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CURRICULUM VITAE

SERGIO RODRIGUEZ, M. D.

Hand & Upper Extremity Surgeon

Clinical Training:

Fellowship in Hand and Upper Extremity Surgery

The Philadelphia Hand Center
Thomas Jefferson University, Philadelphia, PA
Director: A. Lee Osterman, M.D.
August 2007– July 2008

General Surgery Residency - Categorical Position

St. Elizabeth Hospital, Youngstown, OH,
Director: Michael S. Kavic, M.D.
July 2003 - June 2007

General Surgery Residency - Preliminary

Graduate Hospital Philadelphia, Philadelphia, PA
Director: Jerome J. Vernick, M.D. / Phillip Wry, M.D.
July 2002 - June 2003

Fellowship of Adult Reconstructive Foot and Ankle Surgery

Orthopaedic Specialists of Charleston, Charleston, SC
Director: Michael J. Shereff, M.D.
July 1998 – July 1999

Fellowship in Foot and Ankle Surgery

Dupuytren Institute, Buenos Aires, Argentina
Director: Alberto Macklin Vadell, M.D.
May 1996 – June 1998

Orthopaedic Surgery Residency

Dupuytren Institute, Buenos Aires, Argentina
Director: Eduardo Zancolli, M.D. / Alberto Caneva, M.D.
/ Alberto Macklin, M.D.
May 1993 – April 1998

Medical Education:

Universidad Católica de Córdoba, Córdoba, Argentina

February 1986 – December 1991
Degree: Medical Doctor, December 1991

Examinations Certifications:

Board Certified By The American Board of Surgery,

October 30, 2007– July 1, 2018

USMLE Step 1

USMLE Step 2

ECFMG – FMGEMS Step 1 & 2

FLEX

Examinations ECFMG – TOEFL
Certifications: BLS, ACLS, ATLS

Employment: **Hand & Upper Extremity Surgeon**
Orthopedic Surgery Center & Sports Medicine
Edinburg, TX
August 2008 - present

Attending Physician in Orthopaedic Surgery
Sanatorio Las Lomas, Buenos Aires, Argentina Department of
Hand Surgery – Attending Physician, managing patients in
inpatient and outpatient settings, surgical and nonsurgical
treatments, and Coordinator of the “Monthly Journal Club”.
May 2000 – April 2002

Attending Physician in Orthopaedic Surgery
Dupuytren Institute, Buenos Aires, Argentina
Department of Foot and Ankle Surgery – Attending Physician,
managing patients in inpatient and outpatient settings, surgical
and nonsurgical treatments.
July 1999 – July 2001

Emergency Department Attending Physician
Sanatorio Las Lomas, Buenos Aires, Argentina
Moonlighting as an Orthopaedic Surgeon.
July 1997 – April 1998

Emergency Department Attending Physician
Sanatorio Jockey Club, Buenos Aires, Argentina
Moonlighting as an Orthopaedic Surgeon.
September 1995 – July 1997

Academic Position: **Clinical Instructor of Surgery,**
Northeastern Ohio Universities Colleges of
Medicine and Pharmacy

Honors/Awards: First Place Prize “Watanakunakorn Award” at SEHC Resident
Research Day (2006)
First Place Prize at Northeastern Ohio University College of Medicine
General Surgery Resident Research Day (2005-2006)
Peer and Faculty-elected Resident Instructor in 1997-1998 at the
Dupuytren Institute of Orthopaedic and Trauma Surgery,
Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Peer and Faculty-elected Chief Resident in 1996-1997 at the Dupuytren
Institute of Orthopaedic and Trauma Surgery,
Buenos Aires, Argentina.

Honors/Awards:

Finished fourth of graduating class of Medical School,
G.P.A.- 8.98 / 10.
Faculty-elected as a Student Assistant in Human Anatomy
February 1987 – December 91.

