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CERTIFICATION

Diplomate, National Board of Examiners
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EDUCATION

State University of New York at Buffalo
Buffalo, NY
Degree: M. D. - 1980

State University of New York at Stony Brook
Stony Brook, NY
Degree: B. S. – 1976

Fellowship Comprehensive Arthritis Fellowship
The Hospital for Special Surgery
July 1, 1985 - June 30, 1986
Director: A. E. Inglis, M.D.

 Orthopaedic Research
University of Pennsylvania
July 1, 1981 - June 30, 1982
Director: C. T. Brighton, M.D.

Residency University of Pennsylvania
July 1, 1981 - June 30, 1985
Director: C. T. Brighton, M.D.

Internship Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania
July 1, 1980 - June 30, 1981
Director: James Mullen, M.D.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Medical Director: Gildenhorn Institute for Bone and Joint Health
Sibley Memorial Hospital
2010-present

Co-Director: Johns Hopkins Community Joint Program
Johns Hopkins Medicine
2010-present

Director: MIS Hip/Knee Surgery Center
George Washington University Medical Center
2006-2011

George Washington University Medical Center
Department of Orthopaedics
Clinical Professor, 1986-present

Georgetown University Medical Center
Department of Orthopaedics
Associate Clinical Professor, 1986-present

Co-director, Orthopaedic Section
The Georgetown University Hemophilic Center
Washington, DC, 1986 – Present

Director: Washington Center for Hip and Knee Surgery
Washington, DC, 2008- present

Associate Editor/Reviewer: Journal of Arthroplasty
2012-present

Associate Editor/Reviewer: Arthroplasty Today
2014-present

HONORS / AWARDS

Graduation with Honors, SUNY, Stony Brook, NY, 1976
James A. Gibson Anatomical Society, 1980
Alpha Omega Alpha Medical Honor Society, 1980
Teaching Award, GW University Medical Center, 2001
Baldrige Physician Award; January 2008; GWU Medical Center
Johns Hopkins Clinical Excellence Award 2016

PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES

American Medical Association, 1989-2000
D C Medical Society, 1989-2000
Washington Orthopaedic Society, 1989-present
D C Rheumatism Society, 1989-2000
Jacobi Society, 1989-present
American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgery, 1989-present
Association for Arthritic Hip & Knee Surgery, Charter Member, 1989-present
Eastern Orthopaedic Association, 1995-2000
Osler Society, 2001-2010

PUBLIC SERVICE

Jewish Social Services, Medical Advisor, 1986 - Present
Arthritis Foundation, Metro Washington Chapters,
Medical Advisory Board, 1989 - 1991
Blue Cross/Blue Shield of the National Capital Area,
Medical Advisor, 1989 - Present
Peace Corps USA, Washington, DC, Medical Advisor,
1986 - Present
Board of Trustees, D C Medical Society, 1996
BlueCross FEP, P and T committee, 2011-present

TEACHING ACTIVITIES

Participant in George Washington University and Georgetown University orthopaedic teaching programs. Regular attendee at Grand Rounds and interspecialty conferences. Lecturer and instructor of orthopaedic residents on the ward and in the operating room.

PUBLICATIONS

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13. Spaulding, J.M., Meyes, R.G., Figgie, H.E., III, Unger, A.S. and Inglis, A.E.; Total Ankle Arthroplasty: A Procedural Review, AORN Journal 48:201, 1988.
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15. Bohn, W.W., Johanson, N.A., Schneider, R. and Unger, A.S.: Symptomatic Corticosteroid-Induced Osteonecrosis of the Knee, American Journal of Knee Surgery, 1:105, 1989.
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21. Unger, A.S.; Total Knee Replacement, Pearls and Pitfalls, Cherry Blossom Seminar; Washington, DC 2009
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23. Bergin, P, Dopplet, J, Kephart, C, Benke, M, Graeter, J, Holmes, A, Smith, H, Toan , R, and Unger, A: Prospective Comparison on Inflammatory and Muscle Damage Markers in MIS Direct Anterior Versus Posterior Hip Arthroplasty, 2010 AAOS Meeting, New Orleans, LA
24. Unger, A.S., Prospective Comparison on Inflammatory and Muscle Damage Markers in MIS Direct Anterior Versus Posterior Hip Arthroplasty, ISTA, Bruges, Belgium, Sept 2011
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26. Unger, A.S.: Cementless Total Knee Replacement, Cherry Blossom Meeting, 2012, Washington, DC
27. Unger, Anthony: Technology in Arthroplasty, 2015 ICJR meeting, Houston, TX
28. Unger, Anthony; Blood loss in Direct Anterior Hip Surgery, 2016 ICJR, Houston, TX
29. Unger, Anthony; Psoas Tendonitis in DAA, 2017 ICJR, Houston, TX

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32. Unger, Anthony, Surgical Approaches for the Hip—What's the Evidence, JBJS Webnar, 2018
33. Unger, Anthony, Psoas Tendonitis after THA, ICJR Houston, 2018
34. Unger, Anthony, THA in the Elderly, ICJR Houston, **2018**
35. Unger, Anthony, Ten Tip for Learning the DAA: ICJR Houston, 2019
36. Unger Anthony, Psoas Tendonitis after DAA, ICJR Houston, 2019
37. Effect of the Enhanced Recovery After Surgery (ERAS) Perioperative Protocol on Short Term Outcomes of Joint Replacement Surgery. Safa Fasihi, MD, Melissa Soderquist, MD, Sean Kraekel, MD and Anthony S Unger, MD, 2019 ISTA, Toronto, Canada
38. Wei C, Gu A, Quan T, Fasihi S, Mathur A, Thakkar S, Unger A. Neural Network Prediction of Mortality Following Primary Total Hip Arthroplasty. *Southern Orthopaedic Association. Podium.* July 22-25, 2020.
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40. Gu A, Malahias MA, Fasihi S, Richardson S, Buller L, Thakkar S, Unger A, Ast M, Sculco P. Length of Stay Does Not Impact Total Knee Arthroplasty Outcomes. *Southern Orthopaedic Association. Podium.* July 22-25, 2020.
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CHAPTERS

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