

CURRICULUM VITAE

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Nephrology and Hypertension Medical Associates
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Education

College: University of Florida, 1978 - 1981
B.S. with honors, Phi Beta Kappa

Medical: University of Florida College of Medicine
Junior Honors Medical Program
1981-1985

Internship: Internal Medicine, 1985-86, Vanderbilt University

Residency: Internal Medicine, 1986-88, Vanderbilt University

Fellowship: Nephrology Fellowship, 1988-92, Vanderbilt University

Military Experience

Major, US Army.
300th MASH
Assigned to the 7th Medical Command, Europe during Operation Desert Storm
Operation Desert Shield, 67th Evacuation Hospital
Wuerzburg, FRG, 12/6/90 - 3/27/91

Licensure

Tennessee, 1989
Georgia, 1992
South Carolina, 1996

Board Certification

Internal Medicine, September 1988
Nephrology, November 1994, Recertified, 2004 and 2015

Employment

Medical Associates of Savannah/Hypertension and Nephrology Medical Associates.
1992 – Present. President/CEO since 8/1999
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Academic Appointments

Associate Professor
Mercer University School of Medicine
Savannah Campus
Savannah, GA
1997 – Present

Associate Clinical Professor
Medical College of Georgia
Savannah Campus
Savannah, GA
1999 – 2002

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Hospital
Appointments

Chairman, Clinical Care Evaluation Committee, 1992-1994
Memorial Health University Medical Center
Vice-Chairman, Department of Medicine, 1994-1996, 2012-2014
Memorial Health University Medical Center
Chairman, Department of Medicine, 1996-1998, 2014-2016
Memorial Health University Medical Center
East Division Representing South GA 2016-current
Fresenius Medical Board

Medical Director
Appointments

Medical Director
Fresenius Kidney Care – Coastal, 3/5/2001 – Present
Medical Director
Fresenius Kidney Care – Claxton, 1/1/2006 - Present

Professional
Memberships

American Heart Association
Fellowship, American College of Physicians
American Medical Association
American Society of Nephrology
Florida Society of Nephrology
Georgia Medical Society
International Society of Hypertension
Renal Physicians Association

Speaker

National Kidney Foundation
2008 Annual Meeting
April 2008
Texas

National Kidney Foundation
2009 Annual Meeting
April 2009
Orlando, FL

National Kidney Foundation
2010 Annual Meeting
March 2010
Orlando, FL

National Kidney Foundation
2011 Annual Meeting
March 2011
Nashville, Tennessee

National Kidney Foundation
2013 Annual Meeting
April 2013
Orlando, FL

National Kidney Foundation
2015 Annual Meeting
April 2013
Dallas, TX

Research Training

Pre-Doctoral Fellowship

1. Isolation of Oxyhemoglobin Oxidase
Mentor: Bruce F. Cameron, M.D., Ph.D., formerly of the Papanicolaou Cancer Research Institute, Miami, FL: currently Chief, Cincinnati Sickle Cell Research Center, Cincinnati, OH.
Sponsorship: American Heart Association (Florida Affiliate) Jr. Grant-in-Aid (1977 and 1978).
Presentations: Papanicolaou Cancer Research Institute Summer Research Day (1977 and 1978).
2. The Effects of ThioTEPA on the Antitumor Activity of Myeloperoxidase.
Mentor: Julius Schulz, Ph.D., former President, Papanicolaou Cancer Research Institute, Miami, FL.
Sponsorship: American Heart Association of Greater Miami Summer Research Scholarship (1978).
3. Formation of HDL₂-like particles from Human HDL₃ and Celite Bound Lipid.
Mentor: Melvin Fried, Ph. D., Department of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology, University of Florida
Sponsorship: NIH funded Medical Student Research Conference (1980 and 1981).
Presentations: Medical Student Research conference (1980 and 1981).
Publications: Grow, TE, Kumjian, DA and Fried, M (1980) Fed. Proc. 39:554.
4. Apoprotein Exchange between HDL subclasses: Isolation of a putative Apoprotein Exchange Protein.
Mentor: Thomas E. Grow, Ph.D., formerly of the Department of Basic Dental Sciences, University of Florida.
Sponsorship: NIH funded Medical Student Research Fellowship (Summer, 1982).
Presentations: Medical Student Research Conference (1982).
5. Evaluation and Isolation of a Putative T-suppressor Cell Maintenance Factor from the Rat MLR.
Mentor: Daniel R. Salomon, M.D., Assistant Professor of Medicine, University of Florida, Gainesville, FL.
Sponsorship: University of Florida, College of Medicine (Jan. 1985), March - April 1985).

Post-Doctoral Fellowship:

Platelet Derived Growth Factor Receptor Signal Transduction
Mentor: Thomas O. Daniel, M.D., Assistant Professor of Medicine, Vanderbilt University College of Medicine, Division of Nephrology, Nashville, TN (7/88 - 6/90).

Abstracts and Presentations

1. Brow, TE, KUMJIAN, DA, and Fried, M: Formation of HDL₂-like Particles from Human HDL₃ and Celite Bound Lipid. Federation of American Societies for Experimental Biology (FASEB), 1980.
2. KUMJIAN, DA, and Daniel, TO: Antiphosphotyrosine and Domain-Specific Anti-PDGF Receptor Antibody Recovery of Phospholipase C Activity. American Federation for Clinical Research, Featured Research Symposium (5/89).
3. KUMJIAN, DA and Daniel, TO: PDGF Receptor Association with Phospholipase C Predicts PDGF-Medicated Inositol Phosphate Production. American Society of Nephrology, 12/89.

4. KUMJIAN, DA and Daniel, TO: PDGF Receptor Association with Phospholipase C Predicts PDGF- Medicated Phospholipase C Activation, American Federation of Clinical Research, 5/89.

Publications

1. KUMJIAN, DA, Wahl, MI, Thee, SG, and Daniel, TO: Platelet-derived growth factor (PDGF) binding promotes physical association of PDGF receptor with phospholipase C. PNAS 86:8232 - 8236.
2. Martinez-Maldonado, M, KUMJIAN, DA: Acute renal failure due to urinary tract obstruction. Med Clin North Am 74:919 - 932.
3. KUMJIAN, DA et al: Phospholipase C-gamma complexes with ligand-activated PDGF receptors: and intermediate implicated in phospholipase activation. JBC 266(6):3973 - 3980.
4. KUMJIAN, DA, Daniel, TO: Platelet-derived growth factor and the vascular endothelium. Comments on Mol Cell Biophys (in preparation)

Research Investigator, Ambar (Alzheimer Management by Albumin Replacement), 2014 to 2017