Research Experience:

“Retrospective Study of Continuous Infusion of Local Anesthetic for Pain Management After Gastric Bypass Surgery” (submitting for publication)

St. Elizabeth Health Center, Youngstown, Ohio

University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA,

Research Specialist II – Microvascular Surgery Lab
Director: John Fung, M.D., Ph.D. / Satoru Todo, M.D.
Research Specialist II in the Laboratory of Microsurgery in the Transplant Institute at the University of Pittsburgh. Xenograft and Allografts in laboratory animals –skin and heart transplants.

February 1992 – March 1993

University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA,

Data Collection and Data Processing
Director: John Fung, M.D., Ph.D.
Clinical data and laboratory Analysis data collection and processing of patients undergoing clinical trials with immunosuppressant drugs including FK 506.

January 1990– March 1990

Publications

Presentations

Poster Sessions

Triplanar Corrective Osteotomies for Distal Radius Malunions

June 2008 Philadelphia Hand Society

Rodriguez, S., Dantuluri, P.

Rehabilitation of the Hand and Upper Extremity, 6th Edition

Flexor and Extensor Tenolysis: Surgeon's and Therapist's Management (Chapter 41) Culp R. W., Rodriguez S., Feldscher S. B.

Treatment of Symptomatic Neuromas of the Dorsal Radial Sensory Nerve Using a Resorbable Nerve Conduit Osterman A.L.,

Rodriguez S., Taras J.

Awaiting acceptance

Retrospective Study of Continuous Infusion of Local Anesthetic for Pain Management After Gastric Bypass Surgery

Sergio Rodriguez, M.D. / Joseph F. Yurich, M.D.
(First Place Award) 2006 SEHC Resident Research Day,
Youngstown, Ohio

**Publications
Presentations
Sessions:**

Retrospective Study of Continuous Infusion of Local Anesthetic for Pain Management After Gastric Bypass Surgery (First Poster Place Award) 2005-2006 Northeastern Ohio University College of Medicine, General Surgery Resident Research Day

Intraarticular Fracture Dislocations of the Proximal Interphalangeal Joint of the Hand – Our experience using a method described by Agee. S. Rodriguez, M.D. / G. Archain, M.D. September 2000
XXVI Annual Argentine Hand Surgery Meeting, Buenos Aires, Argentina

Crush Injuries of Lower Extremities.
Sergio Rodriguez, M.D. / Diego Scarpinelli, M.D. - October 1997
XXXIV Annual Argentine Meeting of Orthopaedics and Trauma, Buenos Aires, Argentina

Heel Pain in Athletes. Alberto Macklin, M.D. / Sergio Rodriguez, M.D. 1996
Universidad de Mendoza, Argentina

Fractures of the Tibial Spine in Children and Adults.
L. Casinelli M.D. / S. Rodriguez, M.D. 1995
XXXII Annual Argentine Meeting of Orthopaedics and Trauma, Buenos Aires, Argentina

Normal Anatomy of the Lymphatic System. Sergio Rodriguez. 1988
Universidad Católica de Córdoba, Córdoba, Argentina

Normal Anatomy of the Mamary Gland. Sergio Rodriguez. 1987
Universidad Católica de Córdoba, Córdoba, Argentina

**Professional
Memberships:**

American Society for Surgery of the Hand
American College of Surgeons
American Medical Association
Ohio State Medical Association
Mahoning County Medical Society

**Volunteer
Experience:**

Greater Pittsburgh Orthopaedic Associates, Pittsburgh, PA
Elective Rotation in Adult Reconstructive Foot and Ankle Surgery
Director Michael Bowman, M.D.
June 1998 – July 1998

University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA
Surgical rotations – Transplant Surgery, Vascular Surgery, and General Surgery.
January 1991 – February 1991

Volunteer Experience: **Universidad Católica de Córdoba**, Córdoba, Argentina
Student Assistant in Human Anatomy - In charge of the cadaveric dissections and practical explanation of human anatomy to first year medical students.
March 1987 – December 1991

Languages: Fluent in English and Spanish: Both Written and Spoken

Hobbies & Interests: Anatomical Dissections, Drawing, Active athlete with special interest in Tennis, Soccer and Hiking. Archery, Fishing and Outdoor life, Photography, Cooking.

Citizenship: U.S. Citizen