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EDUCATION AND TRAINING

Undergraduate

1972–1977	Harvard College Cambridge, Massachusetts	A.B. (1977), <i>cum laude</i> , Economics
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Graduate

1979–1980	University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania	First year of medical school
1980–1984	Tufts University School of Medicine Boston, Massachusetts	M.D. (1984)
1981–1984	John F. Kennedy School of Government Harvard University Cambridge, Massachusetts	M.P.P. (1984), Public Policy and Health Policy

Postgraduate

1984–1987	New England Deaconess Hospital Harvard Medical School Boston, Massachusetts	Intern and Resident, Department of Medicine Clinical Fellow [Program Director: Dr. Robert C. Moellering, Jr., Chief of Medicine]
1984–1987	Massachusetts General Hospital Chelsea Memorial Health Center Chelsea, Massachusetts	Affiliated Resident [Program Director: Dr. Fred Rubin, Unit Chief]
1987–1989	New England Deaconess Hospital Harvard Medical School Boston, Massachusetts	Fellow, General Internal Medicine, Faculty Development Program in General Internal Medicine [Program Director: Dr. Keith Marton, Division Chief, General Internal Medicine]
1996	Intermountain Health Care Salt Lake City, Utah	Graduate, Advanced Training Program in Health Care Delivery Improvement

APPOINTMENTS AND POSITIONS
Academic Appointments

1987–1989	Clinical and Research Fellow, Harvard Medical School, Boston.
1989–1993	Instructor in Medicine, Harvard Medical School, Boston.
June 1992	Visiting Professor of Decision Sciences, University of Leiden, Netherlands.
1993–1994	Adjunct Assistant Professor of Health Policy and Medical Decision Sciences, Carnegie Mellon University, Pittsburgh.
1993–1998	Assistant Professor of Medicine, University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine.
1998–2002	Associate Professor of Health Services Administration, University of Pittsburgh School of Public Health.
1998- present	Senior Associate and Charter Member, Center for Biomedical Informatics, University of Pittsburgh.
1998- 2007	Associate Professor of Medicine, University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine.
2000- 2010	Chief, Section of Decision Sciences and Clinical Systems Modeling, Division of General Internal Medicine, University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine.
2002- 2007	Associate Professor of Health Policy and Management, University of Pittsburgh Graduate School of Public Health.
2003- 2007	Associate Professor of Industrial Engineering, University of Pittsburgh School of Engineering.
2005- present	Affiliate Faculty Member, McGowan Institute for Regenerative Medicine, University of Pittsburgh
2005- present	Associate Faculty Member, The CRISMA Laboratory: Clinical Research, Investigation and Systems Modeling of Acute Illness. Department of Critical Care Medicine, University of Pittsburgh.
2007-present	Professor of Medicine, University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine
2007-2010	Professor of Health Policy and Management (secondary appointment)
2007-present	Professor of Industrial Engineering (secondary appointment)
2008-present	Professor of Clinical and Translational Science (secondary appointment)
Nov 2009	Dozer Visiting Scholar, Faculty of Health Sciences, Ben Gurion University of the Negev, Be'er Sheva, Israel
2010-Present	Professor of Health Policy and Management (with tenure)
2010-Present	Chair, Department of Health Policy and Management, University of Pittsburgh Graduate School of Public Health
2014-Present	Director, Public Health Dynamics Laboratory (PHDL) University of Pittsburgh Graduate School of Public Health

Administrative Appointments

1989–1991	Medical Director, Emerson College Health Services, Boston.
1990–1991	Medical Director, Employee Health Service, New England Deaconess Hospital, Boston.
1991–1993	Director, Center for Clinical Information Systems, New England Deaconess Hospital, Boston.
1993–1998	Director, Internal Medicine Residency Training Program, Shadyside Hospital, Pittsburgh.
1994–1997	Co-Director, General Medicine Fellowship Training Program, University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine.
1997–2000	Medical Director, Department of Informatics and Process Improvement, UPMC Shadyside, Pittsburgh.
1997–2003	Director, General Medicine Fellowship Training Program, University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine.
1998–1999	Associate Medical Director, Institute for Quality and Medical Management, University of Pittsburgh Medical Center (UPMC) Health System.
2001–2004	Associate Director, Clinical Research Training Program, University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine.
1993–present	Core Faculty, Center for Research on Health Care, University of Pittsburgh.
2000-1010	Core Curriculum Director, Clinical Research Training Program (Now: Degree Programs in Clinical Research)
2001-present	Track Director, Outcomes, Effectiveness and Quality, MS program in Clinical Research
2004-2009	Co-Director, Clinical Research Training Program, University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine.
2005-2007	Associate Director, Institute for Clinical Research Education, University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine
2007-2010	Director, Degree-granting Programs, Institute for Clinical Research Education
2007-2010	Director, MS in Clinical Research
2007-2010	Co-Director, PhD in Clinical and Translational Science
2010-present	Co-Director, Center for Research on Health Care
2013-2014	Senior Medical Director, UPMC Health Plan

Other Appointments

1977–1978	Research Assistant, Harvard-MIT Joint Center for Urban Studies, Cambridge [Supervisor: Professor Robert Schaffer].
1978–1979	Research Assistant, Center for the Analysis of Health Practices, Harvard University School of Public Health, Boston [Supervisor: Professor Bill Hsiao].
1983–1984	Computer User Assistant, Office for Information Technology, Harvard University, Cambridge.
1978–present	Private Consultant: statistics, data analysis, decision analysis and cost effectiveness analysis, mathematical modeling

