

Curriculum Vitae

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Birth Date & Place: March 8, 1966
Palm Springs, California

Citizenship: U.S.

Current Titles:

a.

Academic appointment

Professor of Medicine, 9/13-present
Division of General Internal Medicine & Geriatrics
Emory University School of Medicine

b.

Clinical appointments

Associate Vice Chair of Education 9/1/2016-
Associate Chief of Service, Grady Memorial Hospital 6/2001-present
Department of Medicine
Emory University School of Medicine

Program Director, 6/01/2010-9/1/2016
J. Willis Hurst Internal Medicine Program, Grady Memorial Hospital
Emory University School of Medicine

Previous Titles:

a.

Academic appointment

Senior Associate in Medicine, 7/1997
Division of General Internal Medicine
Emory University School of Medicine

Assistant Professor of Medicine, 1999-2003
Division of General Internal Medicine
Emory University School of Medicine

Associate Professor of Medicine, 9/03-9/13
Division of General Internal Medicine
Emory University School of Medicine

Clinical appointments

Assistant Administrative Director 1999-7/2002
Hospital Medicine Unit, Grady Memorial Hospital
Division of General Internal Medicine
Emory University School of Medicine

Co-Director Hospital Medicine Unit, 7/2002-1/2004

Grady Memorial Hospital
 Division of General Internal Medicine
 Emory University School of Medicine

Associate Program Director, 6/2001-6/2010
 J. Willis Hurst Internal Medicine Program, Grady Memorial Hospital
 Emory University School of Medicine

Licensures/Boards: Georgia Medical License # on file (due 03/31/2021)
 DEA License # on file (due 6/30/2022)
 American Board of Internal Medicine (Board Certified 10/96, recertified 2006-2016, recertified 2016-2026)

ACLS (thru 09/27/2020)
 BCLS (thru 09/27/2020)

Education:

1985-89 University of California at Los Angeles
 B.S. Kinesiology/Microbiology

1989-1993 Emory University School of Medicine
 M.D.

1993-1996 Emory University
 Internal Medicine Residency

Continuing Professional Development Activities:

10/16 Healthcare Marketplace
 -Coursera
 5 weeks of study, 2 - 4 hours/week
 Stephen T Parente
 University of Minnesota

2017 Health Informatics on FHIR course
 -Coursera

2017 Kauffman Foundation FastTrac TechVenture Program
 -Graduate

2018-2019 Georgia CTSA Health Innovation Commercialization Academy Certificate
 -in progress

Committee Membership:

a. National and International

SGIM Education Task Force (Inpatient Subcommittee chair), 2003-2005

Society of Hospital Medicine
 Working Group Heart Failure Initiative, Member, 2006-2007

Society of Hospital Medicine
 Education Committee
 Member, 2008-2010

Society of Hospital Medicine

Academic Committee
Member, 2010-2012

Society of Hospital Medicine
Pipeline Committee
Member, 2010-2012

Society of Hospital Medicine
Physicians in Training Committee
Member, 2012-2013, 2013-2014, 2014-2015 (May to March)

ACP National Medical Student and Resident/Fellow Abstract Competition
Reviewer 2015, 2016, 2019

Food and Drug Administration (FDA)
Nonprescription Drugs Advisory Committee
Member, June 1, 2019 – May 31, 2021

Society of Hospital Medicine
National meeting 2018, 2019, 2020
Vignette Reviewer 2018-present

c. Institutional

Community-Acquired Pneumonia Pathway Committee
Grady Memorial Hospital
Physician Champion 1999
Co-Chair 2003-2009

Hospital Infection Control Committee
Grady Memorial Hospital
Member 2003-2009

Pharmacy and Therapeutics Committee (Antimicrobials)
Grady Memorial Hospital
Member 2003-present

School Admissions Committee
Emory University School of Medicine
Associate Member, 2003-present

Clinical Informatics Committee
Grady Memorial Hospital
Member 2004-present

Personal Digital Assistant Committee
Emory University School of Medicine
Member 2004-2005

Woodruff Health Sciences Center Library Advisory Committee
Member 2005-2014

Curriculum Planning Committee (IT Subcommittee)
Emory University School of Medicine
Member 2005-2006

Search Committee for Director of Information Services
Emory University School of Medicine
Member 2007-2008

Internal Medicine Quality Committee, Grady Memorial Hospital
Member 2005-present

Health Information Management/Medical Records Committee, Grady Memorial Hospital
Co-Chair, 2006-present

Best Practices Subcommittee, Grady Memorial Hospital
Member 2014-present

Editorships and Editorial Boards:

Evidence Based Medicine Solutions
08/00 Acute Bronchitis
09/00 Acute Pharyngitis
04/01 Community-Acquired Pneumonia

Physician's First Watch
Massachusetts Medical Society
Associate Editor
07/06 to present

Manuscript Reviewer:

Journal of American Medical Association Reviewer
1999
American Journal of Medicine Reviewer
2000-2002
Up to Date Peer Reviewer
2004-2006
Journal of Hospital Medicine Reviewer
2000-2006

Honors and Awards:

