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## CURRICULUM VITAE

### CURRENT APPOINTMENT

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| 12/2015 – Present | Interventional Cytopathologist <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Doctors Pathology Services, PA</li><li>• Dover, DE</li></ul>   |
| 09/2014 – 12/2015 | Medical Examiner <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Central District of the Office of the Chief Medical Examiner</li><li>• Counties of Hanover, Henrico, Chesterfield</li><li>• City of Richmond</li></ul> |

### EDUCATION

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| 09/1989 – 06/1992 | High School <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Granby High School, Norfolk, VA</li><li>• Salutatorian</li></ul>   |
| 01/1993 – 08/1996 | Bachelor of Health Sciences (BSHS, Cytotechnology) <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Old Dominion University, Norfolk, VA</li><li>• <i>Cum Laude</i></li></ul> |
| 08/1998 – 08/1999 | Master of Biomedical Sciences (MS) <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Eastern Virginia Medical School, Norfolk, VA</li></ul>                                    |
| 08/1999 – 05/2003 | Doctor of Medicine <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Eastern Virginia Medical School, Norfolk, VA</li></ul>  |

### POST-GRADUATE TRAINING

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| 07/2003 – 06/2004 | Surgical Intern <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Pitt County Memorial Hospital, Greenville, NC</li></ul>          |
| 07/2004 – 06/2006 | Junior Surgical Resident <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Pitt County Memorial Hospital, Greenville, NC</li></ul> |

- 07/2006 – 06/2007      Surgical Research Fellow
  - Pitt County Memorial Hospital, Greenville, NC
  
- 07/2007 – 07/2008      Microsurgical Research Fellow
  - International Institute of Reconstructive Microsurgery, Eastern Virginia Medical School, Norfolk, VA
  
- 07/2008 – 06/2009      Senior Surgical Resident
  - Pitt County Memorial Hospital, Greenville, NC
  
- 07/2009 – 06/2013      Resident, Anatomic and Clinical Pathology
  - Vidant Medical Center, Greenville, NC
  
- 07/2013 – 06/2014      Fellow, Cytopathology
  - Virginia Commonwealth University Medical Center, Richmond, VA
  - Director: Celeste N. Powers, MD, PhD
  
- 05/2015 – 12/2015      Fellow, Mobile Pathology Service
  - Doctors Pathology Services, Dover, DE
  - Director: V. Ray Sukumar, MD

## MEDICAL LICENSURE

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- 06/2008 – 06/2013      North Carolina (RTL), 116738
- 07/2013 – Present      Virginia (Unrestricted), 0101254435
- 11/2014 – 02/2015      Alaska (Locum Tenens), 8479
- 07/2015 – Present      Delaware (Unrestricted), C1-0011440
- 08/2015 – Present      Maryland (Unrestricted), D80219
- 08/2015 – Present      Pennsylvania (Unrestricted), MD455991
- 09/2015 – Present      New Jersey (Unrestricted), 25MA09777100

## CERTIFICATION

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- 09/1996      Cytotechnology, ASCP
- 06/2001      USMLE Step 1: Passed
- 12/2002      USMLE Step 2: Passed
- 12/2005      USMLE Step 3: Passed
- 05/2011      BD SurePath™ Gynecology
- 06/2011      ThinPrep Gynecology
- 06/2013      Board Eligible: Anatomic and Clinical Pathology (AP/CP)
  - American Board of Pathology

- 08/2016 Board Eligible: Cytopathology
- American Board of Pathology

## HONORS AND AWARDS

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- 01/1994 Black Belt in Tang Soo Doo Karate
- 06/1995 Beta Beta Beta Biological Honor Society
- 06/1996 Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges
- 07/2001 Lewis-Gale Foundation Scholarship
- 07/2002 Lewis-Gale Foundation Scholarship
- 03/2010 College of American Pathologists (CAP) Travel Grant
- CAP Residents Forum, Chicago
- 12/2011 CAP Spokespersons Training Program
- Selected Participant

## PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

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### State and National Committees

#### **College of American Pathologists (CAP)**

- 09/2009 – 09/2010 Residents Forum
- Delegate, Vidant Medical Center
- 09/2010 – Present Residents Forum Executive Committee
- Alternate Delegate to the CAP House of Delegates (2010-2011)
  - Delegate to the CAP House of Delegates (2011-2012)
  - Vice Chair (2012-2013)
  - **Chair (2013-2014)**
  - Immediate past Chair (2014-2015)
- 01/2011 – 10/2012 House of Delegates Steering Committee
- 10/2011 – 10/2013 Council on Education
- 10/2013 – 09/2014 Board of Governors, Ex Officio member
- 10/2013 – 09/2014 Council on Membership and Professional Development
- 10/2013 – 10/2014 Finance Committee