CERTIFICATION AND LICENSURE

1985	Diplomat, National Board of Medical Examiners.
1989	Certified, American Board of Internal Medicine (#116274).
1994–2004	Advanced Certification in Geriatric Medicine, American Board of Internal Medicine.
1984–1991	Advanced Cardiac Life Support.
1987–1991	Advanced Trauma Life Support.
1987–1993	Massachusetts Medical License (#56535)
1993–present	Pennsylvania Medical License (MD-050279-L)

MEMBERSHIPS IN PROFESSIONAL AND SCIENTIFIC SOCIETIES

1987–1992	Member, International Society for Technology Assessment.
1988–1993	Member, American Medical Informatics Association.
1990–1994	Member, American College of Physicians.
1993–1998	Member, Association of Program Directors in Internal Medicine.
1996–1998	Member, Association of Pharmacoeconomics and Outcomes Research.
2000–2001	Vice-President, Society for Medical Decision Making.
1985–present	Member, Society for Medical Decision Making.
1987–present	Member, Society of General Internal Medicine.
1988–present	Member, Association for Health Services Research, now Academy Health.
1989–2003	Member, American Federation for Clinical Research.
1990–present	Member, American Public Health Association.
1994–present	Fellow, American College of Physicians.
2003–present	Member, Institute for Operations Research and Management Sciences (INFORMS).
2004–present	Member, International Society for Pharmacoeconomics and Outcomes Research (ISPOR)
2007-2008	President Elect, Society for Medical Decision Making
2008-2009	President, Society for Medical Decision Making
2009-2010	Immediate Past President, Society for Medical Decision Making
2012-present	Member, American College of Healthcare Executives (ACHE)

HONORS AND DISTINCTIONS

1981–1982	John F. Kennedy Fellow in Public Policy, Kennedy School of Government, Harvard University, Cambridge.
1984–1985	Dr. Elmer E. Hinton Prize for "Outstanding Physician in Patient Relationships," New England Deaconess Hospital, Boston.
1989	First Prize, Lee Lusted Postdoctoral Student Competition, "Simulating Complex Disease: Monte Carlo Models with Memory," annual meeting of the Society for Medical Decision Making, Minneapolis, 1989.
1993–1997	Teacher of the Year for 1993, 1994, 1995, 1996, and 1997, UPMC Shadyside Hospital, Pittsburgh, PA.
2002	Award for Outstanding Short Course, "Advanced Decision Analysis", Society of Medical Decision Making, 24 th Annual Meeting, 2002

2003	Cross-Program Faculty Mentoring Award, Association of Clinical Research Training Program Directors (awarded for mentorship of Michael A. Rubin, M.D., Ph.D., Assistant Professor of Medicine, University of Utah).
2009	Chancellor's Distinguished Teaching Award, University of Pittsburgh
2009-present	Member, University of Pittsburgh Academy of Master Educators.
2012	Member, Delta Omega National Honor Society
June 2012	Nominated for the Dr. James L. Craig Endowed Excellence in Education award – University of Pittsburgh, Graduate School of Public Health
2014	Lifetime Career Achievement Award – Society for Medical Decision Making (SMDM) Annual Meeting, Miami FL

PUBLICATIONS

Refereed Articles (* indicates work done by a trainee)

1. Bern MM, **Roberts MS**, Yoburn D. Cyclosporin treatment for aplastic anemia: a case report demonstrating a second response to second exposure to cyclosporin. *American Journal of Hematology*. 1987;24:307-9.
2. Zarich SW, Arbuckle BE, Cohen LR, **Roberts MS**, Nesto RW. Diastolic abnormalities in young asymptomatic diabetic patients assessed by pulsed doppler echocardiography. *Journal of the American College of Cardiology*. 1988;11:114-20.
3. Friedman LS, **Roberts MS**, Brett AS, Marton KI. Management of asymptomatic gallstones in the diabetic patient: a decision analysis. *Annals of Internal Medicine*. 1988;109:913-9.
4. Freeman R, **Roberts MS**, Friedman LS, Broadbridge C. Autonomic function and human immunodeficiency virus infection. *Neurology*. 1990;40:575-80.
5. Freeman R, Saul JP, **Roberts MS**, Berger RD, Broadbridge C, Cohen RC. Spectral analysis of heart rate in diabetic autonomic neuropathy. *Archives of Neurology*. 1991;48:185-90.
6. **Roberts MS**, D'Agostino RB, Dillon M, Odell P. Technology assessment in the Framingham Heart Study. *International Journal of Technology Assessment in Health Care*. 1991;7(2):156-70.
7. Klawansky S, Antczak-Bouckoms A, Barr J, Burdick E, **Roberts MS**, Wyshak G, Mosteller F. Using medical registries and data sets for technology assessment: an overview of seven case studies. *International Journal of Technology Assessment in Health Care*. 1991;7(2):194-9.
8. Nesto RW, Phillips RT, Kett KG, McAuliffe LS, **Roberts MS**, Hegarty P. Effect of nifedipine on total ischemic activity and circadian distribution of myocardial ischemic episodes in angina pectoris. *American Journal of Cardiology*. 1991;67:128-32.
9. Friedman LS, Samet JH, **Roberts MS**, Hudlin M, Hans P. Inquiry about victimization experiences: a survey of patient preferences and physician practices. *Archives of Internal Medicine*. 1992;152:1186-90.
10. Schulte L, **Roberts MS**, Zimmerman C, Ketler J, Simon LS. A quantitative assessment of limited joint mobility in diabetics: a goniometric analysis of upper extremity passive range of motion. *Arthritis and Rheumatism*. 1993;36(10):1429-43.
11. *Ahluwalia JS, **Roberts MS**, Calkins DR. Housestaff knowledge of prevention guidelines. *American Journal of Health Promotion*. 1993;8(2):101-4.
12. Sonnenberg FA, **Roberts MS**, Tsevat J, Barry M, Kent DL. Toward a peer review process for medical decision analysis models. *Medical Care*. 1994;32(suppl 7):JS52-64.
13. *Saitz R, Mayo-Smith MF, **Roberts MS**, Redmond H, Bernard D, Calkins DR. Individualized treatment for alcohol withdrawal: a randomized double-blind controlled trial. *JAMA*. 1994;272:519-23.
14. Brett AS, **Roberts MS**. Screening for vitamin B₁₂ deficiency in psychiatric patients. *Journal of General Internal Medicine*. 1994;9:522-4.
15. Collins LA, Samore MH, **Roberts MS**, Luzzati R, Jenkins RL, Lewis DW, Karchmer AW. Risk factors for invasive fungal infections complicating orthotopic liver transplantation. *Journal of Infectious Diseases*. 1994;170:644-52.
16. **Roberts MS**. Decision analysis fosters physician/patient decision making. *Pharmacocepts*. 1995;2(1):9-10.
17. Freeman R, Weiss ST, **Roberts MS**, Zbikowski SM, Sparrow DS. Relationship between heart rate variability and measures of body habitus. *Clinical Autonomic Research*. 1995;5:261-6.