1990-1993	Harris Family Scholar
1990-1993	Riverside Physicians' Memorial Foundation Scholar
1993-1994	Internal Medicine Intern Achievement Award
1995-1996	Internal Medicine Resident Achievement Award
1997-1998	Annette Bernard Outpatient Teaching Award Honorable Mention
1998-1999	Golden Apple Teaching Award
1998-1999	Annette Bernard Outpatient Teaching Award
1999-2000	Annette Bernard Outpatient Teaching Award Honorable Mention
2000-2001	Annette Bernard Outpatient Teaching Award
2000-2001	Medical Student Teaching Award
2000-2001	Golden Apple Teaching Award
2001-2002	Juha P. Kokko Teaching Award
2002	Alpha Omega Alpha Honor Medical Society Inductee
2003	National Association of Inpatient Physicians National Teaching Award
2003-2004	Juha P. Kokko Teaching Award
2004-2005	Golden Apple Teaching Award
2005-2006	Juha P. Kokko Teaching Award
2006-2007	Golden Apple Teaching Award
2007-2008	Juha P. Kokko Teaching Award
2008-2009	Division of General Medicine Best Inpatient Attending

2010-2011	Department of Medicine Service Award
2010-2011	Division of General Medicine Best Inpatient Attending
2015-2016	Golden Apple Teaching Award
2016-2017	Juha P. Kokko Teaching Award
2016-2017	Joyce P. Doyle Award
2017-2018	Department of Medicine Clinical Distinctions Program Master Clinician designation
2018-2019	Division of General Medicine Best Inpatient Attending
2018-2019	Best Conference Award "Juha P. Kokko Conference"

Society Memberships:

1996-	American College of Physicians, Member (Fellow 2001)
1998-	Society of Hospital Medicine (Fellow 2008)
2002	Alpha Omega Alpha Honor Medical Society

Research/Scholarship Focus:

The majority of my clinical research focus is surrounded the area of general internal medicine. I have a developed a particularly strong interest in Community-Acquired Pneumonia. I have spent much of my academic time becoming an expert in Community-Acquired Pneumonia by lecturing, writing and working on quality improvement at my institution. I also have developed expertise and have continued interest in the following additional areas: aortic dissection, heart failure, pericarditis, pulmonary embolism, physical examination skills and the use of point of care diagnostics in medicine.

Formal Teaching:

a.	Medical Student Teaching
10/98	Evaluation of the Comatose Patient M3 Lecture series Grady Memorial Hospital
10/98	Adult Immunization M3 Lecture series Grady Memorial Hospital
1999-present	M4 Physical Examination Rounds Grady Memorial Hospital
1999, 2000	HEENT examination lecture Clinical Methods Grady Memorial Hospital
1999, 2000	Neurological examination lecture Clinical Methods 2-4 months/yr Grady Memorial Hospital
2001-2009	Community-Acquired Pneumonia Outpatient Diagnosis and Evaluation M3 Lecture series 4 months/yr Grady Memorial Hospital

b.	Residency Program
	Internal Medicine Residency Conferences
11/98	Community-Acquired Pneumonia. When to admit? Grady Memorial Hospital
05/99	Community-Acquired Pneumonia. When to admit? Grady Memorial Hospital
06/99	Morbidity & Mortality “Unstable angina and heparin.” Grady Memorial Hospital
08/99	Morbidity & Mortality “Central venous catheters and infection.” Grady Memorial Hospital
08/99	Adrenal Insufficiency Grady Memorial Hospital
11/99	Community-Acquired Pneumonia Diagnosis, Evaluation and Management of the Hospitalized Patient Grady Memorial Hospital
03/00	Rhabdomyolysis, Evaluation and Management of the Hospitalized Patient Grady Memorial Hospital
07/00	Community-Acquired Pneumonia Diagnosis, Evaluation and Management of the Hospitalized Patient. Grady Memorial Hospital
10/00	Emergency Medicine/Internal Medicine Inter-disiplinary Conference Community-Acquired Pneumonia Grady Memorial Hospital
10/00	Hospital Medicine Journal Club Prevalence, Clinical Characteristics and Mortality Among Patients with Myocardial Infarction Presenting without Chest Pain. Grady Memorial Hospital
04/01	Morbidity & Mortality “Primary Tuberculosis in an HIV patient?” Grady Memorial Hospital
11/01	Morbidity & Mortality “When you can make a diagnosis?” Grady Memorial Hospital
01/02	Community-Acquired Pneumonia, Therapeutic Challenges? Grady Memorial Hospital
09/02	Hospital Medicine Journal Club Goldman Clinical Decision Rule in Chest Pain Grady Memorial Hospital
04/03	Morbidity & Mortality “Cancer and DVT prophylaxis, Antiphospholipid Syndrome.” Grady Memorial Hospital

