





1. Nominee Application Form

Cherie-Ann Olympia Nathan, MD, FACS

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Are you in private practice or an academic? Academic

ELECTED POSITION FOR WHICH YOU ARE APPLYING: Director at Large

Deadline for submission is midnight DECEMBER 7, 2015 (no extensions). Please note that if a nominee does not submit the requested items by the deadline date, he/she will not be considered for an elected position.

Following is a list of documents which all nominees are required to submit.

1. Nominee Application and Questionnaire Form and signed statement agreeing to adhere to all aspects of the AAO-HNS/F Code for Interactions with Companies (see last page and item 1.4 / A full copy of the Code is published on the AAO-HNS website)
2. Truncated CV (3 page maximum; Word format only; **must be submitted on the official CV template**)
3. One-page biographical sketch (World format only on provided template)
4. Confidential questionnaire which is modeled after hospital medical staff application forms
5. Completed online AAO-HNS Financial and Intellectual Disclosure form (can be located at www.entnet.org/disclose); see AAO-HNS Disclosure Resolution Policy.

Your responses to the following questions will be reviewed by the Nominating Committee as part of the nominee application process. Responses must be submitted in writing and returned with the items noted above. **All documents must be submitted via email to a member of the Nominating Committee by the December 7 deadline to qualify.**

Please include your written responses to all of the following questions for the position for which you are applying. If more space is needed, you may add another page.

- Do you fully understand the job description and are you willing to serve the full term of the position?

Yes, I agree and am honored to serve the academy.

- Do you fully understand the time commitments for the position you are considering, and are you willing and able to meet the expected time commitments?

Yes and I will be available for all meetings and will fulfill the time commitments for the position.

- What experience do you have with Academy committees, board membership, or other specialty organizations that uniquely qualify you for the position for which you are being considered?

I have attended every Academy meeting since becoming a faculty in 1994 as well as a few as a resident and have participated actively during the meetings by presenting at all meetings and moderating panels, mini-seminars and instruction courses since 2000. As a head and neck surgeon I have been involved in the Head & Neck Surgery oncology committee from 2005-2010. However my main involvement with the Academy has been in the research arena. I am a surgeon-scientist and was a recipient of a CORE grant in 1997 which

helped me launch my work on targeted therapy. Having been given this opportunity through the academy I

have felt very strongly that the Academy is an important source of funding for otolaryngologists to establish their research careers. Hence I have served on the CORE for many years and having been chair of the AHNS research committee have been actively involved in increasing funding sources for CORE. I was part of the search committee for AAO-HNS research director in 2009 and more recently served on the committee to identify research gaps in 2012. I have also been a reviewer for Otolaryngology/HNS for many years and served on the editorial review panel in 2002. I was a recipient of the AAO-HNS Honors award in 2001 & 2008, received the distinguished service award in 2014 and currently serve on the Program Advisory Committee for 2013-2015. I hope to continue to increase my involvement by serving on the Board as “Director at Large” of this wonderful organization. Through my involvement with the academy and several other organizations such as the American Head & Neck Society (AHNS), Head & Neck Cancer Alliance (HNCA), Society of University Otolaryngologists (SUO) & the Triologic Society, I have been fortunate to get to know, up close, many of the dynamic and passionate leaders in our field. My experience working with these exemplary leaders and visionaries over the past two decades will help me make the critical decisions needed to lead our Academy through the uncharted healthcare landscape we face over the next few years.

I have served on the Nominating committee for the AHNS in 2008 and have been on their Board of Trustees for the Foundation in 2009 and was on the Council members at large in 2012. I was elected chair of the research committee for 2 successive terms (2009-2012) during which I interacted with CORE leaders to increase funding for CORE and played an important role in increasing funding for reviewers to attend CORE during our leadership retreat committee meeting in 2009. Currently I serve as chair of the finance committee for the AHNS (2012-2015) and was part of the Ad Hoc Search committee to determine which managing company should help run the AHNS. My role on this committee was to reach out to chairs of all committee members and the AHNS leadership to determine the pros and cons of our current managing company. This allowed me to get to know many members in leadership roles and work with them to identify gaps and strengths provided by the firm. I have also been on the Program Committee for the AHNS since 2006 and served on the International Program committee since 2007. I will be the Poster chair for the 1Xth International meeting in 2016 which has once again allowed me to get to know the membership well. Other committees I have served on are the Prevention Committee 2012-2015 & the Publications committee 2007-2009. More recently I serve on the Women in AHNS Task Force