18. Bode RH Jr, Lewis KP, Zarich SW, Pierce ET, **Roberts MS**, Kowalchuck GJ, Satwicz PR, Gibbons GW, Hunter JA, Espanola CC. Cardiac outcomes after peripheral vascular surgery: comparison of general and regional anesthesia. *Anesthesiology*. 1996;84(1):3-13.
19. *Smith KJ, **Roberts MS**. Cost-effectiveness of newer antiviral agents for herpes zoster: is the evidence spotty? *Journal of Infectious Diseases*. 1998;178(suppl 1):S85-90.
20. *Smith KJ, **Roberts MS**. Cost-effectiveness of early treatment with oral acyclovir in adults with chickenpox. *Pharmacoeconomics*. 1998;13(5, pt 2):645-51.
21. Merryman T, Sharbaugh D, **Roberts MS**. Informatics and process improvement: the clinical design unit. *Journal of Nursing Administration*. 1999;29(6):55-61.
22. *Smith KJ, **Roberts MS**. Cost-effectiveness of vaccination strategies in adults with no history of chickenpox. *American Journal of Medicine*. 2000;108:723-9.
23. *Smith KJ, **Roberts MS**. Cost-effectiveness of sildenafil. *Annals of Internal Medicine*. 2000;132:933-7.
24. *Smith KJ, **Roberts MS**. Antiviral therapies for herpes zoster infections: are they economically justifiable? *Pharmacoeconomics*. 2000;18(2):95-104.
25. Angus DC, Rubenfeld GD, **Roberts MS**, Curtis JR, Connors AE, Pinsky MR. Understanding costs and cost-effectiveness in critical care: report from the Second American Thoracic Society Workshop on Outcomes Research. *American Journal of Respiratory and Critical Care Medicine*. 2002;165:540-50.
26. *Smith KJ, **Roberts MS**. Cost-effectiveness of newer treatment strategies for influenza. *American Journal of Medicine*. 2002;113:300-7.
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28. *Smith KJ, **Roberts MS**. Pharmacoeconomics of antiviral therapies for herpes zoster infections. *Expert Review of Pharmacoeconomics and Outcomes Research*. 2002;2(6):527-34.
29. *King JT Jr, McGinnis KA, **Roberts MS**. Quality of life assessment with the Medical Outcomes Study Short Form-36 among patients with cervical spondylotic myelopathy. *Neurosurgery*. 2003;52(1):113-20.
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156. Lee BY, Bedford VL, **Roberts MS**, Smith KJ, Carley KM. An agent-based city-wide computer simulation of the hypothetical spread of avian influenza in Norfolk, VA. Oral abstract at the annual meeting of the Society for Medical Decision Making, October, 2006.
157. Stockman CK, Somers TJ, **Roberts MS**. Belief in luck and the perceived risk of developing breast cancer. Poster abstract at the annual meeting of the Society for Medical Decision Making, October, 2006.
158. Byrne MM, **Roberts MS**, Weissfeld J. Long term psychosocial effects of lung cancer screening. Poster abstract at the annual meeting of the Society for Medical Decision Making, October, 2006.
159. Saka G, Maillart L, **Roberts M**, Schaefer A. A new liver allocation mechanism that increases patient autonomy. Oral presentation at the annual meeting of INFORMS, November, 2006.
160. Sandikci B, Alagoz O, Maillart L, **Roberts M**, Schaefer A. Modeling the patient perspective on liver acceptance using an explicit model of the waiting list. Oral presentation at the annual meeting of INFORMS, November, 2006.
161. Koppenhaver R, Braithwaite RS, **Roberts M**, Schaefer A, Shechter S. Incorporating toxicity information in HAART therapy initiation. Poster abstract at the annual meeting of INFORMS, November, 2006
162. Shechter S, Bailey M, Braithwaite S, **Roberts M**, Schaefer A. An MDP model of the optimal time to initiate HIV therapy as a function of two variables. Oral presentation at the annual meeting of INFORMS, November, 2006.
163. Kong N, Hunsaker B, **Roberts M**, Schaefer A. Maximizing the Efficiency of the U.S. Liver Allocation System through region selection Oral presentation at the annual meeting of INFORMS, November, 2006
164. Demirci M, Hunsaker B, **Roberts M**, Schaefer A. Optimal design of regions for liver transplantation: A stochastic programming approach. Oral presentation at the annual meeting of INFORMS, November, 2006.
165. Smith KJ, Zimmerman RK, Lin CJ, Nowalk MP, Ko, FS, McEllistrem MC, **Roberts MS**. Alternative Timing and Revaccination Strategies for Adult Pneumococcal Polysaccharide Vaccination. Poster at 41st National Immunization Conference, Kansas City, MO March 5-8, 2007
166. Smith KJ, Zimmerman RK, Lin CJ, Nowalk MP, Ko FS, McEllistrem MC, **Roberts MS**. Alternative strategies for adult pneumococcal polysaccharide vaccination: A Markov Analysis. Research Forum, 40th Annual STFM Spring Conference, Chicago, IL, April 24 – 29, 2007