11/03	Acute Heart Failure: Hemodynamics, BNP and Nesiritide Grady Memorial Hospital
01/04	Hospital Medicine Journal Club Effect of Recombinant ApoA-I Milano on Coronary Atherosclerosis in Patients with Acute Coronary Syndromes Grady Memorial Hospital
06/08/04	“Cases from GMH” Grady Memorial Hospital
02/16/05	The Role of BNP in Diagnosing Acute Decompensated Heart Failure Grady Memorial Hospital
04/19/05	BNP and Acute Heart Failure EM/IM Conference Grady Memorial Hospital
06/08/05	Hospital Medicine Journal Club The Effects of a Smoking Cessation Intervention on 14.5 Year Mortality. A Randomized Clinical Trial. Grady Memorial Hospital
08/17/05	Multi-detector Row CT in the Diagnosis of Pulmonary Embolism.IM Residency Journal Club Moderator Grady Memorial Hospital
09/06/05	Hospital Medicine Journal Club Use of Exhaled Nitric Oxide Measurements to Guide Treatment in Chronic Asthma Grady Memorial Hospital
01/17/06	FUO: The Changing Landscape Hospital Medicine Conference Grady Memorial Hospital
06/27/06	Morbidity & Mortality Conference“ Avoiding Morbidity” Hospital Medicine Conference Grady Memorial Hospital
02/09/07	Morbidity & Mortality Conference “Just Pneumonia,” “Dependence on Tests” Hospital Medicine Conference Grady Memorial Hospital
06/08/07	Hospital Medicine Journal Club Antibiotic Treatment of Exacerbations of COPD. A Randomized, Controlled Trial Comparing Procalcitonin-Guidance with Standard Therapy Grady Memorial Hospital
03/28/08	Morbidity & Mortality Conference “The Answer is Skin Deep,” “Heart Failure is a Clinical Diagnosis” Hospital Medicine Conference Grady Memorial Hospital

09/26/08	Morbidity & Mortality Conference “Value of the history and the physical” & “Cardiac syncope” Hospital Medicine Conference Grady Memorial Hospital
04/23/10	Morbidity & Mortality Conference “Postoperative Fever” Hospital Medicine Conference Grady Memorial Hospital
07/01/14-present	Intern Clinical Skills Developer, Presenter, HEENT, CV, Pulm, GI, Neuro examination Ambulatory Curriculum J. Willis Hurst Internal Medicine Residency Program
07/01/15-present	Point of Care Diagnostic Curriculum Developer & Presenter PGY-2 Curriculum J. Willis Hurst Internal Medicine Residency Program
08/25/17	Morbidity & Mortality Conference “Dizziness” Missed Acute PE/Syncope/RSH Hospital Medicine Conference Grady Memorial Hospital
	Primary Care Lecture Series
1999-2006	Personal Digital Assistant Workshop 4-5 times/2 year curriculum
1999-2009	Community-Acquired Pneumonia 4-5 times/ 2 year curriculum
	Pre-clinic Conference Lecture Series
12/98	Iron Deficiency Anemia
01/99	Hepatitis C
04/99	Sinusitis
08/99	COPD
10/99	DVT evaluation
02/00	Dizziness
03/00	Peripheral Edema
08/00	Hypertension
10/00	Acute Bronchitis
10/00	Osteoarthritis
10/00	CAD testing and interpretation
11/00	Parkinson’s Disease
11/00	Acute Scrotum
12/00	Carpal Tunnel Syndrome
12/00	Secondary Hypertension
01/01	Prostatitis
01/01	Cost-Effectiveness
04/01	Chronic Stress
04/06	Hypertensive Ocular Manifestations (week long workshop)
10/08	Hypertensive Ocular Manifestations (week long workshop)
10/11	Hypertensive Retinopathy (week long workshop)

**Supervisory Teaching:
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2001-2002	Matthey Harris, MD & Carlos Franco-Paredes, MD
2002-2003	Adam Pearlman, MD & Frieda Millhouse, MD
2003-2004	Alberto Fernandez, MD & Abeer Moanna, MD
2004-2005	Josh Larned, MD & Monica Adams, MD
2005-2006	Eric Folch, MD & Alicia Hidron, MD
2006-2007	Joel Mermis, MD & Maunank Shah, MD
2007-2008	Lewis Satterwhite, MD & Rachel Del Favero, MD
2008-2009	Karen Law, MD & Paulina Rebolledo, MD
2009-2010	Julie Jackson Murphy, MD Gabriel Wishik, MD, Mihir Kanitkar, MD Matt Certain, MD, Rosette Chakkalakal, MD
2010-2011	Roy Abrahamian, MD, Ian Neeland, MD, Jordan Kempker, MD, Carmen Polito, MD, Anna Von, MD
2011-2012	Sonny Achtchi, MD, Drew Harris, MD, Kelly Stephens, MD, Akram Ibrahim, MD, Amanda Methvin, MD
2012-2013	Francois Rollin, MD, Victor Wu, MD, Jacqueline Green, MD, Roger Alvarez, MD, Kara Mould, MD
2013-2014	Frank Corrigan, MD, Tiffany Walker, MD, Megan DeMoss, MD, Valeria Cantos Lucio, MD, Justin Cheeley, MD
2014-2015	Roshan Patel, MD, Thi Gunter, MD, Jenna Kay, MD, Song Li, MD, Kiran Valiani, MD
2015-2016	Jennifer Spicer, MD, Lucas Golub, MD, Andrew Ip, MD, Geoff Southmayd, MD, Joe Knapper, MD, Paul McClung, MD
2016-2018	Distinctions in Medical Innovation & Mentoring

David Goese, MD (graduate 2018)
Nino Isakadze, MD (graduate 2018)
Ian Wong, MD, PhD (graduate 2018)

