

MCOM Curriculum Vitae

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Education University of Toronto Faculty of Medicine, MD, 2010, Honors 2006-2010
McMaster University Faculty of Health Sciences, Dept. of Medical Sciences, Thesis: Cellular and molecular changes in bipolar disorder, PhD, 2006 1999-2006
University of Toronto, University of St. Michael's College, HonBSc, Thesis: Investigation of the myelin/oligodendrocyte glycoprotein and HLA region CA repeat loci in obsessive compulsive disorder; Specialist: Molecular Genetics and Molecular Biology; Major: Human Biology; Minor: Bioethics, 1999, Honors. 1994-1999

Postgraduate Training

Emory University School of Medicine, Department of Neurological Surgery, 1365 Clifton Road NE, Suite B6200, Atlanta, GA 30322 Fellow, Functional and Stereotactical Neurosurgery 2016-2017
University of Calgary Cumming School of Medicine, Department of Clinical Neurosciences, Section of Neurosurgery, 1403 – 29th Street N.W., FMC 1195, Calgary, Alberta, T2N 2T9, Resident, Neurosurgery 2010-2016
Board Certified in Neurosurgery, Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada 2016-present
Fellow, Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada 2016-present
Fellow, American Association of Neurological Surgeons 2018-present

Awards, Honors, Honorary Society Memberships

University of Toronto Entrance Scholarship 1994
John Lorimer Scholarship, University of Toronto 1994
John Delplam Jr. Memorial Scholarship, University of Toronto 1994
McMaster University Graduate Research Scholarship 1999

Dr. Ronald Kum Pui Mok Admissions Scholarship, University of Toronto Faculty of Medicine	2006
Jane and Howard O. Jones Fund, University of Toronto Faculty of Medicine	2007
Dr. Charlotte Hahn Memorial Scholarship, University of Toronto Faculty of Medicine	2009
Alberta Neurosurgical Society Annual Resident Clinical Presentation Award	2014
S. Terence Myles Award for Excellence in Resident Teaching	2016
Dr. Fernando L. Vale Golden Apple Award for Excellence in Faculty Teaching	2023
USF Health 2022-2023 Patient Experience Top Performer	2023

Military Services

Private – trained, Corporal qualified, Royal Canadian Army Reserves, 25 th Field Ambulance (medic)	1997-1999
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Current Appointments

Surgical Director, University of South Florida Movement Disorders Neuromodulation Center	2018-present
Surgical Director, University of South Florida Comprehensive Epilepsy Surgery Center	2018-present
Surgical Director, University of South Florida Peripheral Nerve Reanimation Center	2018-present
Head, Division of Functional Neurosurgery, Department of Neurosurgery and Brain Repair, University of South Florida Morsani College of Medicine	2022-present
Program Director, University of South Florida Stereotactic and Functional Neurosurgery Fellowship (CAST accredited)	2023-present
Associate Professor, Department of Neurosurgery and Brain Repair, University of South Florida Morsani College of Medicine	2023-present

Past Appointments

Assistant Professor, Department of Neurosurgery and Brain Repair, University of South Florida Morsani College of Medicine	2017-2023
Vice-Head, Division of Functional Neurosurgery, Department of Neurosurgery and Brain Repair, University of South Florida Morsani College of Medicine	2018-2023
Vice-Program Director, University of South Florida Stereotactic and Functional Neurosurgery Fellowship (CAST accredited)	2018-2023

