

**CURRICULUM VITAE**

**DATE OF BIRTH: May 6, 1952**

**PLACE OF BIRTH: DETROIT, MICHIGAN**

**EDUCATION: BERKLEY HIGH SCHOOL  
Detroit, MI 1970**

**MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY  
East Lansing, MI B.S., 1974**

**WAYNE STATE UNIVERSITY  
College of Medicine  
Detroit, MI M.D., 1978**

**POSTGRADUATE EDUCATION:**

**RESIDENCY, GENERAL SURGERY**

**WAYNE STATE UNIVERSITY  
Department of Surgery  
Detroit Medical Center  
July 1, 1979 – June 30, 1980**

**RESIDENCY, ORTHOPAEDIC SURGERY**

**WAYNE STATE UNIVERSITY  
Department of Orthopedic Surgery  
Detroit Medical Center  
July 1, 1980 – June 30, 1983**

**FELLOWSHIP:**

**HAND SURGERY FELLOWSHIP  
UNIVERSITY OF LOUISVILLE, Dept. of  
Surgery, Section Hand Surgery, Kutz,  
Kleinert and Associates  
July, 1983 - August, 1984**

**BOARD**

**CERTIFICATION:**

**AMERICAN BOARD OF ORTHOPAEDIC  
SURGERY  
Certified: July 26, 1986**

**CERTIFICATE OF ADDED QUALIFICATIONS IN HAND SURGERY**

**Certified: January 30, 1989  
Recertified: January 1, 1997, October 2006**

**PRESENT HOSPITAL  
APPOINTMENTS:**

**HARPER-GRACE HOSPITALS  
Detroit, MI  
CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL OF MICHIGAN  
Detroit, MI  
ST. JOHN HOSPITAL  
Detroit, MI  
HERITAGE HOSPITAL  
Taylor, MI  
OAKWOOD HOSPITAL  
Dearborn, MI  
DETROIT RECEIVING HOSPITAL  
Detroit, MI  
MACOMB HOSPITAL CENTER  
Warren, MI  
VETERANS ADMINISTRATION MEDICAL  
CENTER, Detroit, MI  
OAKLAND REGIONAL HOSPITAL,  
SOUTHFIELD, MI**

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**PROFESSIONAL  
SOCIETIES:**

**MICHIGAN ORTHOPAEDIC SOCIETY  
AMERICAN ACADEMY OF ORTHOPAEDIC  
SURGEONS  
AMERICAN OSTEOPATHIC ACADEMY OF  
ORTHOPAEDIC SURGERY  
DETROIT ACADEMY OF ORTHOPAEDIC  
SURGEONS  
AMERICAN SOCIETY FOR SURGERY OF  
THEHAND  
AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF HAND  
SURGERY  
HAND SURGERY SECTION, A.O.A.O**

**TEACHING  
APPOINTMENTS:**

**WAYNE STATE UNIVERSITY  
School of Medicine  
Department of Orthopedics  
Department of Surgery  
Department of Anatomy**

**PUBLICATIONS:**

**Elective free vascularized double transfer of toe joint from second toe to proximal interphalangeal joint of index finger: Case report. Journal of Hand Surgery [Am]. 9(6): 816-20, November, 1984.**

**Immediate free vascularized toe joint transfer: Case report. Journal of Hand Surgery [Br]. 10(1): 85-9, February, 1985.**

**Chronic exertional compartment syndrome of the forearm: A case report. Journal of Hand Surgery [Am]. 10(2): 302-4, March, 1985.**

**Skeletal traction for fractures of the femoral shaft in children: A long-term study. Journal of Bone and Joint [Am]. 69(9): 1435-8, December, 1987.**

**Purpura fulminans. Journal of Hand Surgery [Am]. 1990 Jan: 15(1): 172-5.**

**Transfer of the trapezius for flail shoulder after brachial plexus injury. Journal of Bone and Joint Surgery [Br]. 1990 Jul: 72(4): 701-4.**

**Evaluation of comminuted intra-articular distal radial fractures with computerized tomography. In: Saffar P. Cooney W. ed. Fractures of the distal radius. London: Martin Dunitz Publishers. 1994, 143-147.**

**Internal distraction fixation for closed comminuted intra-articular fractures of the distal radius. Journal of Hand Surgery [Am]. Submitted: December, 1994.**

**Ligament Injuries of the Hand. In Kasdan, M.L., ed. Occupational Hand and Upper Extremity Injuries and Diseases. Philadelphia: Hanley and Belfun, Inc. 1998. pp. 161-167.**

**Treatment of Comminuted Distal Radius with the use of an Internal Distraction Plate. Techniques in Hand and Upper Extremity Surgery 2(4): 248-252, 1998.**

**Lipofibromatous Hamartoma of the Median Nerve with Presenting Symptoms of Carpal Tunnel Syndrome. Journal of the American Osteopathic Academy of Orthopedics 44:32-35, 2007**