167. Byrne MM, Weissfeld J, **Roberts MS**. *Fear of cancer, anxiety and perceived risk of cancer following lung cancer screening*. Plenary podium presentation, 29th meeting of the Society for Medical Decision Making, Pittsburgh, PA. October, 2007
168. Sandikci B, Maillart LM, Schaefer AJ, Alagoz O, **Roberts MS**. *Estimating the patient's price of privacy in liver transplantation*. Podium presentation, 29th meeting of the Society for Medical Decision Making, Pittsburgh, PA. October, 2007
169. Kapoor A, Kraemer KL, Smith K, **Roberts MS**, Saitz R. *Cost-effectiveness of adding the serum CDT test to questionnaire based screening for unhealthy alcohol use in the primary care setting*. Poster presentation, 29th meeting of the Society for Medical Decision Making, Pittsburgh, PA. October, 2007
170. King JT, Brandt CA, Tsevat J, **Roberts MS**. *A national internet-based survey of health values for cerebral Aneurysms*. Poster presentation, 29th meeting of the Society for Medical Decision Making, Pittsburgh, PA. October, 2007
171. Hsu HE Smith KS, **Roberts MS**, Kramer KM, Orchard TJ, Piatt GA, Seidel M, Zgibor JC, Bryce CL. *Cost-effectiveness analysis of community-based efforts to prevent diabetes*. Poster presentation, 29th meeting of the Society for Medical Decision Making, Pittsburgh, PA. October, 2007
172. Byrne MM, Weissfeld J, **Roberts MS**, *Health care utilization following lung cancer screening*. Poster presentation, 29th meeting of the Society for Medical Decision Making, Pittsburgh, PA. October, 2007
173. Stockman CK, **Roberts MS**. Risk preferences, risk (mis)perceptions and racial treatment disparities. Poster presentation, 29th meeting of the Society for Medical Decision Making, Pittsburgh, PA. October, 2007
174. Zimmerman RK, Smith KJ, **Roberts MS**, Nowalk MP, Lin CJ: *Markov Decision Analyses of Pneumococcal Polysaccharide Vaccine Policy Options*. Poster at the 45th Infectious Disease Society of America 2007 annual meeting, San Diego, CA, October 2007.
175. Bhandari A, **Roberts MS**, Schaefer AJ. Optimal Liver Acceptance Policies for Risk-sensitive Patients. Oral presentation, INFORMS annual meeting, Seattle, WA, Nov, 2007.
176. Sandikci B, Alagoz O, Maillart L, **Roberts MS**, Schaefer AJ. Estimating the Patient's Price of Privacy in Liver Transplantation. Oral presentation, INFORMS annual meeting, Seattle, WA, Nov, 2007.
177. Saka G, Alagoz O, Maillart L, **Roberts MS**, Schaefer AJ. In Which OPOs Should an End-stage Liver Disease Patient List? Oral presentation, INFORMS annual meeting, Seattle, WA, Nov, 2007.
178. Koppenhaver R, Braithwaite RS, **Roberts MS**, Schaefer AJ, Shechter S. The Effect of Adherence and Toxicity on HIV Therapy Initiation. Oral presentation, INFORMS annual meeting, Seattle, WA, Nov, 2007.

<did not record abstracts between 2007 and 2011>

179. Kuo S, Smith KJ, Piatt GA, Seidel MC, Zgibor JC, **Roberts MS**, Bryce CL. Cost-effectiveness of multiple modalities of lifestyle intervention in the community - projections from the Rethinking Eating and ACTivity Study [abstract]. *Diabetes* 2011;60(suppl 1):A67.
180. Donohue J, Herbeck Belnap B, Men A, He F, **Roberts MS**, Rollman BL. The 12-month cost effectiveness of telephone-delivered collaborative care for post-CABG depression. Oral presentation, 2012 SGIM meeting, Orlando, FL. May 10, 2012.
181. **Roberts, MS**. Health Systems Engineering: A Multidisciplinary Approach to Redesigning Education in Improving Health Systems. AUPHA 2012 Annual Meeting, 5/31-6/03, Minneapolis, MN
182. J. Chhatwal, M.H. Mofrad, **M.S. Roberts** (2012) "Cost-Effectiveness Analysis Using Markov Decision Processes" – 2012 Annual SMDM meeting
183. **Roberts, MS** "Rheumatoid Arthritis Patients: Experiences of Medication Side Effects and Subsequent Decision Making about Medication", Epidemiology and Health Services Poster Session, 2012 ACR/ARHP Annual Meeting, Washington DC, Nov 9-12, 2012.
184. J. Chhatwal, **MS Roberts** "Cost-Effectiveness of Hepatitis C Screening in United States Prisons: An Agent-Based Approach", presented at the ISPOR 19th Annual International Meeting, Palais des Congres de Montreal, Montreal, QC, Canada, May 31-June 4, 2014.
185. Anahita Khojandi, Lisa M. Maillart, Oleg A. Prokopyev, **Mark S. Roberts**, Timothy Brown, William W. Barrington (2014) Optimal Implantable Cardioverter Defibrillator (ICD) Generator Replacement. *INFORMS Journal on Computing* 26(3):599-615. <http://dx.doi.org/10.1287/ijoc.2013.0586>
186. Chhatwal J, Li K, He T, **Roberts MS**, Ayer T, Samur S, Grefenstette J, Spaulding AC. Hepatitis C Treatment in United States Prisons Prevents Transmission and is Cost Saving for the Society. Poster presentation at the Liver Meeting for the AASLD, Boston, MA, Nov, 2016.
187. Chhatwal J, Samur S, Kues B, Ayer T, **Roberts MS**, Kanwal F, Hur C, Donnell DMS, Chung RT. Optimal Timing of Hepatitis C Treatment for Patients on the Liver Transplant Waiting List. Poster or oral presentation at the Liver Meeting for the AASLD, Boston, MA, Nov, 2016.