Teaching, Lecture

Undergraduate

Teaching Assistant, Nursing 1B07, McMaster University School of Nursing, Hamilton, ON; 20 students	1999-2000
Teaching Assistant, Biology 2C03: Genetics, Faculty of Health Sciences, McMaster University, Hamilton, ON; ~130 students	2000-2001
Teaching Assistant, Health Sciences 1G03: Psychobiology, Faculty of Health Sciences, McMaster University, Hamilton, ON; ~130 students	2001-2002
“Stereotactic and Functional Neurosurgery” Neurosurgery Interest Group Journal Club. Online presentation; ~30 students	2022
“DBS Workshop” USF Pre-Health Training Society (PTS) medical workshop; ~40 students	2024
<u>Graduate</u>	
<u>Medical</u>	
“Cerebrospinal fluid: It’s physiology and management through drainage”. Neuro Champions ICU Education Day. Calgary, AB, Canada	2015
“Surgical Considerations in the Management of Epilepsy”. Grand Rounds, Emory University School of Medicine, Department of Neurosurgery, Atlanta, GA.	2017
“Advances in the Surgical Treatment of Epilepsy and Movement Disorders”. Grand Rounds, University of South Florida Department of Neurology. Tampa, FL.	2017
“Principles of Stereotaxy”. Grand Rounds, University of South Florida Departments of Neurology and Neurosurgery and Brain Repair. Tampa, FL.	2018
“Surgical Management of Pain”. Grand Rounds, University of South Florida Departments of Neurology and Neurosurgery and Brain Repair. Tampa, FL.	2018
“Surgical Management of Spasticity”. Grand Rounds, University of South Florida Departments of Neurology and Neurosurgery and Brain Repair. Tampa, FL.	2018
“Surgical Treatment of Epilepsy”. Grand Rounds, University of South Florida Departments of Neurology and Neurosurgery and Brain Repair. Tampa, FL.	2020
“Temporal Lobe Epilepsy”. Grand Rounds, University of South Florida Departments of Neurology and Neurosurgery and Brain Repair. Tampa, FL.	2022

Course Director, Stealth™ Tractography White Matter Dissection Course, Department of Neurosurgery and Brain Repair, University of South Florida, Tampa, FL; 7 course participants	2022
“Surgical Management of Peripheral Nerve Injuries”. Grand Rounds, University of South Florida Departments of Neurology and Neurosurgery and Brain Repair. Tampa, FL.	2022
“Management of Temporal Lobe Epilepsy”. Grand Rounds, University of South Florida Departments of Neurology and Neurosurgery and Brain Repair. Tampa, FL.	2022
“Surgical Management of Brachial Plexus Injuries”. Grand Rounds, University of South Florida Departments of Neurology and Neurosurgery and Brain Repair. Tampa, FL.	2023
“Indications and operative techniques for Anatomic Temporal and Frontal Lobectomies”. Grand Rounds, University of South Florida Departments of Neurology and Neurosurgery and Brain Repair. Tampa, FL.	2023
“Temporal Lobectomy”. 2024 Annual Summer Cranial Course, University of South Florida Departments of Neurology and Neurosurgery and Brain Repair. Tampa, FL.	2024
Instructor, “Pterional Approach & Temporal lobectomy”. 2024 Annual Summer Cranial Course - Skills Lab #2. University of South Florida Departments of Neurology and Neurosurgery and Brain Repair. Tampa, FL.	2024
<u>Non-medical</u>	
“Invasive Intracranial Electroencephalography” Invited Lecture, Psychology Dept Graduate Practicum in EEG/ERP Methods. Tampa, FL.	2023
Teaching, Supervisory	
<u>Clinical supervisory and training responsibilities</u>	
Assistant Professor, Department of Neurosurgery and Brain Repair, University of South Florida	2017-2023
Vice-Program Director, University of South Florida Stereotactic and Functional Neurosurgery Fellowship (CAST accredited)	2018 2023
Associate Professor, Department of Neurosurgery and Brain Repair, University of South Florida	2023-present
Program Director, University of South Florida Stereotactic and Functional Neurosurgery Fellowship (CAST accredited)	2023-present

Stereotactic and Functional Neurosurgery Fellows

Jay Kumar (enfolded fellow)	Jan – July 2023
Farid El Hefnawi	Oct 2023 – Oct 2024
Elliot Neal (enfolded fellow)	July 2023 - present

Laboratory or other research supervisory, training

Brook Kavanaugh, Research Assistant	2005-2006
Jordan Hailey, University of Calgary Hon.B.Sc. student	2014-2015

Formally supervised trainees

David Finch, USF Medical student – SELECT program	2021-2022
Zeegan George, USF Medical student – SELECT program, Capstone	2021-present
Adam Alayli, USF Medical student – Capstone	2024-present
Emma Dunn, USF Medical student – Summer Immersion program	2024-present

Clinical research supervisory and mentorship

Functional, Epilepsy, and Brain Networks Research Group:	
Long Di, USF Medical student	2019-2022
You Jeung (Julie) Park, USF Medical student	2020-2021
Deborah Liaw, USF Medical student	2021-present
Gavin Lockard, USF Medical student	2021-present
Molly Monsour, USF Medical student	2022-present
Adam Alayli, USF Medical student	2022-present
Samantha Schimmel, USF Medical student	2023-present