Internal Medicine Residency Program**Resident Continuity Clinic**

1997-1999	General Medical Clinic/Urgent Care Center Preceptor 9-10 months/yr (3-4 days a week) Grady Memorial Hospital
1999-2000	General Medical Clinic/Urgent Care Center Preceptor 3 months/yr (3-4 days a week) Grady Memorial Hospital
2000-2001	General Medical Clinic/Urgent Care Center Preceptor 5 months/yr (2-3 days a week) Grady Memorial Hospital
2001-2010	General Medical Clinic Preceptor 3-7 months/yr (1-4 days a week)
2010-present	General Medical Clinic Preceptor 7 months/yr (1 day per week)

Resident General Ward Service

1997-1999	General Medicine Ward Attending 2-3months/yr Grady Memorial Hospital
1999-2000	General Medicine Ward Attending 8 months/yr, Grady Memorial Hospital
2000-2002	General Medicine Ward Attending 6 months/yr Grady Memorial Hospital
2002-2010	General Medicine Ward Attending 5 months/yr Grady Memorial Hospital
2010-present	General Medicine Ward Attending 3.5 months/yr Grady Memorial Hospital
e.	Medical Student
1997-present	M3 Medical Student Inpatient Attending 2 students per month over 3-8 months per yr Grady Memorial Hospital
1997-2008	Clinical Methods M2 Preceptor Spring Semester Grady Memorial Hospital
	Medical Student Mentoring
2012	Cathryn Lee M4 Discovery Phase Clinical Research Project Sepsis Patients in Need of Rescue: An Opportunity for Intervention

Lectureships, Seminar Invitations, and Visiting Professorships:

12/06/99	Community-Acquired Pneumonia Diagnosis, Evaluation and Management of the Hospitalized Patient National Association of Inpatient Physicians, Southern Regional Meeting Atlanta, Georgia
05/20/00	“The Hospitalist Physician in Georgia.” Panelist-ACP Georgia Savannah, Georgia
09/23/00	Community-Acquired Pneumonia Workshop National Association of Inpatient Physicians Southern Regional Meeting Atlanta, Georgia
11/09/01	“Cases from the Hospital”

	National Association of Inpatient Physicians Southern Regional Meeting Atlanta, Georgia
11/09/01	Community-Acquired Pneumonia Workshop National Association of Inpatient Physicians Southern Regional Meeting Atlanta, Georgia
03/19/02	Community-Acquired Pneumonia in Adults: Therapeutic Challenges National Association of Inpatient Physicians Chapter Meeting Atlanta, Georgia
05/07/02	Managing Community-Acquired Pneumonia: Clinical Pathways Potential to Improve Outcomes? VHA CAP meeting Atlanta, Georgia
11/07/02	Hyponatremia Workshop National Association of Inpatient Physicians, Southern Regional Meeting Atlanta, Georgia
03/04/03	Acute Aortic Dissection. Old disease revisited. Medical Grand Rounds, Emory University Hospital Atlanta, Georgia
11/07/03	Acute Heart Failure: Hemodynamics, BNP and Nesiritide SHM Southern Regional Meeting Atlanta, Georgia
03/12/04	Community-Acquired Pneumonia. Improving outcomes. Where is the evidence? Crawford Long Hospital Medicine Grand Rounds Atlanta, Georgia
06/22/04	Community-Acquired Pneumonia: Diagnosis, Evaluation and Management Update 2004 Primary Care Grands Rounds Atlanta, Georgia
11/11/05	Electrolyte Disorders. A Focus on Na and Adrenal Disorders SHM Southern Hospital Medicine Update 2005 Atlanta, Georgia
12/19/05	Strategies for Successful General Ward Attendings. Faculty Development, Division of General Internal Medicine, EUSM Atlanta, Georgia
07/13/06	“The Teaching Portfolio.” Workshop Faculty Development, Department of Medicine, EUSM Atlanta, Georgia
08/03/06	Innovative Ways to Use/Access Resources Materials Faculty Development, Department of Medicine, EUSM Atlanta, Georgia

- 12/06/06 Strategies for Successful General Ward Attendings.
Division of General Internal Medicine, Faculty Development Program
Atlanta, Georgia
- 06/15/07 Community-Acquired Pneumonia. Improving Outcomes. Where is the
Evidence? "A collaborative MD/Nursing effort"
MD Showcase, Grady Memorial Hospital
Atlanta, Georgia
- 05/15/08 Chief Resident Leadership & Management Seminar 2008
Department of Family & Preventive Medicine Emory University
School of Medicine "Program Directors/Assistant Program Directors"
Panelist
Atlanta, Georgia
- 05/22/08 Faculty Journal Club "Acute Heart Failure and Troponin"
Division of General Internal Medicine
Atlanta, Georgia
- 11/13/08 Healthcare-Associated Pneumonia
SHM Southern Hospital Medicine 2008
Atlanta, Georgia
- 01/27/09 Strategies for Successful Ward Attendings. The Medicine Experience
Division of General Medicine. Faculty Development Program
Atlanta, Georgia
- 05/23/09 Healthcare-Associated Pneumonia Update
Primary Care Ground Rounds
Atlanta, Georgia
- 10/15/09 Healthcare-Associated Pneumonia
SHM Southern Hospital Medicine 2009
New Orleans, Louisiana
- 12/02/09 Strategies for Successful Ward Attendings. The Medicine Experience
Division of General Medicine. Faculty Development Program
Atlanta, Georgia
- 02/03/10 Strategies for Successful Inpatient Attendings: The Medicine
Perspective. Learning To Be Better Teachers.
EUSM Faculty Development Day
Atlanta, Georgia
- 02/07/11 Strategies for Successful Inpatient Attendings: The Medicine
Perspective. Learning To Be Better Teachers.
EUSM Faculty Development Day
Atlanta, Georgia
- 10/21/11 Using Technology to Teach Young Learners: Keeping Up With the
Millennials.
EUSM Faculty Development
Atlanta, Georgia
- 11/02/11 Strategies for Successful Ward Attendings. The Medicine Experience

