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EDUCATION AND TRAINING

UNDERGRADUATE:

08/2007 – 05/2011	The College of New Jersey Ewing, NJ	B.S. 2011	Biology <i>Magna Cum Laude</i>
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GRADUATE:

8/2010 – 5/2014	Rutgers University, NJMS Newark, NJ	M.D. 2014	Doctor of Medicine
7/2018 – present	University of Pittsburgh Institute for Clinical Research Pittsburgh, PA	M.S.	M.S in Clinical Research

POST GRADUATE:

6/2014 – 06/2017	University of Pittsburgh UPMC Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh Pittsburgh, PA		Pediatric Resident Dir: Dr. Stephanie Dewar
7/2017- present	University of Pittsburgh UPMC Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh Pittsburgh, PA		Pediatric Hematology & Oncology Fellow Dir: Dr. Erika Friebling

CERTIFICATION AND LICENSURE

MEDICAL OR OTHER PROFESSIONAL LICENSURE:

General Pediatrics Certifying Examination, passed	2017
State Medical Board of Pennsylvania (Medical Physician and Surgeon License)	2017 – 2018
State Medical Board of Pennsylvania (Educational Limited License)	2014 – present
USMLE, Step 3, passed	2015
USMLE, Step 2 CS, passed	2013
USMLE, Step 2 CK, passed	2013
USMLE, Step 1, passed	2012

SKILLS CERTIFICATION:

Pediatric Advanced Life Support	2015 – present
Neonatal Resuscitation Program	2015 – 2017
Basic Life Support Certification	2014 – 2017

MEMBERSHIPS IN PROFESSIONAL AND SCIENTIFIC SOCIETIES

American Society of Pediatric Hematology/Oncology	07/2017
American Society of Hematology	07/2017
Hemostasis and Thrombosis Research Society	07/2018
Alpha Omega Alpha	04/2013

HONORS

ASH Abstract Achievement Award	2018
<i>Merit-Based Award for trainees with high-scoring annual meeting abstracts</i>	
HTRS Hematology Fellows Consortium	2018
<i>Competitive Application for Conference, Recipient of Travel Award</i>	
NJMS Excellence in Pediatrics Award	2014
<i>Merit-Based Award</i>	
Recipient of Women in Medicine Achievement Award	2014
<i>Merit-Based Award</i>	
Alpha Omega Alpha	2013
<i>Elected to Junior AOA Membership</i>	
<i>Chapter Vice President</i>	
Recipient of Alumni Association Scholarship	2013
<i>Merit-Based Academic Scholarship</i>	
Phi Beta Kappa Honor Society	2010

PUBLICATIONS

PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS:

1. Close AG, Sequeira GM, Montano, GT, Alessi LJ, **McCormick MC**, Cooper JD, Eperly RA & Zuckerbraun NS. Improving the Evaluation and Management of Abnormal Uterine Bleeding in Adolescent Females Presenting for Emergency Care. *Journal of Pediatric and Adolescent Gynecology*. 2018; epub ahead of print.
2. **McCormick MC**, Siripong N & Cooper JD. Desmopressin Stimulation Testing: Response to Intravenous and Intranasal Forms. *Haemophilia*. 2018; 24(4): e194-e198.
3. Altschuler EL, Kim HJ, Huang AE, Hon AJ, **McCormick MC** & Roncato S. Not physically present contours can yield illusory motion. *Perception*. 2013; 42(10): 1051-1062.
4. **McCormick MC**, Hon AJ, Huang AE, & Altschuler EL. Contrast polarity preservation's role in perception: explained and unexplained stimuli. *Perception*. 2012; 41(1): 12-25.
5. Huang AE, Hon AJ, Li X, **McCormick MC**, Patel D, Chubb C & Altschuler EL. Koffka's effect is mediated by figure thickness at the joining region. *Perception*. 2011; 40(9): 1137-1141.

POSTER PRESENTATIONS:

1. "Epidemiology and Outcome of TRALI and TACO in the Pediatric Population: A Multi-Institutional Review." **M McCormick**, J Zullo, R Kalpatthi. American Society of Hematology Meeting 12/2018, San Diego, CA; poster presentation
Recipient of ASH Abstract Achievement Award
2. "Improving the Evaluation and Management of Abnormal Uterine Bleeding in Adolescents Presenting for Emergency Care." A Close, G Sequeira, G Montano, L Alessi, **M McCormick**, J Cooper, R Epperly, N Zuckerbraun. American Society of Pediatric Hematology Oncology Meeting 05/2018, Pittsburgh, PA; poster presentation
3. "Improving Management of Newly Diagnosed Infant Portal Vein Thrombosis." D Nolfi-Donagan, K Stanley, A Close, L Maurer, E Braverman, **M McCormick**, AK Ritchey. National Healthcare Quality Week and Infection Prevention Week 10/2017, Pittsburgh, PA; poster presentation
4. "Response to Intranasal versus Intravenous Desmopressin for DDAVP Challenge Testing." **M McCormick**, J Cooper. Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh Resident Research Week 05/2017, Pittsburgh, PA; poster presentation
5. "Checkerboards as a "Rosetta Stone" to the brain's rules to figure perception and interpolation." EL Altschuler, H Kim, AE Huang, AJ Hon, **MC McCormick**, S Roncato. Society for Neurosciences Annual Meeting 10/2012, New Orleans, LA; poster presentation
6. "High rate of positive urinalysis in syncope patients." K Mamood, D Patel, R Ngurka, **MC McCormick**, SR Scott, EL Altschuler. American College of Emergency Physicians Annual Meeting 10/2012, Denver, CO; poster presentation
7. "Contrast polarity preservation's role in perception: explained and unexplained stimuli." **MC McCormick**, AJ Hon, AE Huang, E Seckel, X Li, EL Altschuler. Vision Sciences Society Annual Meeting 05/2012, Naples, Fla; poster presentation.
8. "More work performed by draughtsmen." **MC McCormick**, EL Altschuler. NJMS Office of Research and Sponsored Programs Annual Poster Presentation 08/2011, Newark, NJ; poster and oral presentation.
Winner of 2011 ORSP Summer Research Poster Presentation
9. "Isolation of E. Coli K38 ribosomes and tests of activity." **MC McCormick**, E Goldman, W Mandecki. NJMS Office of Research and Sponsored Programs Annual Poster Presentation 8/2009, Newark, NJ; poster and oral presentation.

