop on Developing Networking for Research at PLFSOM, and The Review of a Grant Proposal*



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Dr. Mulla joined the faculty of Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center in 2006 and is currently Tenured Associate Professor and Director of Epidemiologic Research in the Department of Obstetrics & Gynecology.

Education: B.A., University of Arizona, 1991; Diploma, Apollo College, 1992; M.S.P.H., University of South Florida College of Public Health, 1994; Ph.D., University of South Florida College of Public Health, 2001.

Dr. Mulla has practiced epidemiology for several years and has numerous publications in clinical and public health journals. He is a recipient of the "Outstanding Teacher Award" from the University of Texas School of Public Health at Houston and "Dean's Research Achievement Award" from Paul L. Foster School of Medicine, Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center.

Courses: *Reading and Analyzing Scientific Articles*



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Dr. Nuwayhid joined the faculty of Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center at El Paso in 2002.

Dr. Nuwayhid is currently a Professor and Regional Chairman of the Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology.

Education: M.D., American University of Beirut, Beirut, Lebanon; Residency, Cleveland Metropolitan General Hospital, Cleveland, OH; Fellowship, UCLA School of Medicine, Fellow in Reproductive Physiology, Los Angeles, CA; Ph.D., Physiology and Biophysics, University of Mississippi Medical Center, Jackson, MI.

Dr. Nuwayhid is the recipient of the Public Health Service Research Career Development Award.

Courses: *Workshop: Develop Networking for Research at PLFOM, Workshop: Basic Skills for Negotiation and Conflict Resolution.*

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Education: B.S., Mathematics, Texas A & M University at Kingsville, M.S., Mathematics, Texas A & M University at Kingsville, Ph.D., Statistics, Texas, Texas A & M University at Kingsville

Dr. Ortiz is a Recipient of the President's Award for Mentoring Women.

Courses: *How to Report Statistics in Medicine*



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Ms. Ruddock currently serves as Unit Associate Director, Faculty Associate - Health Communications. Ms. Ruddock joined Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center in 1993.

Education: MALS, University of Missouri 1992; BA, Idaho State University 1991, Certification: Medical Library Association's Academy of Health Information Professionals.

Ms. Ruddock is a member of the Academy of Health Information Professionals, H.W. Wilson Scholarship, Sigma Tau Delta International English Society.

Courses: *Workshop: Accessing Library and Information Resources, EBM: Workshop How to Use Available Resources for Learning and Practicing EBM, and Literature Citation Management (Endnote, RefWorks).*

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Education: B.A., Texas Tech University, Lubbock, Texas 1990, Texas Tech University, Lubbock, Texas 1992, The University of Texas Health Science Center at Houston, Houston, Texas 1999.

Dr. Tarwater received numerous awards including the "Dean's Teaching Excellence Award and "Research Excellence Award, while at the School of Public Health, University of Texas Health Science Center.

Courses: *Basic Biomedical Statistics*

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 Specialty (ies): Department of Medical Education

M.D., Colegio Santa Dorotea High School, Cali, Colombia, 1988; Universidad Libre, Cali, Colombia - First two years of medical school, 1991; Universidad Del Valle, Cali Colombia – MD, 1996; Master in Public Health, University of South Florida, Tampa, FL, 2003; Family Medicine Residency, Texas Tech University, El Paso, TX, 2007; Preventive Medicine Residency, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, NC, 2008

Scholarly activities and interests:

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 Specialty (ies): Radiology

M.D., Government- Medical College, Trichur, Kerala, India 1984-1994, Radiology- Medical College, Trichur, Kerala, India, 2000-2003. Cardio Thoracic & Breast Imaging– Ottawa & Toronto, Ontario, Canada 2006-2009.

Scholarly activities and interests:
 Breast Imaging Correlation with Tumor Prognostic Factors (ER, PR & HER-2)

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 Specialty (ies): Department of Medical Education

Biology– College, North Hampton, MA 1984-1986. B.S- Molecular Biology, University of Texas at Austin, Austin, TX 1986-1988. PhD– Microbiology, University of Texas at Austin, Austin, TX 1990-1995. Postdoctoral Associate– Molecular and Cellular Biology, Baylor College of Medicine, Houston, TX 1996-2003.