Formal teaching of peers

National

“Common Brain Tumors”. CME presentation at the 2018 ACLI Medical Section Annual Meeting. St. Petersburg, FL.	2018
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Regional

“Minimally Invasive Treatment of Epilepsy and Movement Disorders”. CME Presentation, Tampa, FL.	2018
“Surgical Management of Peripheral Nerve Injuries”. CME Presentation, Tampa, FL.	2018
“Focused Ultrasound: Treatment Options for ET and PD”. CME Presentation, Sarasota, FL.	2023

Lectures by Invitation

International

- “Association study between CAG repeats within the KCNN3 gene and bipolar affective disorder”. World Federation of Neurology Neurogenetics Research Group Meeting, in conjunction with the 1999 Annual meeting of the American Academy of Neurology. Toronto, ON. 1999
- “Application of Tractography in Functional and Epilepsy Surgery”. In Tractography Technology in Neurosurgery. Cohen-Gadol A (Ed.) The Neurosurgical Atlas: Atlas Innovations. 2021
<https://www.neurosurgicalatlas.com/grand-rounds/tractography-technology-in-neurosurgery>

National

- “Stealth™ Tractography: The New Standard for Easier, More Advanced Tractography Visualization of White Matter Tracts with Dissection and NeuroImaging”, Speaker – Lunch & Learn; Demonstrator – Hands-on Workshop; Medtronic, 2022 Annual Meeting of the American Association of Neurological Surgeons, Philadelphia, PA 2022
- “LIFU BBB Opening for Liquid Biopsy in patients with GBM; Pt CH”, Speaker – BT015 Investigator Meeting, Orlando, FL 2024

Regional

- “Neuroplasticity & Disruptive Technologies in Ablation & Neuromodulation”. Grand Rounds, University of Calgary, Department of Clinical Neurosciences. Calgary, AB. 2017
- “The Places in Between: Neuroplasticity and Neuromodulation”. Grand Rounds, Emory University School of Medicine, Department of Neurosurgery. Atlanta, GA. 2017
- “Advances in the Stereotactic Treatment of Epilepsy”. Grand Rounds, University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences, Department of Neurosurgery. Little Rock, AR. 2017
- “The Places in Between: Neuroplasticity and Neuromodulation”. Grand Rounds, Virginia Commonwealth University Department of Neurosurgery. Richmond, VA. 2017
- “The Places in Between: Neuroplasticity and Neuromodulation”. Grand Rounds, University of Alabama, Department of Neurosurgery. Birmingham, AB. 2017

“The Places in Between: Neuroplasticity and Neuromodulation”. Grand Rounds, University of South Florida Department of Neurosurgery and Brain Repair. Tampa, FL.	2017
“MRI-guided Laser Interstitial Thermal Therapy for Epilepsy”. Grand Rounds, Johns Hopkins All Children’s Hospital. St. Petersburg, FL.	2019
“Exploring Deep Brain Stimulation and Focused Ultrasound for Parkinson’s Disease”. 2021 SWFL Parkinson’s Disease Fall Symposium. Port Charlotte, FL.	2021
“Laser Interstitial Thermal Therapy, sEEG, and Robotic Assistance for Adult Epilepsy Surgery”. 2023 Annual Meeting of the Florida Neurosurgical Society, Palm Beach, FL.	2023
“Can DBS Help Non-Motor Symptoms of PD?” 2024 SWFL Parkinson’s Disease Fall Symposium. Port Charlotte, FL.	2024
“Treatment Options for Medically Refractory PD”. 12 th Annual Advanced Practice Conference3, Tampa, FL	2025

Clinical Activities or Innovations

Specialty Certification

Certificate, Spine and Peripheral Nerve Anatomy & Surgery Course	2013
Certificate, W. Lougheed Microsurgical Course	2015
Certificate, 2 nd Calgary International Tractography Workshop	2016
Specialist Certificate in Neurosurgery, Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada	2016
Fellowship Certificate, Functional and Stereotactical Neurosurgery	2017

