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EDUCATION

University of Utah Health Care Plastic Surgery Residency

- ◆ Salt Lake City, UT
- ◆ June 2008 – June 2013

University of Arizona College of Medicine

- ◆ Tucson, AZ
- ◆ M.D. May, 2008
- ◆ USMLE Step 1: June 2006 – score: 234/95

Brigham Young University

- ◆ Provo, UT
- ◆ Major: BS Zoology, Minor: Korean
- ◆ Graduated April 2004

AWARDS AND HONORS

2006-2007

- ◆ Clinical Honors: Ob-Gyn, General Surgery, Plastic Surgery

2004-2006

- ◆ Preclinical Honors: Physiology, Genetics, Biochemistry, Pharmacology, Social and Behavioral Sciences

2001-2004

- ◆ Academic Scholarship from Brigham Young University

2002-2004

- ◆ Dean's List – top 5% of graduating class

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Eagle Scout Award

- ◆ Highest advancement rank in Scouting
- ◆ Fulfilled requirements in the fields of leadership, service and outdoor skills
- ◆ Senior Patrol Leader

National Society of Collegiate Scholars

2005-2006

- ◆ Research Associate: Dellon Institute of Peripheral Neuropathy

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Responsibilities have included authoring an article evaluating the prognostic ability of a positive carpal tunnel release to a good outcome from lower extremity nerve release.

Advisors: Christopher T. Maloney, Jr., M.D.
A. Lee Dellon, M.D.

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE (CONTINUED)

2003-2006

- ◆ Research Assistant at BYU

Studied the nicotinic acetylcholine receptors in rat hippocampal slices. Our objectives were to determine what types of nicotinic acetylcholine receptors are expressed in the hippocampus and how binding of a β -amyloid to nAChRs is affected by nAChR subunit composition in relation to Alzheimer's disease.

2005

- ◆ Hopkins Marine Station of Stanford University, Monterey, CA

Formulated and tested experiments involving *Cancellaria cooperi*.

PUBLICATIONS

2006

- ◆ Maloney CT Jr, Dellon AL, Heller C Jr, **Olson JR**. Prognostic ability of a good outcome to carpal tunnel release for decompression surgery in the lower extremity. *Clin Podiatr Med Surg*. 2006 Jul;23(3): 559-67

PRESENTATIONS

2006

- ◆ Maloney CT Jr, **Olson JR**, Dellon AL. Value of a Good Outcome With Carpal Tunnel Decompression in Predicting Success with Lower Extremity Nerve Decompression. Presented at American Society for Peripheral Nerve Surgery, Tucson, AZ. Jan. 2006

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

- ◆ Vice President, Arizona Surgery Club 2005-2006
Organized suture clinics involving general surgery residents and medical students
- ◆ CPR instructor 2004-present
Organize and instruct CPR classes 3-5x per year

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- ◆ Member: American Medical Association
- ◆ Korean Interest Group 2001-2004

VOLUNTEER WORK

- ◆ RTA Hospice
June 2002-Aug 2002
Provided emotional and physical support to hospice patients and their family.
- ◆ Volunteer Missionary Representative 1998-2000
The Church of Jesus Christ of Latterday Saints
Pusan, South Korea
Learning fluent Korean
Teaching English
Training new volunteers
Various service activities
- ◆ National Ability Center 2003
Park City, UT
Helping handicap children build confidence and skills snow skiing
- ◆ Boy Scouts of America
2002 Brigham Young University
Chemistry Merit Badge Counselor
- ◆ Maricopa Medical Center Summer 2002
Translated for Korean patients
Observed residents and attending physicians in Internal Medicine, General Surgery and the Burn Unit
Attended Grand Rounds and other medical lectures with residents
- ◆ CPR Instructor
BLS certified for American Heart Association
Teach CPR to medical professionals for initial certification or recertification
2005- present
- ◆ Commitment to Underserved People Program 2004-present
Participated in various programs to provide health care to rural and underserved areas

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Volunteered in a family practice setting, teaching students about harmful effects of tobacco, teaching students anatomy, counseling teen mothers, etc.

EMPLOYMENT

- ◆ Advanced Plastic Surgery Institute 2013-present
Owner and plastic & reconstructive surgeon
Experience with hand and face trauma call
Focus primarily on cosmetic surgery of the face and body

- ◆ Intern Of Medical Academic Affairs
Maricopa Medical Center (county hospital) 2002
Completing CME database
Organizing lectures for Director of Medical Education

HOBBIES

- ◆ Wakeboard Instructor
Mesa, AZ
Organized and managed a wakeboard school teaching safety and proper technique

Snow skiing, wakeboarding, guitar, tennis, golf, Korean culture, reading, etc.