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Curriculum Vitae

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PERSONAL

Born Davenport, Iowa
Marital Status Single

Interests/Hobbies Soccer, woodworking, skiing/snowboarding, backpacking, golfing, travel

EDUCATION

1992 – 1996 Luther College Decorah, Iowa
B.A. Biology *with Honors*

1996 – 2000 University of Iowa College of Medicine Iowa City, Iowa

PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION

2000 – 2001 General Surgical Internship Salt Lake City, Utah
University of Utah School of Medicine

2001 – 2005 Orthopaedic Surgery Residency Salt Lake City, Utah
University of Utah School of Medicine and Hospitals

2005 -2006 Orthopaedic Spine Surgery Fellowship Cleveland, Ohio
Cleveland Clinic

HONORS

Team Physician Judge Memorial H.S. Football, 2002-2003

Team captain, champion intramural soccer, 1998

Honors Surgery Program, 1990-2000

Medical Student Ambassador Program, 1997-99

University of Iowa Scholarship, 1996

Medical Student Tutor Program, Neuroscience, 1999

Varsity Soccer Letter, 1992-1996

Adidas Scholar Athlete, 1995

Phi Rho Sigma Service Fraternity, 1993-1994

Tutor: biology, chemistry, genetics, 1993-1996

Regent's Scholarship, 1992-1996

Howard Hughes Grant, Research Fellowship, 1992

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LICENSURE AND BOARDS

Indiana State Medical License, 2007
Board Certified in Orthopaedic Surgery, 2008

SPINE COURSES

2001	Spine Education and Research Institute Course, Denver, Colorado
2005	AO Resident and Fellow Spine Course, Las Vegas, Nevada
2005	DePuy Resident and Fellow Spine Course, St. Louis (May, 2005)
2006	AO Spine Course, Cleveland, Ohio
2006	Principles of TLIF, Medtronic, Orlando, Florida

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

1992 – Present	American Medical Association
2001 – Present	American Academy of Orthopedic Surgeons
2008 – Present	Association of Presacral Spine Surgeons

PRESENTATIONS

Resident's Anatomy Curriculum Presentations

Knee, 2001

Shoulder, 2002

Thoracolumbar Spine, 2003

Cervical Spine, 2004

"Science of the Physis", Basic Science Curriculum, University of Utah Hospital, March 2001

"Diagnosis and Management of Pelvic Ring and Acetabular Fractures", Basic Trauma Curriculum, University of Utah Hospital, August 2001

"Nonoperative Management of Low Back Pain", Musculoskeletal Radiology Conference, St. Mark's Hospital, September 2001

"Safe Wrist Arthroscopy", Hand Surgery Grand Rounds, University of Utah Hospital, February, 2002

"Intervertebral Disc Arthroplasty", Orthopedic Surgery Grand Rounds, University of Utah Hospital, January, 2003

"Lumbar Fusion: "The Facts", Cleveland Clinic Spine Institute Grand Rounds, CCF, March, 2006

"Herniated Disc", Grand Rounds, Methodist Sports Medicine / The Orthopedic Specialists, December, 2007 and 2008

PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

Brodke DS and Ritter SM, Non-operative Management of low back pain and lumbar disc degeneration. *J Bone Joint Surg. Am.*, August 2004; 86: 1810-1818.

Cleland CL, Ritter SM, Broghammer AM, GF Gebhart. "Brief neonatal inflammation causes permanent alterations in nociception in the rat." Submitted to *Science*.

Brodke DB, Ritter SM, Sandul W, Bachus K. Kinematic Changes of the cervical spine after total disc arthroplasty. Submitted to *J Neurosurgery Spine*, May, 2005.