- Division of General Medicine, Faculty Development Workshop
Atlanta, Georgia
- 02/15/12 Strategies for Successful Inpatient Attendings: The Medicine Perspective. Learning To Be Better Teachers.
EUSM Faculty Development Day
Atlanta, Georgia
- 05/16/12 Skills Workshop for the Teaching Attending
Panel Member
EUSM Faculty Development Day
Atlanta, Georgia
- 10/27/12 Advances and Controversies in Community Acquired Pneumonia
Southern Society of Hospital Medicine, Regional Meeting 2012
Atlanta, Georgia
- 09/06/14 High Value Skills for New Teachers: Using High Value Care Curriculum to Cultivate a Teaching Faculty, APDIM Grant - Regional Faculty Development Workshop
Athens, Georgia
- 10/15/16 Breakfast with the expert: Controversies and Challenging Cases in Pneumonia
Southern Hospital Medicine Conference
Atlanta, Georgia
- 10/05/18 Hands-On!!— New Technology Tools that Hospitalists Can Use to Augment Clinical and Diagnostic Skills
Southern Hospital Medicine Conference
Atlanta, Georgia

Invitations to National or International Conferences:

- 04/20/04 Successful Strategies for the General Ward Attending
Society of Hospital Medicine, National Meeting
San Diego, California
- 04/02/08 Competency in Medical Informatics: A Multi-Level Curriculum for Residents and Faculty. Workshop
Association of Program Directors in Internal Medicine
New Orleans, Louisiana
- 04/03/08 Teaching Portfolios, Targeting Teaching Positions and Getting Promoted as a Clinician Educator
Society of Hospital Medicine, National Meeting
San Diego, California
- 05/13/09 Strategies for Successful Ward Attendings. The Medicine Experience
Society of Hospital Medicine, National Meeting 2009
Chicago, Illinois
- 08/13/09 Community-Acquired Pneumonia
Adult Hospitalist Physician Assistant and Nurse Practitioner Boot Camp
Chantilly, Virginia

- 08/13/09 Acute Heart Failure
Adult Hospitalist Physician Assistant and Nurse Practitioner Boot Camp
Chantilly, Virginia
- 04/12/11 Using Resident Report to Promote Evidence-Based Practice: Real Time Interactive Asking, Searching, and Answering Pertinent Clinical Questions
Association of Program Directors in Internal Medicine
Las Vegas, Nevada
- 10/04/13 I Have to Do What! Shared Strategies to Enhance Evaluation and to Optimize the Performance of the Clinical Competency Committee.
E. Benjamin Clyburn, MD, Medical University of South Carolina, Lisa L. Willett, MD, University of Alabama at Birmingham School of Medicine, Lorenzo DiFrancesco, MD, Emory University School of Medicine, Cinnamon Bradley, MD, Morehouse School of Medicine
Association of Program Directors in Internal Medicine
New Orleans, Louisiana

Other Activities:

- 1997-2008 Volunteer Physician
Physician's Care Clinic
Decatur, Georgia

Bibliography:**a. Published and accepted research articles (clinical, basic science, other) in refereed journals:**

- 2005 **Lorenzo Di Francesco**, MD, Michael Pistoria, DO, Andrew Auerbach, MD, MPH, Robert Nardino, MD, Eric S. Holmboe, MD. Internal Medicine Training in the Inpatient Setting. A Review of Published Educational Interventions. *J Gen Intern Med.* 2005;20:1173-1180.
- 2005 Eric S. Holmboe, MD, Judith Bowen, MD, Michael Green, MD, MSc, Jessica Gregg, PhD, MD, **Lorenzo Di Francesco**, MD, Eileen Reynolds, MD, Patrick Alguire, MD, David Battinelli, MD, Catherine Lucy, MD, Daniel Duffy, MD. Reforming Internal Medicine Residency Training. A Report from the Society of General Internal Medicine's Task Force for Residency Reform. *J Gen Intern Med* 2005;20:1165-1172.
- 2009 Gregory B. Seymann. **Lorenzo Di Francesco**, Bradley Sharpe, Jeffrey Rohde, Peter Fedullo, Aaron Schneir, Christopher Fee, Kevin M, Pedram Fatehi, Thuy-Tien Dam. The HCAP gap: differences between self-reported practice patterns and published guidelines for health care-associated pneumonia. *Clin Infect Dis.* 2009 Dec 15;49(12):1875-7.
- 2010 Andrew P. DeFilippis, MD MSc, Ildefonso Tellez, MD, MPH, Neil Winawer, MD, FHM, **Lorenzo Di Francesco**, MD, FACP, Kimberly Manning, MD, Sunil Kripalani, MD, MSc, FHM. On-site Night Float by Attending Physicians: A Model to Improve Resident Education and Patient Care. *J of Grad Educ.* 2010;2:57-61.
- 2011 Jennifer P. King, MPH, Terry C. Davis, PhD, Stacy Cooper Bailey, MPH, Kara L. Jacobson, MPH, Laurie A Hedlund, BA, **Lorenzo Di**

Francesco, MD, Ruth Parker, MD, Michael S. Wolf, PhD, MPH. Developing Consumer-Centered, Nonprescription Drug Labeling: A Study in Acetaminophen. *Am J Prev Med.* 2011;40(6):593-598.