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

TEACHING:

1. Pediatric Hematology-Oncology Fellow Lecture Series 12/2018
 - Congenital Hemolytic Anemia
2. Pediatric Board Review 09/2018
 - Hematology/Oncology Board Review for Pediatric Residents
3. Division Conference 06/2018
 - Prevention of Bleeding Complications in Oncology Patients
4. Pediatric Hematology-Oncology Fellow Lecture Series 05/2018
 - Acquired Hemolytic Anemia
5. Pediatric Board Review 03/2018
 - Hematology/Oncology Board Review for Pediatric Residents
6. Senior Morning Report 04/2017
 - Case presentation to medical students and pediatric residents with subsequent presentation on case diagnosis of Pseudotumor Cerebri
7. Chairman's Report 12/2016
 - Case presentation to medical students, pediatric residents and faculty members on an unusual presentation of Langerhan's Cell Histiocytosis
8. Noon Conference 05/2017
 - Presentation on Global Health opportunities within the program
9. Morbidity and Mortality Conference 05/2017
 - Case presentation to medical students, pediatric residents and faculty members

CURRENT RESEARCH ACTIVITIES:

1. Tranexamic Acid to Prevent Bleeding Complications in Pediatric Patients with Hypoproliferative Thrombocytopenia 2018-Present
Dr. Darrell Triulzi, University of Pittsburgh Division of Pathology
2. Epidemiology and Outcome of TRALI and TACO in the Pediatric Population 2018-Present
Dr. Ram Kalpatthi, Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh Division of Hematology/Oncology
3. Hyperglycemia Requiring Insulin Therapy During Induction for Pediatric ALL 2018-Present
And Associations with Morbidity/Mortality
Dr. Ram Kalpatthi, Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh Division of Hematology/Oncology
Dr. Sripriya Raman, Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh Division of Endocrinology
4. Risk Factors for Acute Kidney Injury in the Pediatric Patients with Sickle Cell Disease and Impact on Care 2018-Present
Dr. Ram Kalpatthi, Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh Division of Hematology/Oncology

HOSPITAL AND PROFESSIONAL COMMITTEES:

1. American Academy of Pediatrics (AAP) Section on Pediatric Trainees (SOPT) 2018
Subspecialty Fellowship Trainee Delegate for Hematology/Oncology
2. Unified Fellows Council 2018
 - Council composed of fellow representatives from pediatric subspecialties at the Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh
3. MIBG Operations Group - Patient Care Committee 2018

- Committee dedicated to developing patient care protocols, policies and educational materials for patients, families and medical staff for new MIBG therapy suite

EDUCATIONAL AND SERVICE ACTIVITIES:

1. Community Oriented Resident Education (CORE) member 2014 - 2017
 - Area of concentration within the pediatric residency program which focuses on helping residents to develop the skills and experience to provide culturally competent care to the underserved
2. Finding Meaning in Medicine 2015 - 2017
 - Monthly meetings for residents to have meaningful discussions on topics fundamental to the experience of doctoring
3. Salud Para Ninos 2015 – 2017
 - Free bilingual pediatric primary care and immunization clinic
4. Global Health Experience 2017
 - 2 week rotation in Nicaragua working with the Superemos Foundation, which provides free medical care through a delegation to difficult-to-reach communities
5. Collaborative Approaches to Learning Medicine (CALM) Program 2011 - 2014
 - Organized orientation for the class of 2015
 - Oversaw CALM mentoring program for 2011-2012 with responsibilities including assigning mentoring duties, organizing student panels, and gathering student feedback on courses and clerkships
 - Organized activities with mentees designed to answer student questions and ease transition to medical school
 - Tutored first year students in Anatomy and Physiology
6. Project Pediatrics, *Program Co-Coordinator* 2010 - 2014
 - Organized weekly lectures on topics of interest
 - Organized volunteer activities including: Halloween, Christmas and Valentine parties in the pediatric ward, Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation Walk to Cure, Miles for Matheny Walk, weekly trips to the pediatric ward playroom and establishment of Boarder Babies program
 - Helped to organize and carry out first annual Primary Care Banquet
7. Early Start Mentoring Program 2011 - 2012
 - One-on-one weekly mentoring for at-risk youth in Newark public schools
8. American Medical Women's Association (AMWA), *Secretary* 2010 - 2014
 - Contacted physicians to organize a series of fall lectures regarding women's health issues
 - Planned and organized the annual "Women in Medicine Dinner" for two years, an opportunity for NJMS students to speak with female physicians in various medical specialties
 - Organized fundraisers for the Susan G. Komen for the Cure foundation and raise breast cancer awareness