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES: TEACHING
Nonclinical Teaching*Harvard University*

- 1977–1979 Teaching Assistant, Economic Analysis, Department of Economics, Harvard College, Cambridge.
- 1982–1983 Head Teaching Fellow, Empirical Analysis, John F. Kennedy School of Government, Harvard University, Cambridge.
- 1983–1984 Teaching Fellow, Quantitative Methods for Public Choice, John F. Kennedy School of Government, Harvard University, Cambridge.
- 1985–1986 Nonresident Pre-Medical Advisor, North House, Harvard University, Cambridge.
- 1985–1986 Resident Director, Richardson House, Tufts University, Medford, Massachusetts.
- 1985–1993 Guest Lecturer, Statistical and Ethical Considerations in Medical Clinical Trials (in M332 Empirical Analysis for Public Choice), John F. Kennedy School of Government, Harvard University, Cambridge.
- 1986–1993 Resident Tutor and Chairman of the Pre-Medical Advisory Committee, North House, Harvard University, Cambridge.
- 1987–1990 Guest Lecturer, An Introduction to Decision Analysis (in HST 190 Introduction to Statistics), Harvard Medical School, Boston.
- 1989–1993 Director, General Medicine Fellowship Research Seminar Series, Division of General Medicine, New England Deaconess Hospital, Boston.
- 1990 Instructor, Decision Theory and Clinical Research, Summer Clinical Effectiveness Program, General Medicine Fellowship Program, Harvard Medical School, Boston.
- 1991–1993 Guest Lecturer, Markov Models/Simulation Models (in HPB 284ab Topics in Health Decision Sciences), Harvard School of Public Health, Boston.
- 1991–1993 Guest Lecturer, Probabilistic Sensitivity Analysis (in HPB 281c Seminar in Clinical Decision Analysis), Harvard School of Public Health, Boston.

University of Pittsburgh

- 1996 Guest Lecturer, Markov Processes in Medical Decision Making (in ISP-2015 Introduction of Medical Informatics), University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine.
- 1998–present Guest Lecturer, Quality Measurement and Improvement in Health Care Organizations (in HSADMIN 2105 Health and Medical Care Organization), University of Pittsburgh Graduate School of Public Health.
- 1998–present Course Director, CLRES 2120/HS ADMIN 2220 Cost Effectiveness Analysis in Health and Medicine (1 credit, taught with K. Kramer, C. Bryce, and J. Lave), University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine.
- 1999–2009 Course Director, CLRES 2121/HS ADMIN 2217 Clinical Decision Analysis (1 credit, taught with C. Bryce, who is now course director), University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine.
- 2000–2005 Course Director, CLRES 2110 Quality Improvement in Health Care (1 credit), University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine.
- 2001–2010 Course Director, CLRES 2005 Computerized Methods of Clinical Research (1 credit), University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine.
- 2001–2006 Course Director, CLRES 2122 Advanced Methods for Decision and Cost-Effectiveness Analysis (1 credit), University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine.
- 2001–2010 Instructor, CLRES 2020 Biostatistics: Statistical Approaches to Clinical Research (3 lectures), University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine.
- 2003-2010 Course Director, CLRES 2010 Clinical Research Methods (3 credits), University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine.
- 2003-2005 Course Director, CLRES 2071/2072: Research Design and Development Seminar (5 credit longitudinal grant development and writing course)
- 2005, 2008 Instructor. CLRES 2024 Non Parametric Methods, University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine (3-4 lectures in 1 credit course)
- 2004-present Instructor, course co-director CLRES 2124 Directed Research in Decision Analysis and Cost Effectiveness Analysis, University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine
- 2005–present Instructor, CLRES 2410 Translating Research into Practice Methods: Barriers and Evaluation (1 lecture), University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine.