Professional licenses

College of Physicians and Surgeons of Alberta, License # 016678	2010-2018
Licentiate of the Medical Council of Canada	2011
Georgia Composite Medical Board, Physician License # 75605	2016-2017
DEA, Controlled Substances certificate – Sch. 2,2N,3,3N,4,5, Registration # FB5889538	2016-present
Florida Board of Health, Unrestricted Physician License # ME 133248	2017-present

Practice activities and appointments

Attending privileges, Tampa General Hospital, Tampa, FL Epilepsy Surgery, Stereotactic and Functional Neurosurgery, MR- Guided Focused Ultrasound, Peripheral Nerve Surgery, Surgical Neuro-oncology, Spine Surgery, General Neurosurgery	2017-present
Attending privileges, AdventHealth Tampa, Tampa, FL Epilepsy Surgery, General Neurosurgery.	2019-2022

Attending privileges, Johns Hopkins All Children's Hospital, St. Petersburg, FL
Epilepsy Surgery, Stereotactic and Functional Neurosurgery

Clinical, technical, and other scientific innovations

Performed the first asleep, MRI-guided DBS lead placement in Western Florida.	3/5/2019
Performed the first robot-assisted placement of stereo-EEG depth electrodes in the Tampa Bay Area.	6/18/2019
Performed the first laser ablation of a cavernous malformation in Florida.	8/13/2019
Performed the first bilateral fornix DBS lead placement for Alzheimer's disease in Western Florida	6/1/2020
Performed the first placement of responsive neurostimulator leads in the bilateral centromedian nucleus of the thalamus for epilepsy in Florida.	10/26/2020
Performed the first laser ablation of a meningioma in Western Florida.	6/4/2021
Performed the first distal anterior interosseous nerve to motor ulnar nerve transfer in Western Florida.	7/2/2021
Performed the first Stereotactic Laser Corpus Callosotomy for epilepsy in Florida.	1/14/2022
Performed the first High Intensity Focused Ultrasound procedure for essential tremor in Western Florida.	5/5/2022
Established a robot-assisted stereo-EEG program for invasive intracranial monitoring of patients with epilepsy at AdventHealth Tampa.	2022

Scholarly Activity (grant history)

A) Current Grants

Agency: Boston Scientific
I.D.# 61258297 (Clinical Research Support Grant)
Title: Vercise DBS Registry
P.I.: Theresa Zesiewicz, M.D.
Percent effort:
Total costs for project period: \$128,983.70/year
Project period: 2018-present

Agency: Functional Neuromodulation
I.D.# 61188071 (Clinical Research Support Grant)
Title: ADvance II Study: DBS-f in patients with mild Alzheimer's Disease
P.I.: Jean Fils, M.D.
Percent effort:
Total costs for project period: \$649,605.50/year
Project period: 2019-present

Agency: SetPoint Medical

I.D.# 61298048 (Clinical Research Support Grant)
Title: SetPoint RA Study (SPM-020)
P.I.: Yarema Bezchlibnyk, M.D., Ph.D.
Percent effort:
Total costs for project period: \$13,000.00/year
Project period: 2019-present

Agency: SetPoint Medical
I.D.# 61298035 (Clinical Research Support Grant)
Title: Extension Study of VNS for RA (SPM-011)
P.I.: Yarema Bezchlibnyk, M.D., Ph.D.
Percent effort:
Total costs for project period: \$9,850.00/year
Project period: 2019-2021

Agency: Abbott Laboratories
I.D.# 61298042 (Clinical Research Support Grant)
Title: Abbott DBS Post-Market Study of Outcomes for Indications Over Time (ADROIT) Study
P.I.: Yarema Bezchlibnyk, M.D., Ph.D.
Percent effort:
Total costs for project period: \$56,165.50/year
Project period: 2020-present

Agency: InVivo Therapeutics
I.D.# 61298037 (Clinical Research Support Grant)
Title: Neuro-Spinal Scaffold INSPIRE 2.0
P.I.: Yarema Bezchlibnyk, M.D., Ph.D.
Percent effort:
Total costs for project period: \$16,770.00/year
Project period: 2020-present

Agency: NINDS
I.D.# 61298052 (FED Clinical Research Support Grant)
Title: Placebo-Controlled Effectiveness in INPH Shunting (PENS) Trial
P.I.: Naomi Abel, M.D.
Percent effort:
Total costs for project period: \$10,610 (Y1)
Project period: 2022-present