- 2012 Michael S. Wolf, PhD MPH, Jennifer King, MPH1, Kara Jacobson, MPH, **Lorenzo Di Francesco**, MD, Stacy Cooper Bailey, MPH, Rebecca Mullen, BA, Danielle McCarthy, MD, Marina Serper, MD, Terry C. Davis, PhD, Ruth M. Parker, MD. Risk of Unintentional Overdose with Non-Prescription Acetaminophen Products. *J Gen Intern Med.* 2012;12: 1587-93.
- 2012 Miriam Fischer MD, Robin R. Hemphill MD, Eva Rimler MD, Stephanie Marshall MD, Erica Brownfield MD, Philip Shayne MD, **Lorenzo Di Francesco, MD**, and Sally A. Santen MD. Patient Communication During Handovers Between Emergency Medicine and Internal Medicine Residents. *Journal of Graduate Medical Education.* 2012;4:533-537
- 2014 Danielle McCarthy MD, MS, Kenzie Cameron PhD, MPH, Jennifer P. King MPH, Rebecca Mullen BS, Stacy Cooper Bailey PhD, MPH, Kara Jacobson, MPH, **Lorenzo Di Francesco**, MD, Terry Davis PhD, Ruth Parker, MD, Mike S. Wolf PhD, MPH. Patient Recall of Health Care Provider Counseling for Opioid-Acetaminophen Prescriptions. *Pain Medicine.* 2014; Article first published online: July 7, 2014

c. Review Articles:

- 2002 Mark V. Williams, MD, Jeanne Huddleston, MD, Kevin Whitford, MD, **Lorenzo Di Francesco**, MD, Mitchell Wilson, MD. Advances in Hospital Medicine. A review of key articles from the literature. *Med Clin N Am.* 2002;86:797-823.
- 2004 Alpesh Amin, MD, Joel Diamant, MD, **Lorenzo Di Francesco**, MD, David Feinbloom, MD, Thomas Ferro, MD, Paul Holtom, MD, Joseph Li, MD, Mary Pak, MD, Daniel Rauch, MD, Michael Rovzar, MD, Greg B Seymann, MD. Hospitalist Management of Community-Acquired Pneumonia: Consensus Statement. *Infect Dis in Clin Practice.* 2004;12:S17-S24.
- 2004 Alpesh Amin, MD, Joel Diamant, MD, **Lorenzo Di Francesco**, MD, David Feinbloom, MD, Thomas Ferro, MD, Paul Holtom, MD, Joseph Li, MD, Mary Pak, MD, Daniel Rauch, MD, Michael Rovzar, MD, Greg B Seymann, MD. Management of Community-Acquired Pneumonia: A Hospitalist Perspective. *Infect Dis in Clin Practice.* 2004;12:S10-S16.
- 2006 **Lorenzo Di Francesco**, MD. Lumbar Puncture. *J of Hosp Med.* 2006;1 Supplement 1: 50-51.
- 2011 Adam Carlisle, MD, Kara L. Jacobson, MPH, **Lorenzo Di Francesco**, MD, Ruth M. Parker, MD. Practical strategies to improve communication with patients. *Pharmacy & Therapeutics.* 2011;36(9); 576-589.

e. Book Chapters:

- 2001 **Lorenzo Di Francesco, MD, Mark Williams, MD, Preventing Contrast-Induced Renal Failure. In: *Making Health Care Safer: A Critical Analysis of Patient Safety Practices*. Shojania KG, Duncan BW, McDonald KM, Wachter RM, (Eds). Evidence Report/Technology Assessment No. 43, AHRQ Publication No. 01-E058; July 2001. Full report available at <http://www.ahrq.gov>**
- 2002 **Lorenzo Di Francesco, MD, Community-Acquired Pneumonia. *Office Practice of Medicine*. Branch WT (Ed). Edition 4. Saunders W B Co., 2002.**
- 2002 **Lorenzo Di Francesco, MD, Iron Deficiency Anemia. *The Internal Medicine Ambulatory Casebook*. Doyle JP, Martin LJ (Eds.): Lippincott Williams & Wilkins, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, 2002.**
- 2006 **Lorenzo Di Francesco, MD, Alpesh Amin, MD, Community-Acquired Pneumonia. In *Hospital Medicine Secrets*. Glasheen JJ (Ed.). Philadelphia: Elsevier Publishing, 2006:44-48.**
- 2007 **Lorenzo Di Francesco, MD., Acute Pericarditis. *Comprehensive Hospital Medicine*. Williams, MV (1st Ed). Saunders. 2007. 247-254.**
- 2010 **Lorenzo Di Francesco, MD., Jeff Wiese, MD. Neil Winawer, MD., Strategies for Succeeding as an Inpatient Attending. *Teaching in the Hospital*. Wiese, J., (Ed.). Philadelphia, 2010: 45-61.**
- 2012 Danielle Jones MD, Anna Kho MD, **Lorenzo Di Francesco, MD.** Hypotension, In: Principles and Practice of Hospital Medicine, McKean S, Ross J, Dressler D, Ginsberg J, Brotman D (Ed.). McGraw-Hill, May 2012.
- 2013 **Lorenzo Di Francesco, MD, Acute Pericarditis, In: Hospital Medicine, Decision Support in Medicine, Wiese, J, (Ed.). *Decision Support in Medicine*. July, 2013.**
- 2013 **Lorenzo Di Francesco, MD, Erythema Multiforme, In: Hospital Medicine, Decision Support in Medicine, Wiese, J, (Ed.). *Decision Support in Medicine*. July, 2013.**
- 2015 **Lorenzo Di Francesco, MD, Acute Pericarditis, In: Hospital Medicine, Decision Support in Medicine, Wiese, J, (Ed.). *Decision Support in Medicine*. Updated for 2015.**
- 2015 **Lorenzo Di Francesco, MD, Erythema Multiforme, In: Hospital Medicine, Decision Support in Medicine, Wiese, J, (Ed.). *Decision Support in Medicine*. Updated for 2015.**
- 2016 Danielle Jones MD, **Lorenzo Di Francesco, MD.** Hypotension, In: Principles and Practice of Hospital Medicine, McKean S, Ross J, Dressler D, Ginsberg J, Brotman D (Ed.). McGraw-Hill, Updated 2016.
- h. Manuals, videos, computer programs, and other teaching aids:**
- 2009 The Strategy for Off-Site Rapid Triage (SORT™) and Real-time Epidemiological Assessment for Community Health (REACH™) materials were created and developed at Emory University. Alexander

Isakov, Arthur Kellermann, Ruth Parker, **Lorenzo Di Francesco**, Kara Jacobson. Copyright, Emory University 2009. Article available at: <http://shared.web.emory.edu/emory/news/releases/2009/10/online-h1n1-flu-response-center.html>

i. **Other publications:**

Case Reports

- 2003 David C. Huneycutt Jr., MD, Rachel E. Nisbet, MD, **Lorenzo Di Francesco**, MD. An unusual axillary mass. American Journal of Medicine. 2000;115:677-699.
- 2008 **Lorenzo Di Francesco**, MD. Erythema multiforme secondary to HSV labialis precipitating sickle cell pain crisis. J of Hosp Med. 2008;3:77
- 2009 Russell Kempker, MD, **Lorenzo Di Francesco**, MD, Alejandro Martin-Gorgojo, MD, Carlos Franco-Paredes, MD. Expanding spectrum of illness due to community-associated methicillin-resistant Staphylococcus aureus: a case report. Cases Journal. 2009, 2:7437.
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- 10/06 Unusual Presentation of Pulmonary Tuberculosis “Needle in a Haystack” Camille Vaughn MD, **Lorenzo Di Francesco**, MD ACP Georgia Savannah, Georgia
- 12/06 Psychosis or Seizures? Echolalia Might Be the Clue. Julia Massaad MD, **Lorenzo Di Francesco**, MD Southern Society of General Internal Medicine Atlanta, Georgia
- 04/08 Happy Feet: Improving Rates of Performance of Annual Diabetic Foot Exams in Resident Continuity Clinic. Rosette Chakkalakal, MD, Tricia Ferguson, MD, Maria Susana Castejon Welchez, MD, Emily Cartwright, MD, Stacie Schmidt, MD, Jennifer Bracey, MD, Odicie Fielder, MD, **Lorenzo Di Francesco**, MD Performance Improvement Project Presentations Atlanta, Georgia
- 03/09 A Case of Histoplasma Induced Colitis in an AIDS Patient. Ahsan Achtchi, MD, Chetan Gondha, MD, **Lorenzo Di Francesco**, MD. ACP Georgia Savannah, Georgia

- 01/10 Epigastric Pain as the Initial Diagnosis of HIV and HIV Related Pulmonary Hypertension (HIV-PAH). Akram Ibrahim, MD, **Lorenzo Di Francesco**, MD
Western Regional Meeting of the American-Federation for Medical Research Western Region Annual Meeting of the Society of Investigative Medicine
Carmel, CA
- 03/10 Investigation and Control of a Legionella pneumophila (LP) Outbreak at an Inner-City Public Hospital: Water Filters as an Interim Measure. Susan M. Ray, MD, Ildefonso Tellez, MD, MPH, Nancy White, RN, Craig J. Tindall, FACHE, Samuel L. Williams, BA, M, Ed, Yun F. Wang, PhD, **Lorenzo Di Francesco**, MD, Jessica Garcia, MPH Kathryn E. Arnold, MD, Henry M. Blumberg, MD
International Conference on Healthcare-Associated Infections
Atlanta, Georgia
- 05/11 Utilizing a Standardized Approach to Teaching & Learning EKG Reading Skills in Internal Medicine Residency. Roy Abrahamian MD, Rosette Chakkalakal MD, Daniel Dressler MD MSc, **Lorenzo Di Francesco**, MD
Emory University School of Medicine Science of GME day
Atlanta, Georgia
- 05/11 Communication Breakdown: Preceptions of Handovers Between Emergency Medicine and Internal Medicine. Miriam Fischer, MD, Robin Hemphill, MD, Eva Rimler, MD, Erica Brownfield, MD, Philip Shayne, MD, **Lorenzo Di Francesco**, MD, Sally Santen, MD
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- 10/12 Acute Hyponatremia in Hemoglobin SC Disease. Michael Banning, **Lorenzo Di Francesco**, MD, Shalin Patel, MD.
ACP Georgia
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- 10/12 Sepsis Patients in Need of Rescue: An Opportunity for Intervention Cathryn T. Lee, Jordan A. Kempker, MD, Greg S. Martin, MD, MSc, **Lorenzo Di Francesco**, MD, Jeffrey Lennox, MD.
ACP Georgia
Savannah, Georgia
- 05/13 Livin' with LIVEN
Samantha Shams, MD, Max Adelman, **Lorenzo Di Francesco**, MD
SHM 2013
National Harbor, Maryland
- 08/13 A Multi-Faceted Model to Achieve Competency in Practice Based Learning in Graduate Medical Education.
Daniel D. Dressler MD MSc, Amy Allison MLIS, Anna Getselman MLS3, Dustin Smith MD, Bhavin Adhyaru MD, **Lorenzo Di Francesco**, MD.
AMEE
Prague, Czech Republic