- 2005–2006 Instructor: BIOINF2115/CLRES 2420 Mathematical Modeling Techniques for Complex Biological Systems (co-developer of the course and developing and giving 6 lectures) University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine
- 2009-present Guest Lecturer, CLRES 2700 Know Your K's and R's: Successful Grant Applications for Fellows and Junior Faculty, Clinical Research Training Program (CRTP), University of Pittsburgh
- 2011-present Instructor: HPM 2141 *Managerial Epidemiology*, University of Pittsburgh Graduate School of Public Health
- Sept-Dec 2011 Co-Instructor: HPM 2135 *Health Policy*, University of Pittsburgh, Graduate School of Public Health
- Sept 20, 2011 Guest Lecturer - Health Services Research Seminar Series – *The Effect of HIV Treatment Strategies on Population Life Expectancies in Resource Limited Settings*
- Sept 21, 2011 Guest Lecturer, BIOINF2011 – *Decision Making and Probabilistic Reasoning*
- Sept 28, 2011 Guest Lecturer – Global Health Seminar Series – *Health Insurance Systems in Low Middle Income Countries*
- Sept 28, 2011 Guest Lecturer – PUBHLT 1001: *Introduction to Global Health*
- Oct 14, 2011 Guest Lecturer – Department of Biomedical Informatics – *Comparative Effectiveness Research: An Overview*
- Jan 25, 2012 Guest Lecturer, UPMC Internal Medicine Residency Program – Montefiore Hospital – *Quality and Variation in US Medical Care Systems*
- Jan 26, 2012 Guest Lecturer, UPMC Internal Medicine Residency Program – VA Pittsburgh Healthcare System – *Quality and Variation in US Medical Care Systems*
- Sept 7, 2012 Guest Lecturer, UPMC Fundamentals of Bench Research, *Know Your K's & R's: Successful Grant Applications for Fellows and Junior Faculty*
- Sept 17, 2012 Guest Lecture, BIOINF 2011 Foundations of Clinical and Public Health Informatics, *Decision Making and Probabilistic Reasoning*
- Sept 18, 2012 Guest Lecturer, University of Pittsburgh School of Nursing/UPMC Health Plan – *Management of Patients with Chronic Disease: A Pathway to Wellness*
- Sept 19, 2012 Guest Lecturer – CLRES 2900, *Using Decision Sciences to Improve Practice*
- Nov 8, 2012 Invited Lecturer – UPMC Department of Medicine Annual Cooper Lecture – *The Power and Pitfalls of Evidence-Based Medicine...and the Promise of Comparative Effectiveness Research*
- Nov 15, 2012 Guest Lecture, NEXT-UP Workshop – UPMC Department of Neurology Resident Lecture – *Foundation of Aims*
- Nov 27, 2012 Guest Lecture, UPMC Department of Medicine Resident Lecture, *Cost-Effectiveness*
- Nov 27, 2012 Guest Lecture, CLRES
- Nov 28, 2012 Panelist, ICRE Career Development Session, *Career Development, Obstacles, Challenges and Successes*
- Dec 7, 2012 TEAM (Training Early Academic Mentors) Panelist, ICRE
- 2013-present Co-Instructor, HPM 2001 *Introduction to Health Policy*, University of Pittsburgh, Graduate School of Public Health
- Jan 4, 2013 Guest Lecturer, UPMC Medicine Grand Rounds, *Quality Improvement/System Change Research in Palliative Care*
- Feb 6, 2013 Guest Lecturer, IE 1108 Health Systems Engineering – *Pay for Performance and Evidence Based Medicine*
- Feb 13, 2013 Guest Lecturer, CLRES 2010, *Quasi-experimental designs*
- Mar 29, 2013 Guest Lecturer, UPMC Endocrine Grand Rounds, *The Power and Pitfalls of Evidence-Based Medicine...and the Promise of Comparative Effectiveness Research*
- May 1, 2013 Guest Lecturer, CLRES 2610 Research Methods in Palliative Care, *Quality Improvement/System Change Research in Palliative Care*
- June 7, 2013 Guest Lecture, UPMC Health Plan Conclave 2013: *Putting the Value in Value-Based Care*
- Sept 25, 2013 Guest Lecture – BIOINF2011 – *Decision Making and Probabilistic Reasoning*
- Sept 25, 2013 Guest Lecture - Global Health Seminar Series – *Health Insurance Systems in Low Middle Income Countries*
- Oct 3, 2013 University of Pittsburgh, Science 2013 Convergence – *A Trillion Here, A Trillion There: The Pathophysiology of the Costs of US Health Care*
- Oct 8, 2013 University of Pittsburgh and MIDAS National Center of Excellence, MIDAS Workshop on Engaging Computational Methods for Public Health Law and Policy
- Oct 10, 2013 Co-Instructor, CLRES 2121 Cost Effectiveness – *ROC Curves, Value of Information, Sensitivity Analysis*
- Oct 11, 2013 2013 Update in Internal Medicine: Evidence Based Approaches to Common Medical Problems – *Choosing Wisely: Evidence Based Recommendations for Evaluation and Management*
- Oct 28, 2013 Guest Lecturer, EPIDEM 2260 – *Cost Effectiveness*

- Oct 31, 2013 Guest Lecturer – NIH Mentored Career Development Award Workshop – *Know Your K: Writing a Successful Career Development Award Application*
- Nov 26, 2013 Guest Lecturer – CLRES 2122 – *Accounting for Future Costs*
- Feb 7, 2014 Guest Lecturer-Geriatric Medicine Grand Rounds – *From Blunt Rules to Personalized Care: The Power and Pitfalls of Evidence-Based Medicine*
- April 30, 2014 Guest Lecturer – Transplant Hepatology Didactic Series – *Cost-Effectiveness Use of Special Instruments, Tests and Therapy in the Diagnosis and Management of Liver Disorders*

University of Utah School of Medicine

- 2002-present Course Director, Cost Effectiveness Analysis and Decision Analysis. In collaboration with the University of Utah CTSA, I teach two intensive, 2 and ½ day courses in CEA and DA at the University of Utah