I have been a Board member of the Head & Neck Cancer Alliance since 2010 and have been actively involved in the Search Committee for an Executive Director for the HNCA. I also serve as the Director of Research for the HNCA since 2010 and have helped institute new funding opportunities for Cancer Prevention and Education.

My involvement with the leadership of our Triologic Society started in 2000 when I was on the Program Committee for Southern Section in 2000. I have been on the Triologic Society Best Practices Committee since 2012 & the Program Committee for Trio Annual Meeting 2014, Trio combined spring meetings 2014. More recently I have been asked to serve on a new ad hoc committee for the Trio the “National Otolaryngology Physician-Scientist Assembly (NOPSA)” to increase the number of physician-scientists and improve support for their work.

I was involved with the SUO Young Academicians committee since 1998-2010 and was part of the first women academic group at the SUO and was asked to be their first speaker at their dinner. I currently serve on the audit committee of the SUO and the nominating committee for AADO. In addition I have been involved with the Education committee for the American Academy of Otolaryngologists from India since 2001 and served as Moderator & Poster discussant for multiple meetings for AHNS, Trio, ASCO, & the Academy.

Finally I was recently nominated to be one of three head and neck members to the NCI Steering committee as the surgeon representative.

- What experience do you have with hospital leadership, medical staff, community service, or other non-otolaryngology organizations that uniquely qualify you for the position for which you are being considered?"

Other national organizations that I have worked with closely are the American Society of Clinical Oncology (ASCO) where I was on ASCO's Invited program scientific committee for head and neck from 2009-2012 which required going to their headquarters in DC to establish the program for their annual meeting. I was asked to be a Faculty for ASCO's online module on HNCa which allowed me to get to know oncologists in the head & neck field. I have also served as faculty for both ASCO & the American Society for Radiation Oncology as well as the American College of Surgeons National Biomarker committee in 1999.

I serve on the NCI Task Force for Locally advanced HNSCC since 2007 and work closely with the Steering committee for Head and Neck cancer. This year I have been nominated to the NCI Steering committee. I have also served on multiple ad hoc study sections for the NCI and NIDCR and was asked to be a permanent study section member of CONC in 2011.

Our hospital LSU-Health has recently undergone privatization and I have been elected as their first Chief of Staff for University Health the new hospital entity. Hence I have been very involved during this transition with writing Bylaws, helping set up a Practice plan and negotiating Physician service agreements. As part of my home work during this transition I have reached out to leaders in our field who have gone through this transition and got to know physicians who understand hospital economics and the dynamics between academic institutions and hospitals very well. We have had some trying times during these difficult negotiations and as chief of staff I have helped bring physician issues to the Hospital Board and have helped negotiate some difficult issues with regards to compliance.

I was selected as the only representative of Northwest LA to be on the Search committee for the President of the entire LSU system for the state for all campuses. In addition I have served on the search committees for the Dean of LSU in 2005, Chancellor of LSU-Shreveport 2008, Cancer Center Director, Vice-Chancellor for Research, chair of the orthopedic search committee and pathology chairman search committee. I have served as the Clinical Affairs Advisory Committee to the Dean 2013, Medical Advisory Council to Chancellor 2010, Research Advisory committee since 2000, been Chair of the Promotion Committee in 2010, LCME subcommittee 2013 and have been on the Board of the Cancer Center from 2002. Diversity in all organizations is extremely important and my role on the Diversity Task Force instituted in 2011 helped me formulate much of the planning for diversity on our campus.

At the state level I have served on the Gene Therapy Consortium for the State of LA, Board of Directors for Shreveport Medical Society (SMS) & the Committee for Disaster Medicine Reform in 2008 after Hurricane Katrina. I have also been on the SMS media committee.