Scholarly activities and interests:
 The molecular Biology of Transcriptional in Gene Regulation; Retroviruses.

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Scholarly activities and interests: Traumatic Optic Neuropathy, Facial Trauma Epidemiology, Orbital Imaging.



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Specialty (ies): Psychiatry

M.D.; San Carlos de Guatemala, Guatemala City, Guatemala, 1979; Residency; Psychiatry, Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center, El Paso, TX, 2002; Fellowship; Child and Adolescent Psychiatry, Baltimore, MD, 2009

Scholarly activities and interests: I am interested in learning how to write grants. One of my goals is to collaborate with Senior Faculty to start a Fellowship in Child and Adolescent Psychiatry. I would like to do some research in sleep medicine.



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Specialty (ies): Family and Community Medicine Department

M.D.; University of Texas School of Medicine, San Antonio, TX, 2006; Residency; Family Medicine, Austin Medical Education Programs, Austin, TX, 2009

Scholarly activities and interests: Integrative Medicine, Hospice and Palliative Medicine, and Community Medicine

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BS; Pre Medicine, University of the Philippines, Diliman, Quezon City, Philippines, 1965; M.D.; University of the Philippines College of Medicine, 1970;

Scholarly activities and interests:

At this time, none but have a lot of ideas on reasonable approaches to the management of autism, early behavioral intervention of aggressive behavior in the pre-schooler, neuroscience.



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Specialty (ies): Pediatrics

MD, University of Buenos Aires, School of Medicine. Buenos Aires, Argentina, 1989; Residency In Internal Medicine, Pinnacle Health Hospitals, 1998;

Scholarly activities and interests:

Faculty of the year award by the Internal Medicine Residency Program graduating class of 2009.



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BS, Wildlife Science, Texas Tech University, Lubbock, TX, 1977; D.D.S., Baylor College Of Dentistry, Dallas, TX, 1980; Certificate, Research Fellowship Anesthesiology, Parkland Memorial Hospital, Dallas, TX, 1987; Certificate, Oral and Maxillofacial, Surgery Residency, William Beaumont AMC, El Paso, TX, 1995

Scholarly activities and interests:

Dr. Filler participates in the following professional memberships: American Association of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeons, American Board of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery and American Dental Association

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M.D., Harvard Medical School, Boston, MA, 1998; Residency; University of California at San Francisco, San Francisco, 2002; Fellowship; University of California at San Francisco, 2004

Scholarly activities and interests:
Main research interest is in health disparities in kidney disease among minority populations. His work focuses on environmental exposure to heavy metals as potentially modifiable risk factors for the progression of chronic kidney disease among Hispanics. Dr. Hernandez also participates as an Investigator in multicenter clinical trials for glomerulonephritides enrolling predominantly patients of Hispanic origin.



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Specialty (ies): Optometry

ABOC; El Paso Community College, El Paso, TX, 1999; BA, Baylor University, Waco, TX, 2002; OD, Optometry, IAUPR School of Optometry, San Juan, PR, 2006.

Scholarly activities and interests:
Community Activities, Exercise, Skateboarding, Snowboarding, Biking, Traveling, Music, Ethnic Food, World Cultures, Video Games, and Computers.



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Specialty (ies): Internal Medicine

B.A., Biology, Baylor University, Waco, TX, 1993; M.D., University of Texas Medical Branch at Galveston, Galveston, TX, 1998; Residency; Internal Medicine, University of New Mexico Health Sciences Center, Albuquerque, NM, 2001

Scholarly activities and interests:
Improving diabetes clinical care models and practice and developing a full diabetology clinic practice.

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MD, McGill University in Montreal Canada, 1978; Residency; Children's Memorial Hospital, Montreal, Canada, 1982; Fellowship, Children's Memorial Hospital, Northwestern University, Chicago, IL, 1983. Anesthesiology Program Director, Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center, El Paso, TX.

Scholarly activities and interests:
Communication and Patient Safety.



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Specialty (ies): Biomedical Sciences

BA, Religious Studies, Texas Christian University, Fort Worth, TX, 1983; MA, Philosophy, Rice University, Houston, TX 1987; PhD; Epidemiology, University of Texas - Houston Health Science Center, Houston, TX, 1993.