National Venues

- 1991 Co-Director, Markov Models and the Alternatives (full day pre-course), annual meeting of the Society for Medical Decision Making.
- 1991–1998 Instructor, Introduction to Decision Analysis (conference pre-course), annual meeting of the Society of General Internal Medicine.
- 1992–2002 Instructor (1992–2002) and Course Director (1999–2002), Advanced Decision Analysis/Markov Decision Modeling (advanced pre-course), annual meeting of the Society for Medical Decision Making.
- 1993 Instructor, Introduction to Decision Analysis (conference pre-course), annual regional meeting of the American College of Physicians.
- 1993–1995 Instructor, Advanced Decision Analysis (conference workshop), annual meeting of the Society of General Internal Medicine.
- 1996–present Course Director, Introduction to Decision Analysis, annual national meeting of the International Society for Pharmacoeconomics and Outcomes Research.
- 2003–present Instructor, Markov Decision Processes: Analytic Methods for Sequential Decisions (pre-course), annual meeting of the Society for Medical Decision Making.
- 2010-present Decision Analysis and Simulation Modeling in Health Care Improvement. Intermountain Healthcare Advanced Training Program in Health Care Improvement, Salt Lake City, Utah, (twice a year)
- Sept 14, 2011 Guest Lecturer, ChiLDREN Network Steering Committee, University of Michigan – Disease Modeling and Endpoints for Clinical Studies
- Oct 6, 2011 Guest Lecturer, Fred Hutchison Cancer Research Center (FHCR), Seattle WA – The Use of Mechanistic Modeling and Simulation in HIV Policy
- Oct 7, 2011 Guest Lecturer, University of Washington, Department of Health Services Administration – Virtual Clinical Trials: Gaining Biological Insights Through Mathematical Models
- Oct 9, 2011 Decision Analysis and Simulation Modeling in Health Care Improvement. Intermountain Healthcare Advanced Training Program in Health Care Improvement, Salt Lake City, Utah
- Oct 22-28, 2011 Instructor, Markov Decision Processes: Analytic Methods for Sequential Decisions (pre-course), annual meeting of the Society for Medical Decision Making, Chicago IL
- Jan 17, 2012 Geisinger Medical Center – Activating Patients in Their Own Care and Personalizing Health Care
- Jan 30-31, 2012 Interactive Panel Discussion, Center for Applied Value Analysis at the 3rd Annual Health Outcomes and Pharmacoeconomics Research Conference – “Preparing for the Impact of Comparative Effectiveness Research on Med Device Companies”, Philadelphia PA
- March 27, 2012 Decision Analysis and Simulation Modeling in Health Care Improvement. Intermountain Healthcare Advanced Training Program in Health Care Improvement, Salt Lake City, Utah
- May 10, 2012 SGIM/SMDM Joint Abstract Presentation, SGIM Annual Meeting, Orlando FL
- June 2, 2012 Course Instructor, ISPOR 17th Annual International Meeting, “Introduction to Modeling” and “Modeling: Design and Structure of a Model”, Washington DC
- July 30, 2012 Plenary speaker – Healthcare Management - MOPTA 2012 (Modeling Optimization Conference: Theory and Applications), Bethlehem, PA
- Oct 17, 2012 INFORMS-SMDM lecture – “Decision Analytic and Patient-Centered Modeling in Medicine” – Phoenix, AZ
- April 2, 2013 Guest speaker – Columbia University – “Discrete event simulations – Archimedes-type Models”, New York City, NY

International Venues

- March 2000 Course Director and Instructor, Medical Decision Analysis (intensive two-day seminar conducted for the Hospital Authority of Hong Kong), Hong Kong, PRC.

April 2001	Instructor, Cost-Effectiveness (seminar presented for the Infectious Disease Society of France), Lille, France.
June, 2004	Advanced Decision Analysis. European Society for Medical Decision Making. Rotterdam, The Netherlands
June, 2008	Course co-director: Introduction to Cost Effectiveness. Post graduate course at the University of Lausanne School of Medicine, Lausanne, Switzerland.
Nov 5, 2011	Course instructor, ISPOR 14 th Annual European Congress, "Pharmacoeconomic Modeling – Applications", Madrid, Spain
Dec 1, 2011	Guest Lecturer, Duke University, Graduate Medical School, "The Application of Decision Modeling Methodologies to Projects Related to Long Term Care for the Elderly", Singapore
Aug 10, 2012	Guest Lecturer, Asia-Pacific Economic Cooperation (APEC) – "Basic Principles of Cost Effectiveness in Healthcare Services", Taipei, Taiwan
Sept 2, 2012	Course Instructor, ISPOR 5 th Asia-Pacific Conference, "Applied Modeling", Taipei, Taiwan
Sept 30, 2012	Course Instructor, SMDM Singapore International Public Health Conference "Modeling Methods for Health Care Decisions: An Introductory Course", Singapore
Nov 3, 2012	Course Instructor, ISPOR 15 th Annual European Congress, "Pharmacoeconomic Modeling: Applications", Berlin, Germany
April 9-12, 2013	Guest Lecturer, Duke University, Graduate Medical School, "Building Models to Inform Aging Policy: Getting it Right", Singapore
Nov 2, 2013	Course Instructor, ISPOR 16 th Annual European Congress, "Pharmacoeconomic Modeling – Applications", Dublin, Ireland
May 31, 2014	Course Instructor, ISPOR 19 th Annual International Meeting, "Introduction to Modeling Methods", Montreal, Canada

Clinical Teaching

Harvard Medical School, Boston

1986–1987	Resident Preceptor, Introduction to Clinical Medicine.
1987–1993	Preceptor, Introduction to Clinical Medicine.

