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CURRENT POSITION

2019 - Present Retina Consultants of Southern Colorado, P.C.
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EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

EDUCATION

July 2017 – June 2019 Vitreoretinal Surgery Fellowship, Cincinnati Eye Institute and
University of Cincinnati
Cincinnati, OH

July 2014 – June 2017 Residency, University of Iowa Department of Ophthalmology
and Visual Sciences
Iowa City, IA

July 2013 – June 2014 Transitional Internship, Indiana University Health Methodist
Hospital, Indianapolis, IN

May 2013 Doctor of Medicine, University of Utah School of Medicine
Salt Lake City, UT

April 2009 Bachelor of Science, Business Management, Brigham Young
University
Provo, UT

PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES

American Academy of Ophthalmology

CLINICAL RESEARCH

Principal Investigator:

Sub-Investigator:

Chengdu Kanghong Biotech Co., Ltd. KHB-1802 (PANDA-1)
A Multicenter, Double-Masked, Randomized, Dose-Ranging Trial to
Evaluate the Efficacy and Safety of Conbercept Intravitreal Injection in
Subjects With Neovascular Age-Related Macular Degeneration (AMD)

PUBLICATIONS

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Simpson RG, Moshirfar M, Edmonds JN, Christiansen SM. Laser in-situ keratomileusis in patients with diabetes mellitus: a review of the literature. *Clin Ophthalmol* 2012;6:1665-74. PMID: 23109803.

Christiansen SM, Neuner MC, Sikder S, et al. The effect of preoperative keratometry on visual outcomes after moderate myopic LASIK. *Clin Ophthalmol* 2012;6:459-64. PMID: 22536037.

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Christiansen SM. Match Day: Inside Ophthalmologists' Unique, Often Wee Hours Experience. YO Info – American Academy of Ophthalmology. February 2014.

PRESENTATIONS:

LEAP Forward (Leadership, Engagement, Advocacy, Practice Management) Program Moderator. American Academy of Ophthalmology Mid-Year Forum. April 20, 2018.

Acute syphilitic posterior placoid chorioretinitis – More than just a “duh” in the differential diagnosis. University of Cincinnati Department of Ophthalmology Grand Rounds. April 18, 2018. Invited speaker.

Taking advantage of social media. American Academy of Ophthalmology Annual Meeting – state society presidents-elect meeting. Chicago, IL. October 19, 2016. Invited speaker.

Professional growth through social media: creating a social media strategy. American Academy of Ophthalmology Annual Meeting. Chicago, IL. October 18, 2016. Invited speaker.

Building your brand, promoting your practice, and furthering your field with social media. American Society of Cataract and Refractive Surgery. New Orleans, LA. May 7, 2016. Invited speaker.

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Using social media to promote vision research. ARVO Annual Meeting. Seattle, WA. May 3, 2016. Invited speaker.

To P(RP) or not to P(RP). Fluorescein Conference. University of Iowa Department of Ophthalmology and Visual Sciences. Iowa City, IA. March 21, 2016.

Creativity in ophthalmology. Finding creative solutions to challenging clinical problems. Morning Rounds. University of Iowa Department of Ophthalmology and Visual Sciences. Iowa City, IA. February 10, 2016.

An algorithmic approach to interpreting nine-gaze photos. Morning Rounds. University of Iowa Department of Ophthalmology and Visual Sciences. Iowa City, IA. November 18, 2015.

Online content creation and social media – new tools to further our field. Millennial Eye Live. Hollywood, CA. September 27, 2015. Invited speaker.

Orbital myositis in scleritis. Morning Rounds. University of Iowa Department of Ophthalmology and Visual Sciences. Iowa City, IA. July 8, 2015.

Clinical pathologic correlation. Distinguishing iris nevi from iris melanoma. Morning Rounds. University of Iowa Department of Ophthalmology and Visual Sciences. Iowa City, IA. May 14, 2015.

Postoperative Orbital Imaging 101. Morning Rounds. University of Iowa Department of Ophthalmology and Visual Sciences. Iowa City, IA. January 22, 2015.

Interesting oculoplastic surgery cases. Clinical Conference. University of Iowa Department of Ophthalmology and Visual Sciences. Iowa City, IA. Nov 7, 2014.

Managing our reputation with the public. American Academy of Ophthalmology Annual Meeting; Chicago, IL. October 20, 2014. Invited speaker.

Twitter and blogging. Building your brand with social media. American Academy of Ophthalmology Annual Meeting; Chicago, IL. October 18, 2014. Invited speaker.

Ocular chemical burn injuries. Morning Rounds. University of Iowa Department of Ophthalmology and Visual Sciences. Iowa City, IA. October 2, 2014.

Carotid cavernous sinus fistulae. Morning Rounds. University of Iowa Department of Ophthalmology and Visual Sciences. Iowa City, IA. August 12, 2014.

Introduction to microsurgery. Indiana University Health Methodist Hospital Transitional Internship Quality Improvement Symposium. Indianapolis, IN. April 16, 2014.

Keratometric changes after refractive surgery. University of Utah Department of Ophthalmology Grand Rounds. Salt Lake City, UT. August 15, 2012.