I feel very strongly that we should all give back to our community and have chosen to stay in Shreveport because of my involvement with a vibrant community that we have in our city. I served on the Board of Directors for Sciport the Science Museum from 2011-2014 & was on their advisory committee in 2010. I have been on two school boards for the Magnet school system in Shreveport and was nominated to speak at the school board when funding was short & survival of the Magnet schools was a concern in 2005. With my kids we have started monthly birthday parties at a Homeless shelter in Shreveport ("The Providence House) since 2008 and provided computer facilities and skype for residents at "Holy Angels" a facility for mentally challenged patients who come here from all over the country and cannot get to see their families. We also have a "Nathan Family Trio" and raise funds for the Shreveport Symphony, Opera and Cancer research through our musical performances in town.

I have been actively involved in free screenings and awareness of head and neck cancer since 1997 and have organized screenings for homeless shelters using a mobile screening van and thanks to the work of a dedicated Cancer coordinator. I have promoted Women in Medicine through a Dean TV show since 2002 & was nominated for Women who made a difference to Shreveport in 1998. I was honored to be Selected by

Shreveport-Bossier Magazine as one of Creative Folks in Shreveport in 2013 & by the S-B Chamber of Commerce for the Athena Award in 2012. Our medical school which has been the rock of my career honored me with the Leonard Tow Humanism in Medicine Award presented by the Arnold Gold Foundation in 2012 & Grateful patients started "The Nathan Endowed Professorship" in 2010 which has allowed me to continue to

promote funding opportunities for high school, undergraduate, minority students & medical students for research during the summer months.

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- What is your primary motivation for considering running for this position?
Our leaders of the Academy have shown us all how their unselfish and untiring work can make a huge difference to the future of healthcare for our patients through education, research and lobbying. In this age of tumultuous healthcare and conflicting opinions, I would love to represent the views of our members as it is critical to getting the mission accomplished. I believe that my involvement with multiple organizations through board membership & committees have given me the opportunity to personally know members who are passionate about making things better for our academy members and our patients and I have had the good fortune to learn from them. I would like to be part of the Academy leadership that helps mold the future of healthcare and work with our future leaders as I have worked closely with many of the members through my involvement with multiple organizations over the years.
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- What problems, if any, do you anticipate in fulfilling the requirements for this position?

None

- Do you understand the aspects of the *AAO-HNS/F Code for Interactions with Companies which directly applies to those in leadership positions, and if necessary, are you willing to relinquish those conflicts immediately prior and during your tenure in office?

Yes

***Code: 1.4.** Key AAO-HNS/F Leaders may not have Direct Financial Relationships with Companies during his or her term of service. Key AAO-HNS/F Leaders may provide uncompensated service to Companies and accept reasonable travel reimbursement in connection with those services. Key AAO-HNS/F Leaders may accept research support as long as grant money is paid to the institution or practice where the research is conducted, not to the individual. Research support, uncompensated services, and other permitted relationships are required to be disclosed.

Annotation: Key AAO-HNS/F Leaders may receive wages or other compensation from a Company in exchange for providing or overseeing the provision of health services to Company personnel. Key AAO-HNS/F Leaders may accept reasonable compensation for serving on an independent data safety monitoring board in a Company study. Key AAO-HNS/F Leaders may own stock or stock options in a Company. Key AAO-HNS/F Leaders may receive royalties or similar fees relating to patents or other intellectual property. While permitted under Principle 1.4, all such relationships should nevertheless be disclosed and managed in accordance with Principles 2.3.

If a Key AAO-HNS/F Leader receives stock or stock options from a Company as wages, consulting

fees, honoraria, or other compensation (other than the permitted payments as described in the prior paragraph), this is considered a Direct Financial Relationship. If a Key AAO-HNS/F Leader directs a Company honorarium, other fee or compensation (other than the permitted payments as described in the prior paragraph), to AAO-HNS/F, a charity, their practice or another entity, this is also considered a Direct Financial Relationship.