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SCCOR in Thoracic Aortic Aneurysms and Dissections



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Specialty (ies): Anesthesiology

BS, Microbiology, University of Texas at El Paso, El Paso, TX, 1988; M.D.; University of Texas Medical Branch, Galveston, TX, 1992; Residency, University of Texas Medical Branch, Galveston, TX, 1996.

Scholarly activities and interests:
Medical Student Education

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Clinical trials, health technology assessment, evidence-based family practice, research ethics, sailing, hiking, camping.



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M.D.; New Mexico State University, Las Cruces, New Mexico 1986-1990; Residency; Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center, El Paso, Texas, 1989

Scholarly activities and interests:
Presently working on issues related to Bullying, EMDR and REM sleep, and trauma and grief.



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Specialty (ies):

BS, Biology, Yale University, New Haven, CT, 1976; PhD, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge, MA, 1981; Postdoctoral, Cold Spring Harbor Laboratory, 1984; Postdoctoral Fellow, MB, Cambridge, England, 1987; Research Associate, Development, Harvard Medical School, 1991; Research Associate, Baylor College of Medicine, Houston, TX, 1992.

Scholarly activities and interests:
Human genetics of eye disease and Neural development and growth.

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Specialty (ies): Anesthesiology

M.D.; Karl's University Medical School of Prague, Czech, Republic, 1985; Residency; Anesthesiology, University of Texas Health Science Center, Houston, TX, 1993; Fellowship; Anesthesiology/Acute Pain Management/ Regional Anesthesia, UTHSC, Houston, TX, 1993

Scholarly activities and interests:
Peripheral nerve blocks, regional anesthesia, acute pain management.



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B.S.; Biology, Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University, Blacksburg, VA, 1997; M.S., Microbiology, Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University, Blacksburg, VA, 2000; Ph.D., Microbiology and Molecular Genetics, Graduate School of Biomedical Sciences, University of Texas Health Science Center and the University of Texas M.D. Anderson Cancer Center, 2006; Ruth L. Kirschstein (NIH) Postdoctoral fellow, University of California-Berkeley, Berkeley, CA, 2009

Scholarly activities and interests:
Cell Signaling



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M.D.; Facultad de Ciencias Medicas de Pinar del Rio, Instituto Superior de Ciencias Medicas de La Habana, 1992; Residency, Internal Medicine at TTUHSC, Paul L. Foster School of Medicine, 2009.

Scholarly activities and interests:
Evidence Based Clinical Diagnosis.

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Specialty (ies): Anesthesiology

ScD; Chinese Academy of Sciences, 1991; PhD, Biochemistry and Molecular Biology (BMB), University of Florida, 1998; Post-doctoral training and fellowship, Howard Hughes Medical Institute and McKusick-Nathan's Institute of Genetic Medicine of The Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine.

Scholarly activities and interests:

His research areas focus on human neurogenetics, and molecular etiology in human vascular disorders. He will be research director and assistant professor in the Department of Anesthesiology, with joined appointments in the Biomedical Science, and the COE for Neuroscience at Texas Tech University Health Science Center.



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Year Joined Texas Tech:
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M.D.; Wright State University School of Medicine, Dayton, OH, 2003; Orthopaedic Surgical Internship, William Beaumont Army Medical Center, El Paso, TX, 2004; Orthopaedic Surgical Residency, William Beaumont Army Medical Center, El Paso, TX, 2008.

Scholarly activities and interests:

Pediatric orthopaedics, basketball, football, tennis, weightlifting, traveling, automotive repair.