Agency: NeuroPace
I.D.# (Clinical Research Support Grant)
Title: RNS® System Responsive Thalamic Stimulation for Primary Generalized Seizures (NAUTILUS) Study
P.I.: Ushtar Amin, M.D.
Percent effort:
Total costs for project period:
Project period: 2022-present

Agency: Insightec
I.D.# STUDY004831/AL002/BRAINSTATE (Clinical Research Support Grant)
Title: Assessment of Safety and Efficacy of Exablate Blood-Brain Barrier Disruption for the Treatment of Patients with Probable Alzheimer's Disease
P.I.: Yarema Bezchlibnyk, M.D., Ph.D.
Percent effort:
Total costs for project period:
Project period: 2022-present

Agency: Insightec
I.D.# STUDY006076/BT015/LIBERATE (Clinical Research Support Grant)
Title: A pivotal Study to Evaluate the Safety and Effectiveness of Exablate Model 4000 using Microbubble Resonators to Temporarily Mediate Blood-Brain Barrier Disruption (BBBD) for Liquid Biopsy in Subjects with Glioblastoma Brain Tumors
P.I.: Yarema Bezchlibnyk, M.D., Ph.D.
Percent effort:
Total costs for project period:
Project period: 2023-present

Agency: Surgical Information Sciences, Inc. (SIS)
I.D.# STUDY006108/VISION (Clinical Research Support Grant)
Title: Visualization of the STN and GPi for DBS Surgery in Patients with Parkinson's Disease
P.I.: Yarema Bezchlibnyk, M.D., Ph.D.
Percent effort:
Total costs for project period:
Project period: 2023-present

Agency: Abbott Laboratories
I.D.#
Title: Treatment Resistant Depression Subcallosal Cingulate Network DBS (TRANSCEND)
P.I.: Ryan Wagoner, M.D.
Percent effort:
Total costs for project period:
Project period: 2024-present

B) Past Grants

Agency: Ontario Graduate Scholarship
I.D.# Postgraduate Scholarship
Title: Changes in Gene Expression in Patients with Mood Disorders
P.I.: L. Trevor Young, M.D.
Percent effort: 100%

Total costs for project period: \$10,000
 Project period: 2002-2003 (declined in favor of NSERC scholarship).

Agency: National Science & Engineering Research Council
Postgraduate Scholarship
 I.D.# Postgraduate Scholarship
 Title: Changes in Gene Expression in Patients with Mood Disorders
 P.I.: L. Trevor Young, M.D.
 Percent effort: 100%
 Total costs for project period: \$38,200
 Project period: 2002-2004

Agency: Ontario Graduate Scholarship
 I.D.# Postgraduate Scholarship
 Title: Changes in Cellular Morphology in Patients with Mood Disorders
 P.I.: L. Trevor Young, M.D.
 Percent effort: 100%
 Total costs for project period: \$10,000
 Project period: 2004-2005

Published Bibliography

Peer-reviewed – H-index = 15, i10-index = 19, 969 citations

1. **Bezchlibnyk YB**, Wang JF, McQueen GM, Young LT. Gene expression differences in bipolar disorder revealed by cDNA array analysis of post-mortem frontal cortex. *J. Neurochem.* 2001, 79(4):826-834.
2. **Bezchlibnyk Y**, Young LT. The neurobiology of bipolar disorder: focus on signal transduction pathways and the regulation of gene expression. *Can. J. Psychiatry*, 2002, 47(2):135-148.
3. Young LT, **Bezchlibnyk YB**, Chen B, McQueen GM, Wang JF. Amygdala CREB phosphorylation in patients with mood disorders: Effects of diagnosis, suicide and drug Treatment. *Biol. Psychiatry*, 2004, 55(5):570-577.
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1. Neal EG, Di L, Park YJ, Finch DA, Kornelli F, Maciver S, **Bezchlibnyk YB**, Schoenberg MR, Vale FL. Default Mode Network

Ventral Hub Connectivity Is Associated with Memory Impairment in Temporal Lobe Epilepsy Surgery. (In preparation).