- 10/13 Sharing Best Practices for NAS: A Multi-Institutional Faculty Development Seminar
Lisa L. Willett, MD, **Lorenzo Di Francesco**, MD, Emory University School of Medicine, Myra Rose, MD, E. Benjamin Clyburn, MD.
APDIM
New Orleans, Louisiana
- 10/15 Disseminated Tuberculous Lymphadenitis as a Primary Presentation of Tuberculosis in an HIV-positive patient.
Yaanick Desai, Iris Wang MD, Elliott Mahlof MD, **Lorenzo Di Francesco**, MD.
Annual meeting of the Georgia Chapter of the American College of Physicians
Buford, Georgia
- 10/16 Mycobacterium Kansasii Pericarditis Leading to Cardiac Tamponade in a Patient with HIV Infection
Mamuka Machaidze, MD, **Lorenzo Di Francesco**, MD.
Annual meeting of the Georgia Chapter of the American College of Physicians
1st Place Clinical Vignette
Braselton, Georgia
- 10/20/17 “POC Diagnostic Technologies: Evaluating an Internal Medicine Residency Point of Care Diagnostic Curriculum.”
Mikhail Akbashev MD, Ulemu Luhanga, **Lorenzo Di Francesco**, MD
AAIM Skills Development Conference
Grapevine, TX
- 04/22/18 A Tale of Two Thalami: A Case of Lupus Presenting as Central Neuropathic Pain. Denise Chen MD, Nikolaos Spillas MD, **Lorenzo Di Francesco**, MD
Annual meeting American Academy of Neurology
Los Angeles, CA
- 05/2019 An Atypical Presentation of Community Acquired MRSA Pneumonia.
Akanksha Vaidya, MD, **Lorenzo Di Francesco**, MD
Annual meeting SGIM
Washington, DC
- 4/2020 No Bridges Over this Troubled Water: A Case of Snakebites and Creek Bites.
Samuel D. Maidman, Minh Huynh Hang MD, **Lorenzo Di Francesco**, MD, **FACP**
Emory Resident Research Day poster
Annual meeting SHM (accepted...)
- 4/2020 A “Strong” Case for a Rare Cause of Intractable Nausea and Vomiting
Alex Galloway MD, **Lorenzo Di Francesco MD**, Sitara Koneru Achanti, MD
Annual meeting SHM (accepted...)

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GT/Emory BME Senior Capstone Project

Spring 2012 “VeinSure” Project & Poster Presentation
 Mentored senior BME students
 Dhruv Vishwakarma
 Nina Chheda
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 Ryan Sobol

SMART on FHIR Projects

Fall 2017 “Community Acquired Pneumonia Clinical Stability Indicator”
 Mentored CS6440 students
 Kishan Bhoopalam
 Michael Fahey
 Byron Ruth
 Raj Vansia
 Project overview video
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6X0kRP-fmus&feature=youtu.be>

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Spring 2019 “HAP-e” Project & Poster Presentation
 -Lung monitoring system to recognize early hospital acquired pneumonia.
 Mentored senior BME students
 Ashleigh McNaboe
 Sabrina Lee
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 William (Connor) Henderson

Internal Medicine Residency Educational Curriculum Development

2009-2016 EKG Curriculum PGY-1s
 2013-2016 EKG Curriculum PGY-2s
 2009-2016 Intern OSCE Curriculum
 2012-active Intern Clinical Skills Curriculum
 2014-2016 Night Float Integrated Curriculum (E-Learning/Flipped Classroom Cases)
 2015-2016 Ultrasound Procedure Curriculum
 2015-active Point of Care Diagnostic Curriculum
 2016-active Distinction in Medical Innovation
 2016-active Bedside Professor Rounds Curriculum (intern/faculty development focused)
 2019-active Point of Care Ultrasound Curriculum Collaboration (Family Medicine)

Miscellaneous

2020-present SHM Point of Care Ultrasound Certification Program (active)
 2016-present NEJM Catalyst Insights Council Member
 2018-2019 Georgia CTSA Health Innovation Commercialization Academy Certificate