I, Cherie-Ann Nathan _____, agree to support and uphold all aspects of the AAO-HNS/F Code for Interactions with Companies ("the Code"). I will voluntarily disclose any and all direct financial relationships with companies as described in the Code, and if necessary, am willing to relinquish those conflicts immediately prior to and during my tenure in an AAO-HNS/F elected position.



Signature (REQUIRED)

11/29/2014 _____
Date

Cherie-Ann Nathan _____
Print Name

50881 _____
Member ID Number



Confidential Disclosure for Nominated Candidates – All Requested Information is Required

I. BIOGRAPHICAL SECTION

This information allows the Nominating Committee to complement your record of past contributions to those recorded in the AAO-HNS Member Services department database. Biographical information may be shared with the voting members of the Academy through the *BULLETIN*.

A. PERSONAL INFORMATION (Print or type – all information is required)

i. Full Name Cherie-Ann Nathan _____ Credentials M.D., F.A.C.S. _____

ii. Company Louisiana State University Health-Shreveport

iii. Office Address : 1501 Kings Highway, Shreveport, LA 71103-33932 _____

iii. Phone: Work 318-675-6262 _____ Home 318-861-1758 _____ Cell: 318-820-8120 _____

iv. Email cnatha@lsuhsc.edu _____

v. Date of Birth 12/17/1963 _____

vi. Place of Birth Pune, India _____

B. MEDICAL APPOINTMENTS AND OTHER POST GRADUATE EDUCATION

i. Please list all academic and hospital appointments not currently listed on your CV (*if this information is included in your truncated CV, do not add it below*).

Included in my CV

ii. Are you in active clinical practice?

Yes x _____ No _____

If no, please explain, e.g., retired, research project, etc.

iii. Are you certified by the ABO and/or other Boards? _____ xYES _____ NO

Please list the Board(s) and date(s) of certification. ABO: 1995



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C. MEDICAL LICENSE

List all states in which you have applied or are currently licensed to practice. If more than two states, attach a separate listing. If you are no longer licensed, or if a license was not issued, please explain.

State LA Date issued 09/1995

State _____ Date issued _____

II. **CONFIDENTIAL SECTION***

This section is modeled after hospital medical staff application forms. *The information provided in this section of the confidential disclosure form is only shared with the current members of the Nominating Committee who are obligated to total confidentiality into perpetuity.*

A. Do you currently have any physical or mental health condition (including but not limited to a current drug or alcohol dependency) that would adversely affect your ability to perform the essential duties and responsibilities of the Academy office or position that you are seeking?

Yes _____ No x
If yes, please explain.

B. Have you ever been convicted of a felony?

Yes _____ No x
If yes, please explain.

C. Has your medical license ever been subject to any adverse action or other restriction, including but not limited to revocation, suspension, probation, admonition, or censure?

Yes _____ No x
If yes, please explain.

D. Has any adverse action been taken against you by the Federal government, any law enforcement authorities, any hospital, or any managed care company?

Yes _____ No x
If yes, please explain.



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E. Are there **any** malpractice judgments or settlements that you have had to report to the National Practitioner's Data Bank or that otherwise should be brought to the attention of the Nominating Committee?

Yes _____ No x____
If yes, please explain.

F. **Is there anything in your past, including anything about your family, that might be embarrassing to the Academy if it became public?**

Yes _____ No x____
If yes, please explain.

III. CAMPAIGNING

It is a **violation** of Academy policy for candidates for office to engage in personal campaigning. Candidates are also prohibited from asking others to campaign on their behalf. This includes engaging in all forms of communications, including, but not limited to mail, flyers, phone calls, and all forms of electronic media (including, but not limited to Twitter, Doximity, LinkedIn, Facebook, ENTConnect, email, text messaging, etc.) **A candidate who engages in a personal campaign or who knowingly grants permission to others to conduct a campaign on their behalf will be immediately investigated with the possibility of disqualification.**

The AAO-HNS is the sole entity for sharing information concerning all candidates running for elected positions and provides an appropriate venue to introduce candidates to the AAO-HNS membership.