#### **American Board of Pathology & Accreditation Council on Graduate Medical Education**

10/2011 – 10/2012 Pathology Milestones Working Group

**American Society of Cytopathology**

10/2013 – Present Public Affairs and Advocacy Committee

**University and Hospital Committees**

**Pitt County Memorial Hospital (Greenville, NC)**

07/2007 – 07/2008 Resident Council (Surgery)

07/2009 – 07/2011 Resident Council (Pathology)

07/2009 – 09/2010 CAP, Resident Forum Delegate

07/2010 – 07/2011 Transfusion Committee

**MEMBERSHIP IN PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS**

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College of American Pathologists (CAP)

American Society of Clinical Pathologists (ASCP)

United States & Canadian Academy of Pathology (USCAP)

American Society of Cytopathology (ASC)

American Society of Dermatopathology (ASDP)

The American Pathology Foundation (APF)

Medical Society of Virginia (MSV)

**AD HOC REVIEWER OF MANUSCRIPTS**

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Archives of Pathology and Laboratory Medicine

PathologyOutlines.com

**TEACHING AND EDUCATIONAL EXPERIENCE:**

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**Virginia Commonwealth University (Richmond, VA)**

07/2013 – 06/2014 Ear, Nose, and Throat Tumor Board – Pathology Presentations  
(Bi-Weekly)

- Approximately 28 hours total

07/2013 – 06/2014 Cytopathology Journal Club (Tri-monthly)

- 3 hours total

07/2013 – 06/2014 Endocrinology Tumor Board – Pathology Presentations  
(Quarterly)

- 3 hours total

07/2013 – 06/2014 Pathology Resident Cytopathology Didactic Lectures

- Lecturer (3 lectures)

## ADDITIONAL RELEVANT EXPERIENCE

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| 04/2010 – Present | Pathology Resident Wiki <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Contributor</li> <li>• <a href="http://pathinfo.wikia.com/wiki/Pathology_Resident_Wiki">http://pathinfo.wikia.com/wiki/Pathology_Resident_Wiki</a></li> </ul>                         |
| 05/2011           | CAP Volunteer Laboratory Inspector <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Wake Forest Baptist Medical Center</li> </ul>  |
| 07/2011 – 01/2015 | CAP Residents Forum Facebook Group <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Founder, Contributor, and Administrator</b></li> <li>• <a href="https://www.facebook.com/groups/CAP.RF/">https://www.facebook.com/groups/CAP.RF/</a></li> </ul>         |
| 09/2011           | CAP Path to a Future in Medicine <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• High School Student Mentor</li> </ul>  |
| 12/2011           | CAP Spokesperson Training Course, Chicago <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Selected participant</li> </ul>   |
| 01/2012           | East Carolina University Virtual Dermatopathology Slide Collection <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Co-developer</li> </ul>  |
| 09/2012           | CAP Path to a Future in Medicine <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• High School Student Mentor</li> </ul>  |
| 09/2012           | CAP '12, Annual Meeting <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Social Media Reporter</li> </ul>  |
| 06/2013           | CAP Volunteer Laboratory Inspector <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Medical University of South Carolina</li> </ul>  |
| 10/2013 – Present | Cytopathology Facebook Group <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Founder, Contributor, and Administrator</b></li> <li>• <a href="https://www.facebook.com/groups/cytopathology/">https://www.facebook.com/groups/cytopathology/</a></li> </ul> |
| 05/2014           | CAP'14, Policy Meeting <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Participant</li> <li>• Social Media Reporter</li> </ul>  |
| 09/2014           | CAP '14, Annual Meeting <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Social Media Reporter</li> <li>• High School Student Mentor</li> </ul>  |

- CAP Brand Ambassador

## PEER REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS:

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**Mendoza R, Moore M, Passwater M, Fadeyi E.** "Delayed Hemolytic Transfusion Reaction without Detectable Auto or Alloantibodies: A Possible Role of Phosphatidylserine Exposure on Donor Red Blood Cells" *LabMedicine*. 2011; 42(11): 657-661

Naritoku W, Alexander C, Bennett B, Black-Schaffer W, Brissette M, Grimes M, Hoffman R, Hunt J, Iezzoni J, Johnson R, Kozel J, **Mendoza R**, Post M, Powell S, Procop G, Steinberg J, Thorsen L, Nestler S. "The Pathology Milestones and the Next Accreditation System" *Archives of Pathology and Laboratory Medicine*. March 2014; 138(3): 307-315