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8/4/2010		3103	Welcome, Course Overview, and House Keeping	Hoi Ho, MD
			Computer Information Technology and Cyber Security	Hector Aranda
8/11/2010		3103	Workshop: Adult Learning and Effective Teaching - 2hrs	Bob Bulik, PhD
8/18/2010	Noon Lecture	3103	Introduction to Personal Digital Assistant (PDA)?	Hoi Ho, MD
			Scholarship in Academic Medicine	Bob Bulik, PhD
			Prepare for Your Tenure and Promotion	Hoi Ho, MD
8/25/2010		3103	Workshop: Accessing Library and Information Resources	Rebecca Ruddock
9/1/2010	Noon Lecture	3103	Curriculum of PLFSOM	Tanis Hogg, PhD
			How to Improve Your Oral Presentation?	Hoi Ho, MD
9/8/2010		3103	Introduction to the Microsoft PowerPoint Presentation Software	H. Aranda, R. Loya
			Advanced Features of the Microsoft PowerPoint Presentation Software	H. Aranda, R. Loya
9/15/2010	Noon Lecture	3103	How to Apply Scheme Inductive Curriculum to Clerkship	Gordon Woods, MD
			How to Prepare a Good Lecture?	Hoi Ho, MD
9/22/2010		3103	Evidence-Based Medicine I: A Challenge to the Teachers & Learners	Hoi Ho, MD
			Evidence-Based Medicine II: Practice Medicine with Confidence	Hoi Ho, MD
9/29/2010	Noon Lecture	3103	Innovation in Clinical Practice	Michael Romano, MD
			EBM III: Workshop on How to Use Available Resources for Learning & Practicing EBM 2 hrs	Rebecca Ruddock
10/6/2010		3103	Workshop: PDA in Medical Education & Practice of Medicine	Hoi Ho, MD
10/13/2010			Workshop on Asking and Writing Questions that Measure Student Learning	Ralitsa Akins, PhD

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10/27/2010	Noon Lecture	3103 Basic Biomedical Statistics	Patrick Tarwater, PhD
		Workshop: How to Organize and Conduct a Journal Club	Hoi Ho, MD
11/3/2010		3103 Workshop on Bedside Teaching	Hoi Ho, MD
11/10/2010		3103 Workshop: Audience Interactive Response System (AIRS)	H Aranda, R Loya
11/17/2010		3103 Literature Citation Management (EndNote, RefWorks)	Rebecca Ruddock
11/24/2010		OFF	
12/1/2010		3103 Workshop: Use Simple Technology to Enhance Your Teaching Effectiveness	Hector Aranda, Joe Elizondo
12/8/2010		3103 Workshop on Small Group Learning	Kathryn McMahon, PhD
12/15/2010		3103 Participant's Oral Presentation Session	Drs. SusanWatts, Tanis Hogg, Cecilia DeVargas, Charles Miller, Veronica Greer, Elmus Beale,
12/22/2010		OFF	Lorenzo Aragon, Rafael Gonzalez-Ayala
12/29/2010		OFF	
1/5/2011	Noon Lecture	3103 What Is professionalism and How Can We Measure It?	Antonio Jesurun, MD
		Workshop: Why We Couldn't Evaluate Effectively our Trainees and How to Fix?	Hoi Ho, MD
1/12/2011	Noon Lecture	3103 Workshop: Effective Approach to Problem Learners	Naomi Lacy, PhD, Tammy Salazar, PhD
		Workshop: How Can We Effectively Implement the 6 Core-Competencies	Drs. Armando Meza, David Briones, Naomi Lacy
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		Ethical Issues in Clinical Research and Good Clinical Practice	Paul Casner, MD
1/26/2011	3103	How to Monitor Stress Level in Our Trainees	Henry Weisman, MD
	3103	The ABC's of Writing a Seed Grant Proposal	Rajkum Lakshmanaswamy, PhD
		Roles and Functions of the IRB	Paul Casner, MD
02/09/11		How to Report Statistics in Medicine?	Melchor Ortiz, PhD
		How to Write a Scientific Paper?	Paul Casner, MD
2/16/2011	3103	Presentation of your research project	Drs. Casner, Nelson, Nuwayhid, McCallum, Lakshmanaswamy, Hogg, Leiner, Mulla, Pfar, Coue
2/23/2011	3103	How to Prepare and Present a Poster at a Scientific Meeting	Ralitsa Akins, PhD, R Lakshmanaswamy, PhD
3/2/2011	3103	Do I Need a Mentor and What Can I Expect from Him/Her?	Hoi Ho, MD
		The Quest for Mentoring your Trainees	Hoi Ho, MD
3/9/2011		OFF	
3/16/2011		Workshop: Prepare for Your Tenure and Promotion	Hoi Ho, MD
3/23/2011	3103	Workshop: Basic Skills for Negotiation and Conflict Resolution	Drs. David Briones, Veronica Greer, Bahij Nuwayhid