The AAO-HNS Nominating Committee accepts your signature as confirmation of your willingness to serve the AAO-HNS if elected, and of your understanding and acceptance to comply with the Academy's policy on prohibition of campaigning throughout the election period.

Signature

11/29/2014

Date

Cherie-Ann Nathan

Type or print name

50881

Member ID

Name Cherie-Ann O. Nathan, MD

I am honored that Dr. Ishman has asked me to submit my candidacy. I grew up in India, obtained my medical degree at the Univ. of Bombay, moved to the USA for a post graduate fellowship at Johns Hopkins (Maryland), general surgery internship at Michigan Butterworth hospital (private practice setting in the midwest), otolaryngology residency & head & neck fellowship at UCSD (California) & now my home LSU-Health Shreveport (Louisiana) where I am Professor & Chairman of Otolaryngology/HNS & director of Head & Neck cancer & Research at the Cancer Center. Hence I have lived all over the USA and learned that no matter where you are whether it be a mid size town, a large academic institution, a private practice setting all successful leaders that I admired were sincere, knowledgeable, hardworking, charismatic and optimistic. I believe I have had the opportunity to know those people in our field and hope to emulate them for leadership positions in our academy.

My involvement through committee work as a member or chair, or as a board member for various organization such as the Academy, ANNS, Head & Neck Cancer Alliance, Triologic Society, AADO and SUO, NCI task force/Steering committee or ASCO/ASTRO has given me the opportunity to witness the wisdom & negotiating styles of many thoughtful leaders who are tireless in their efforts to improve the working environment for our patients & physicians alike. The Academy is steadfast in its commitments to our members and I believe as a CORE member, search committee member for the AAO-HNS research director and one who worked with the academy and AHNS to increase funding for research, I have had the opportunity to witness those leaders that have been successful and the qualities that helped them reach their goals. As chair of the finance committee for the AHNS I have seen what qualities leaders need to approve increasing expenses while balancing the checkbooks. The leaders I worked with had people skills, were ready to cross party lines and had researched the subject well. I hope to be able to work with those that made things happen through smart, optimistic business plans.

As chairman I have had to learn the reimbursements and workloads of all subspecialties of otolaryngology. As the first chief of staff of the University Hospital during the privatization of the LSU-Health charity hospitals in our state I have been actively involved in the transition from a state run hospital to one that led by a private organization. As a result I reached out to otolaryngologists all over the country for advice during this transition. This allowed me to get to know otolaryngologists who understood the business of medicine in both the private and academic environment. I realized it was the collective knowledge of many that helped me in this transition and would be committed to working with and selecting candidates that bring different skill sets to the table.

Having been on various search committees for the chancellor and the President of the entire LSU system, on the diversity task force for the institution, women in otolaryngology for the SUO and on search committees for other national organizations such as the HNCA and AHNS as well as on school boards & the science museum board it is important in our search for leaders that our diversity reflects gender, race, practice settings and generations so that new and lofty ideas are tempered with wisdom and experience.

Our Academy faces problems on the academic front such as protecting our surgeon-scientists in these times of shrinking funds, and the task of supporting our private practice clinicians in solo/group practice as we all face reimbursement cuts in this era of value-based purchasing. This requires leaders who think out of the box and are willing to take calculated risks while having an astute vision and maintaining adaptability. I believe I have had the good fortune through my role in the Academy and other national organizations to know these incredible groups of visionaries, who will bring us together, balance the advancement of science with the economic challenges and will help our Academy lead us during the healthcare reform. I hope to help serve the Academy. I pledge to devote as much time needed to provide service to our Academy.

CURRICULUM VITAE

Date: 11/29/14

Name: Cherie-Ann O. Nathan, M.D. , F.A.C.S.