Terzis J, Karypidis D, **Mendoza R**, Kokkalis Z, Diawara N. "Morphometric Analysis of the Association of Primary Shoulder Reconstruction Procedures with Scapular Growth in Obstetric Brachial Plexus Paralysis Patients" *Hand*. Sept 2014; 9(3): 292-302

Terzis J, Karypidis D, **Mendoza R**, Kokkalis Z, Diawara N. "Morphometric Analysis of the Effect of Scapula Stabilization on Obstetric Brachial Plexus Paralysis Patients" *Hand*. Sept 2014; 9(3): 303-14

## ABSTRACTS/ PRESENTATIONS/ ADDITIONAL PUBLICATIONS:

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Fournier K, **Mendoza R**, Schiller A, Goffman T, Brown B, Perry, R, Laronga C. "Her2 Over-Expression in Inflammatory Breast Carcinoma" Virginia Chapter of the American College of Surgeons, Williamsburg, VA Apr 25-27, 2003

Contributor, "Richard E. Dean Senior ABSITE Review Manual 2007"

**Mendoza R, Kardys C, Manwaring M, DeFreitas, Hudson D, Holbert D, Pofahl W.** "A Comparison of Geriatric Short Stay Endocrine Surgery in a Rural Versus Urban Population" Southeastern Surgical Congress Annual Scientific Meeting, Birmingham, AL, Feb 11-13, 2008  
North Carolina Chapter of the American College of Surgeons, Asheville, NC, Jul 6-8, 2007  
East Carolina University Resident Research Day, Greenville, NC, Jun 13, 2007

Contributor, "Richard E. Dean Senior ABSITE Review Manual 2008"

**Mendoza R, Terzis, J.** *“The Use of Polyglycolic Acid (Neurolac®) Neurotubes with Schwann Cells versus Conventional Nerve Grafts for Regeneration across a Long Nerve Gap”*

Old Dominion University Research Expo, Communities of Research: Discovery, Entrepreneurship Annual Research Exposition, Norfolk, VA, Apr 9, 2008

**Mendoza R, Terzis J.** *“Outcomes of Functioning Free Muscle Transplants in Brachial Plexus Injuries”*

Old Dominion University Research Expo, Communities of Research: Discovery, Entrepreneurship Annual Research Exposition, Norfolk, VA, Apr 9, 2008

Contributor, “Richard E. Dean Senior ABSITE Review Manual 2009”

**Mendoza R, Bower C, Pofahl W.** *“A Novel Approach to Gastric Wedge Resection Using Single Incision Laparoscopic Surgery (SILS)”*

The Society of Laparoendoscopic Surgeons 18<sup>th</sup> SLS Annual Meeting and Endo Expo, Boston, MA, Sept 9-12, 2009

**Wu R, Mendoza R, Green E.** (2011). *“Almost Everything You Wanted to Know About Pathology Board Exams but Were Afraid to Ask.”* The College of American Pathologists. Retrieved from <http://bit.ly/Lv46sc>

**Mendoza R, Yin M.** *“Renal Cell Carcinoma in Patients with End-Stage Kidney Disease: A Single Center Experience”*

American Society of Clinical Pathologists Annual Meeting, Las Vegas, NV, Oct 19-22, 2011

**Mendoza R, Gardner J, Parker D.** *“Large Glomus Tumor with Oncocytic and Clear Cell Change Mimicking an Adnexal Neoplasm”*

The American Society of Dermatopathology, 49<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL, Oct 11-14, 2012

**Mendoza R, J Jakowski.** *“Indeterminate Thyroid Cytology: What’s all the FLUS about?”*

Virginia Commonwealth University, Pathology Grand Rounds, Richmond, VA, June 2, 2014

**Mendoza R.** *“Residents Forum Report to APC Program Directors Section”*

Association of Pathology Chairs 2014 Annual Meeting, Boston, MA, July 8-11, 2014

## GRANT APPLICATIONS

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**Mendoza R, Terzis J.** *“Outcomes of Functioning Free Muscle Transplants in Brachial Plexus Injuries”*

American Society for Peripheral Nerve, Nov 1, 2007

Plastic Surgery Education Foundation, Jan 16, 2008

Canadian Society for Surgery of the Hand, Apr 25, 2008

**Mendoza R, Terzis, J.** *“The Use of Polyglycolic Acid (Neurolac®) Neurotubes with Schwann Cells versus Conventional Nerve Grafts for Regeneration across a Long Nerve Gap”*

American Society for Peripheral Nerve, Nov 1, 2007

Plastic Surgery Education Foundation, Jan 16, 2008

Canadian Society for Surgery of the Hand, Apr 25, 2008

Plastic Surgery Education Foundation, Jan 15, 2009