**PRESENTATIONS:**

**Fractured femurs in children. Wayne State University, Department of Orthopaedic Surgery, Grand Rounds Lecture. Detroit, MI April, 1983.**

**Fractured femurs in children. Children's Hospital of Michigan. Clinic Days. Detroit, MI May, 1983.**

**Fractured femurs in children. Michigan Academy of Orthopaedics. Harbor Springs, MI June, 1983.**

**Pterygium syndrome case report. International Congress. Post Congress Meeting Louisville, KY October, 1983.**

**Poster Exhibit, Fractured femurs in children. American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgeons. Atlanta, GA February, 1984.**

**Trapezius muscle transfer for flail shoulder. American Society for Surgery of the Hand. Las Vegas, NV January, 1985.**

**Trapezius muscle transfer for flail shoulder. Mid-America Orthopaedic Association. San Juan, Puerto Rico April, 1985.**

**Trapezius muscle transfer for flail shoulder. Michigan Orthopaedic Society. Gaylord, MI June, 1985.**

**Compression neuropathies. General Motors, Human Factors Committee. Sterling Heights, MI January 23, 1987.**

**Evaluation of comminuted intra-articular distal radius fractures with computerized tomography. Detroit, MI May, 1987.**

**Evaluation of comminuted intra-articular distal radius fractures with computerized tomography. Michigan Academy of Orthopaedics. Boyne Highlands, MI June, 1987.**

**Nerve entrapment in the upper extremity. Sinai Hospital. Detroit, MI January, 1988.**

**Wrist pain. Mount Carmel Hospital, Department of Orthopaedics, Ground Rounds Lecture, Quadrangle Program. Detroit, MI January, 1988.**

**Poster Exhibit, Evaluation of comminuted intra-articular distal radius fractures with computerized tomography. American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgeons. Atlanta, GA February, 1988.**

**Orthopedic Grand Rounds Lecture. McLaren General Hospital - Michigan State University February 26, 1988.**

**Changing attitudes with cumulative trauma disorders. Michigan Hand Rehabilitation Center, Inc. March 3, 1988.**

**Sinai Hospital of Detroit. Rehabilitation and Rheumatoid Staff Lecture. March 24, 1988.**

**Instructor: American Society for Surgery of the Hand - Regional Review Course. Henry Ford Hospital. Detroit, MI October 15, 1988.**

**Hand Infections. Resident Conference - Oakwood Hospital. Dearborn, MI. February 7, 1990.**

**Hand Infections. Mt. Carmel Hospital. Detroit, MI. February 28, 1990. Lecture. Michigan Hand Rehabilitation Center, Inc. Southfield, MI, March 3, 1990.**

**Carpal tunnel syndrome. Hartford Insurance Company. Troy, MI March 8, 1990.**

**Internal distraction for closed comminuted intra-articular fractures of the distal radius. Kleinert 6<sup>th</sup> Clinical Reunion. Louisville, KY May 31, 1990.**

**Hand reconstruction in the rheumatoid patient. Department of Rheumatology, Sinai Hospital. Detroit, MI October 18, 1990.**

**Anatomy and kinesiology review. St. John Hospital – Macomb Center. Detroit, MI. October 25, 1991.**

**Cumulative trauma disorders: conservative vs. surgical intervention. Rehab Works – MARPPS-RINC Seminar. Southfield, MI October 11, 1991.**

**Cumulative trauma disorders of the upper extremity. Wayne State University, Division of Occupational and Environmental Medicine. University Health Center. Detroit, MI December 12, 1991.**

**Hand Orthopedics, Part I. Department of Family Practice, Oakwood Hospital. Office of Hand Surgery Associates. Dearborn, MI January 8, 1992.**

**Hand Orthopedics, Part II. Department of Family Practice, Oakwood Hospital. Office of Hand Surgery Associates. Dearborn, MI February 12, 1992.**

**Poster Exhibit: Internal distraction for closed comminuted intra-articular fracture of the distal radius. American Academy of Orthopedic Surgeons, 59<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting. Washington, D.C. February 20 – 25, 1992.**

**Amputations and replantations. Treatment of fractures and ligament injuries of the wrist. Society for Surgery of the Hand – Regional Review Course. Henry Ford Hospital. Detroit, MI October 4, 1992.**

**Carpal Injuries associated with fractures: incidence and implications. Kleinert Society 7<sup>th</sup> Clinical Reunion. Louisville, KY June 10, 1993.**

**Wrist injury management. Michigan Hand Rehabilitation Center, Inc. Fall Conference. Farmington Hills, MI September 18, 1993.**

**Hand Anatomy. Grace Hospital. Detroit, MI September 21, 1993.**

**Hand Anatomy: Internal distraction plate. Grace Hospital. Detroit, MI September, 1994.**

**Ergonomics in the workplace. Industrial Injuries and Prevention Committee. 49<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting, American Society for Surgery of the Hand. Cincinnati, OH October 25, 1994.**