Current Employment: Prof & Chairman Dept. of Otolaryngology/HNS LSU-Health, Shreveport
Chief of Staff for University Hospital & Chief of Service University Hospital
Director of Head & Neck Surgery & Research at the Feist-Weiller Cancer Center

Place of Birth: India

Education:	<u>Dates</u>	<u>Degree:</u>	<u>Graduation:</u>
Premed	1979-1981	HSc	1981
Medicine	1982-1987	MD (MBBS)	1987

Residency and Fellowship

Post-doc Research Fellowship, Johns Hopkins University Dept of Oto/HNS 1988-1989
General Surgery Internship: Butterworth Hospital, Michigan State Univ. 1989-1990
Oto/HNS Residency at UCSD: 1990-1994
Head & Neck Fellowship: UCSD 1994-1995

Specialty

Head and neck

Licensure and Certification

Louisiana State Board of Medical Examiners current
Board Certified: Oto/HNS 1995

Previous Employment

VAMC: Chief of Oto/HNS 1995-1996

Memberships and Offices Held /Academy and other societies

Program Advisory Committee AAO-HNS 2013-2015
AAO-HNS Committee to identify Research gaps 2012
CORE grant review committee 2011-present
Search Committee for AAO-HNS Research Director 2009
AAO-HNS Mini-seminar moderator and speaker Vancouver 2013
Head & Neck Surgery & Oncology Committee 2005-2010
Reviewer for Oto/HNS 2007-present
Editorial Review Panel: Oto/HNS 2002
Moderator for AAO-HNS Annual meeting 2000, 2014
Program Committee for Trio Annual Meeting 2014, Trio combined spring meetings 2014 & Southern Section 2000
Triologic Society Best Practices Committee 2012-present
National Otolaryngology Physician-Scientist Assembly Triologic Society 2014
Program Committee for AHNS 2000 & 7th, 8th and 9th International AHNS Meeting
Finance Committee Chair for AHNS 2012-2015
Research Committee chair AHNS 2009-2012

Ad Hoc Search Committee for AHNS Managing company 2013
Board of Trustees for the Foundation of the AHNS 2009
Nominated to AHNS Council members at Large 2012
Nominating committee for the AHNS, 2008-2009, Women in AHNS Task Force 2014
AHNS Leadership Retreat committee 2009
Prevention Committee 2012-2015, AHNS Publications committee 2007-2009,
Chair of the Poster session for 9th International head and neck meeting 2016
Search Committee: Executive Director for the National Head & Neck Cancer Alliance (HNCA)
Director of Research for the HNCA 2010-present & Board Member HNCA since 2010-present
AADO Nominating Committee 2014
Moderator & Poster discussant for multiple meetings for AHNS, ASCO, Academy
SUO Young Academicians committee: 1998-2010, Audit committee 2014
American Academy of Otolaryngologist India Education Committee 2001-present
ABO Alternate examiner, 2013-2015
NCI Task Force for Locally advanced HNSCC 2007-present & NCI Steering Committee 2014
Ad Hoc Reviewer on NCI/NIDCR study sections, Invited to be permanent member of CONC
National Committee for ACS Biomarkers in HNSCC 1999
Faculty member of ASTRO and ASCO & Program committee 2014: Faculty for ASCOs online
module on HN Cancer
Chair of Clinical Sciences Symposium for ASCO Targeting Thyroid Cancer 2012
ASCO Invited program scientific committee for head and neck 2009-2012
Reviewer for multiple Otolaryngology journals, Cancer journals and editor of the International
Journal of Otolaryngology

Honor/Awards

RHODES Scholarship finalist (1987)
INLAKS Scholarship for Outstanding Student-Scientist to Johns Hopkins (1988-1989)
AAO-HNS Cherry Blossom Travel Award (1991) & AAOA Travel Award (1993)
Nominated for "Woman Who has Made a Difference to Shreveport" (1998)
AACR Travel Award for Methods in Clinical Cancer Research (1998)
AAO/HNS National Honors Award (2001, 2009), Distinguished Service Award 2014
60th Diamond Edition Marquis WHO's WHO in America
LSUHSC Team Recognition Award 2005, 2007, 2010, 2014
Alpha Omega Alpha Honor Medical Society as Faculty Member 2006
Nominated to the Collegium ORLAS 2007
Endowed Professorship "The Nathan Endowed Professorship" by grateful patients in 2010
Mentor for the Residents and Students who have won multiple national awards in research
Leonard Tow Humanism in Medicine Award presented by the Arnold P. Gold Foundation 2012
Shreveport-Bossier Chamber of Commerce Athena Award 2012
Selected by Shreveport Bossier Magazine for their special edition on "Creative Folks" for 2013
AHNS Presidential Citation Award 2014
Maintained NCI funding since 2000 (R21 and RO1)