2. Di L, Neal EG, Park YJ, Finch DA, Maciver S, **Bezchlibnyk YB**, Schoenberg MR, Vale FL. Network Variations in Patients with Temporal Lobe Epilepsy Achieving Seizure Freedom Following Differing Types of Epilepsy Surgery. (In preparation).
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4. Zeegan G, Piper K, Kumar J, Shub A, Zesiewicz T, **Bezchlibnyk YB**. Bilateral directional deep brain stimulation of the globus pallidus internus for spinocerebellar atrophy type 8. (In preparation).
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4. "Trauma neurosurgery in Cape Town, South Africa". **Bezchlibnyk YB**, Fieggen, G. (2012) *2012 Meeting of the Alberta Neurosurgical Society*. Banff, AB. Canada
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12. "Long-term Neuropsychological Follow-up after 7 Years of Responsive Neurostimulation (RNS)". Cation B, **Bezchlibnyk Y**, Rivera-Cruz A, León YC, Schoenberg MR. (2024). *Grand Rounds Annual Conference of the National Academy of Neuropsychology*, Austin, TX

Service

National/International

CAST Stereotactic/Functional Neurosurgery Fellowship Review Committee 2024-present

ASSFN Education Committee 2024-present

University/Hospital/Professional

2017-present

Member, University of South Florida Morsani College of Medicine
Faculty Council

Community Service

Volunteer, Infectious Diseases in Mumbai Program, Child Family Health International	2006
Counselor, Therapeutic Communications Program, Centre for Addiction and Mental Health, Toronto, Canada	2007
Program coordinator, Therapeutic Communications Program, Centre for Addiction and Mental Health, Toronto, Canada	2007-2008
Fundraiser and Spokesperson, Medical Students Ride for HIV/AIDS, Dignitas International.	2008-2010
Speaker at various patient support groups, including: “Surgery for Parkinson’s Disease”. USF Parkinson’s Disease Symposium, Tampa, FL.	2017
“Advances in the Surgical Treatment of Epilepsy”. Neurology Awareness Fair, Tampa, FL.	2017
“Surgical Innovations in Diagnosing and Treating Drug Resistant Epilepsy”. Epilepsy Town Hall, Tampa, FL.	2018
“Surgery for Essential Tremor”. International Essential Tremor Foundation Education Forum, Tampa, FL.	2018
“Surgery for Parkinson’s Disease”. Parkinson’s Disease Support Group. Tampa, FL.	2019
“Deep Brain Stimulation and Focused Ultrasound as Therapy”. Parkinson and Movement Disorder Alliance – Spotlight on Treatment. Orlando, FL.	2020
“Advances in the Surgical Treatment of Epilepsy”. Josh Provides Epilepsy Assistance Foundation, Online symposium.	2020
“Exploring Deep Brain Stimulation and Focused Ultrasound for Parkinson’s Disease”. JCC Lunch and Learn. Online symposium.	2020
“Parkinson’s disease and advances in Abbott DBS Therapy: Directionality and Remote Programming”. Neuro Challenge Foundation for Parkinson’s Disease. Online symposium.	2021
“Advancements in Telemedicine and Neuromodulation Treatment Options for Parkinson’s Disease”. PD Neuro Challenge. Online symposium.	2022
“Parkinson’s Disease and Essential Tremor” DBS and Focused Ultrasound – Improving Quality of Life. Cypress Lake Village. Online Symposium.	2023
“Deep Brain Stimulation (DBS) therapy and advancements in Remote Programming Telemedicine”. Philip Shayman Parkinson’s Program at the Bryan Glazer Family JCC. Tampa, FL.	2023
“Treatment Options for Medically Refractory PD”. Florida Chapter Parkinson’s Symposium, JCC, Tampa, FL	2024

Media Appearances

Toronto Motorcycle Show	Dec 12-14, 2008
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Society memberships

Member, Society for Neuroscience	1999-2006
Member, Canadian Medical Association/Alberta Medical Association	2010-present 2010-2018

Member, Canadian Neurological Sciences Federation/Canadian Neurosurgical Society	2018-present
Fellow, American Society for Stereotactic and Functional Neurosurgery	2018-present
Member, American Epilepsy Society	

Editorial positions

World Neurosurgery, Reviewer	2017-present
Neurobiology of Disease, Reviewer	2019-present
Journal of Neurology, Reviewer	2019-present
Neurosurgical Review, Reviewer	2020-present
Stereotactic and Functional Neurosurgery, Reviewer	2021-present
Neurosurgery, Reviewer	2021-present
Operative Neurosurgery	2022-present
Brain Sciences, Reviewer	2022-present
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