**Complex fractures of the fingers. Grand Rounds. Division of Plastic Surgery, Harper Hospital. Detroit, MI November 10, 1994.**

**Cumulative trauma disorder and ergonomics in the workplace. Ford Motor Company, World Headquarters. Dearborn, MI January 18, 1995.**

**Non-invasive vascular studies of the upper extremity. Grand Rounds. Hand Surgery Section, Division of Plastic Surgery, Harper Hospital. Detroit, MI January 19, 1995.**

**Physician's role in managing the problem patient. Winter Conference. Michigan Hand Rehabilitation Center. Southfield, MI March 3, 1995.**

**Cumulative trauma disorder and ergonomics in the workplace. Grand Rounds. Hand Surgery Section, Division of Plastic Surgery, Harper Hospital. Detroit, MI March 16, 1995.**

**Complex phalangeal fractures. Grand Rounds. Hand Surgery Section, Division of Plastic Surgery, Harper Hospital. Detroit, MI December 21, 1995.**

**Problems and pitfalls in returning the injured worker to work. Fall Conference. Michigan Hand Rehabilitation Center. Southfield, MI October, 1997.**

**Carpal Tunnel Syndrome and Lateral Epicondylitis – "Difficult Problems". Chubb Insurance Symposium. Troy, MI January 9, 1998.**

**Complex phalangeal fractures. Grand Rounds. Hand Surgery Section, Division of Plastic Surgery, Harper Hospital. Detroit, MI November 19, 1998.**

**Boutonniere Deformities. Grand Rounds. Hand Surgery Section, Division of Plastic Surgery, Harper Hospital. Detroit, MI March 4, 1999.**

**Return to work issues. Grand Rounds. Hand Surgery Section, Division of Plastic Surgery, Harper Hospital. Detroit, MI June 10, 1999.**

**Upper extremity nerve compression. Ford Global Healthcare Management Conference. Ritz-Carlton. Dearborn, MI March 30, 2000.**

**Epidemiology of Carpal Tunnel Syndrome. Upper Extremity Symptoms and the Workplace. American Society for Surgery of the Hand, Chicago, 2002.**

**Hand Arm Vibration Injuries. Upper Extremity Symptoms and the Workplace. American Society for Surgery of the Hand, Chicago, 2002.**

**Michigan Occupation Medical Annual State Meeting, October 2007, Kellogg Center, Michigan State University East Lansing, Michigan.**

**IN ATTENDANCE:**

**AMERICAN SOCIETY FOR SURGERY OF THE HAND. Annual meeting: March, 1983. Panel: Flexor tendon surgery: Tendon transfers in the upper extremity, Anaheim, California.**

**Instructional Courses: Treatment of intrinsic palsy of the hand; Reconstruction of the unstable and degenerated wrist.**

**AMERICAN ACADEMY OF ORTHOPAEDIC SURGERY. Annual meeting: March, 1983.**

**MICHIGAN ACADEMY OF ORTHOPAEDICS. Harbor Springs, MI June, 1983.**

**AMERICAN SOCIETY FOR SURGERY OF THE HAND. Annual meeting; February, 1984. Panel: Congenital deformities; Wrist injuries, Atlanta, Georgia.**

**Instructional Courses: Intra-articular fractures; Management of degenerative arthritis of the trapeziometacarpal joint; Cerebral palsy.**

**AMERICAN ACADEMY OF ORTHOPAEDIC SURGERY. Annual meeting; February 1984.**

**AMERICAN SOCIETY FOR SURGERY OF THE HAND. Annual meeting; Las Vegas, Nevada, 1985.**

**AMERICAN SOCIETY FOR SURGERY OF THE HAND. Annual meeting; San Antonio, Texas, 1987.**

**AMERICAN SOCIETY FOR SURGERY OF THE HAND. Annual meeting; Seattle, Washington, 1989.**

**AMERICAN SOCIETY FOR SURGERY OF THE HAND. Annual meeting; Phoenix, Arizona, 1992.**

**AMERICAN SOCIETY FOR SURGERY OF THE HAND. Annual meeting; Kansas City, MO, 1993.**

**AMERICAN SOCIETY FOR SURGERY OF THE HAND. Annual meeting; Cincinnati, Ohio, 1994.**

**AMERICAN SOCIETY FOR SURGERY OF THE HAND. Annual meeting; Nashville, TN, 1996.**

**AMERICAN SOCIETY FOR SURGERY OF THE HAND. Annual meeting; Boston, MA 1999.**

**AMERICAN SOCIETY FOR SURGERY OF THE HAND. Annual meeting; Seattle, WA 2000.**

**AMERICAN SOCIETY FOR SURGERY OF THE HAND. Annual meeting;  
Baltimore, MD, 2001.**

**AMERICAN SOCIETY FOR SURGERY OF THE HAND. Annual meeting;  
New York, NY, 2004.**

**AMERICAN SOCIETY FOR SURGERY OF THE HAND. Annual meeting;  
San Antonio, TX , 2005.**

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