Community Service

Board of Director for Sciport the Science Museum 2011-2014
Advisory Committee for Sciport 2010
Nominated to speak at the school board for survival of the Magnet schools 2005
Board of Directors for two Magnet schools in Shreveport and their fund raising organizations
Holy Angels a skilled facility for mentally challenged patients: Committee for Fund raising

Initiated Monthly Birthday Parties at a Homeless shelter in Shreveport since 2008
Key Note Speaker for Graduation St Elizabeth Church on motivating kids for community service
Women in Medicine Dean TV show 2002
Sponsor multiple fund raisers for the Cancer center and awareness of cancer in the community
Mentor for multiple high school, undergraduate, minority students for research

Regional/Local Hospital Participation

Search committee for the President of the entire LSU system for all campuses, Cancer Center
Director, Vice-Chancellor for Research, Dean Search Committee 2005
Pathology & chair of orthopedic search committee
Search Committee for the Chancellor of LSU-Shreveport 2008
Clinical Affairs Advisory Committee to the Dean 2013
Medical Advisory Council to Chancellor 2010
Chair of the Promotion Committee
LCME subcommittee 2013
Fesit-Weiller Cancer Center Board 2002-present
Dean's committee on Long Range Research Planning 2001-present
Research Advisory Committee 2000-present
Admission Committee for Medical school 1999-2011
Invasive Committee at the VA 1995-1997
Gene Therapy Consortium for the State of LA
Board of Directors for Shreveport Medical Society, 2013
Shreveport Medical Society Media committee 2009
Committee for Disaster Medicine Reform 2008
Chief of Staff University Hospital 2013-2014
Vice-President (President Elect) of the Medical Staff 2012
Other institutional committees: Diversity Task Force 2011, Clinical Board 2011-present
Medical Student Research Director 2000-present & Elective Course director 2000-1012

Summation of Published Works Within the Specialty

I have 142 Peer reviewed publications and published proceedings with the focus being head and neck cancer. Our original work on Targeted Therapy for molecular positive margins with Akt/mTOR inhibitors has resulted in a "Multi-institutional Clinical Trial" and NIH RO1 grants. We have written multiple book chapters on Biomarkers in HNSCC. We have also published some novel work on the role of radiosensitizing agents in the Akt/mTOR pathway to decrease the toxicity of cisplatin used in HNSCC patients. The above work is focused on advanced stage patients. For early stage disease our research efforts on "Improving Bioavailability of Curcumin for Prevention of Cancer has also resulted in a clinical trial and NCI funding. This has also led to a patent on curcumin formulations and an IND. We also have publications in the area of Skin Carcinogenesis and Curcumin and our resident secured a resident research grant from the Academy. Our work on targeted therapy was first supported by a grant awarded to me through the Academy which certainly laid the foundation for future grants. More recently with the epidemic of HPV associated cancers we have some novel work on the role of coinfection of EBV and HPV in HNSCC. In addition we have published original work on botox in the larynx, reflux in laryngectomy patients and voice disorders. Our work demonstrates the importance a surgeon-scientist plays in moving novel ideas from the bench to the bedside. Being competitive for national funding and participating in other head and neck societies as multi-disciplinary approach for our head and neck patients is important has helped in coordinating multi-institutional trials. In addition I am an editor on two head and neck surgery books and have contributed to 14 chapters in Otolaryngology Text Books.



Disclosure Individual Report

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Disclosure on Record

Key Leader: **Yes** Appointed Membership: **No** CME: **No** Position Statement Author: **No**

Journal Editorial: **Yes** Editorial Faculty Speaker: **Yes** CPG: **No**

Other Activity: **No**

Educational Committees: Non Educational Committees:

Reviewer

Any Relationships: **No**