New England Deaconess Hospital, Boston

1989–1990	Director, General Medicine Fellowship Training, Division of General Medicine.
1989–1993	Ward Attending Rounds, 1 month/year.
1989–1993	Faculty Preceptor, Chief Resident's Clinic.
1990–1991	Preceptor, Senior Resident Elective in Primary Care, Emerson College Health Services.
1990–1993	Instructor and Attending, Emergency Room.

UPMC Shadyside (Formerly Shadyside Hospital), Pittsburgh

1993–1997	Ambulatory Preceptor, Shea Medical Center.
1993–1998	Director, Internal Medicine Residency Program.
1993–1998	Medicine Teaching Rounds, 3 months/year.
1993–1998	Morning Report, 5 days/week, 12 months/year.
1994–1998	Intern Report, 5 days/week, every other week.

University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine, Pittsburgh

1993–1997	Preceptor, Physical Diagnosis.
1994–2011	Internal Medicine Teaching Rounds, 1 month/year.

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES: MENTORING AND ADVISING**Mentoring and Advising of Faculty**

- Cindy Bryce, PhD, Research Assistant Professor of Medicine, University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine. K25 Mentor (K25 DK02903), NIDDK: *Estimating End-Stage Liver Disease Prevalence and Treatment Variation* (funded, priority score 144).
- James Stahl, MD, Assistant Professor of Medicine, Harvard Medical School. K23 Consultant (K23 AI 18708-01), NIAID: *Modeling Pneumonia and the Effect of Guidelines* (approved but not funded). K08 Consultant (K08 HS011637), AHRQ: *Organ Replacement Technology Analysis Project* (funded).
- Joseph King, Jr., MD, MSc, Assistant Professor of Surgery, Yale University School of Medicine. K23 Mentor (K23 NS002169), NINDS: *The Optimal Management of Cerebral Aneurysms* (funded, priority score 133).
- Chung-Chou H. (Joyce) Chang, PhD, Research Assistant Professor of Medicine, University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine. K25 Mentor (K25 DK59928), NIDDK: *A Generalized Model for Post-transplant Survival* (funded, priority score 192).
- Brian Williams, MD, MBA, Assistant Professor of Anesthesia and Critical Care, University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine. K23 Co-Mentor (K23 AR047631), NIAMS: *Outcomes after ACL Reconstruction: Effect of Femoral Nerve Block Analgesia* (funded).
- Carol Stockman, PhD, Assistant Professor of Health Services Administration, University of Pittsburgh Graduate School of Public Health. K25 Mentor (K25 HL069880), NHLBI: *Risk and Preferences: Racial Disparities in Cardiac Care* (funded, priority score 152).
- R. Scott Braithwaite, MD, Assistant Professor of Medicine, Yale University School of Medicine. K23 Mentor (K23 AA014483), NIAAA: *Tailoring HIV Therapy for Alcohol-Using Populations* (funded, priority score 194).
- Margaret Byrne, PhD, Research Assistant Professor of Medicine, University of Miami. K07 Co-Mentor (K07 CA10181), NCI: *Resource and QOL Consequences of Lung Cancer Screening* (funded, priority score 174).
- Kenneth Smith, MD, Assistant Professor of Medicine, University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine. K23 Mentor (K23 AI056347), NIAID: *Optimal Strategies for PID Prevention and Management* (funded, priority score 161).
- Michael A. Rubin, MD, PhD, Assistant Professor of Medicine, University of Utah. (For mentoring, I received the 2003 Cross-Program Faculty Mentoring Award from the Association of Clinical Research Training Program Directors.)
- Janice Christine Zgibor, RPh, PhD, Assistant Professor of Epidemiology, Director of Evaluation, University of Pittsburgh Diabetes Institute. Mentor, American Diabetes Association Junior Faculty Award: *Predicting cardiovascular Risk in Type I diabetes*. (Funded); also Mentor, K01 DK070725-01A1 *Predicting Cardiovascular Risk in Type I Diabetes*, funded
- Andrew J. Schaefer, PhD, Assistant Professor of Industrial Engineering and Medicine, University of Pittsburgh Schools of Engineering and Medicine. K-25 Award primary mentor: K25 EB005804-01 *Patient-Oriented Decision making in Liver Transplantation: and MDP Approach* (scored, not funded)
- Bryna Harwood, MD, MSc. Assistant Professor of Obstetrics and Gynecology, University of Illinois at Chicago. Primary mentor on a K-23 award: *Contraceptive Decision-Making: Women's Preferences for IUD-related Health States*,
- Bruce Lee, MD, MBA, Assistant Professor of Medicine, University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine. Mentor on K-12 Clinical Research Scholar Award: "Computer Simulation Modeling to Characterize the Spread and Optimize the Response to Influenza".
- Smita Nayak, MD, Assistant Professor of Medicine, University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine. Mentor on K-12 Clinical Research Scholar Award: *Optimizing Screening Strategies for Identifying Postmenopausal Women at Risk for Osteoporotic Fracture*
- Matthew F. Reeves, MD, MPH, Assistant Professor of Obstetrics, Gynecology and Reproductive Sciences, University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine. Mentor on K-12 Clinical Research Scholar Award: *Modeling Contraceptive Cost-effectiveness and Service Delivery in the Developing World*
- Jagpreet Chhatwal, PhD, Assistant Professor of Health Policy and Management, University of Pittsburgh, Graduate School of Public Health. Mentor on KL2 Award - *Optimal treatment and screening strategies for hepatitis C in the era of direct-acting antivirals*
- Theodore You, MD, MSC, Assistant Professor of Vascular Surgery, University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine. KL2 Mentored award.
- Janel Hanmer, MD, PhD, Assistant Professor of Internal Medicine, University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine. KL2 Mentored award: *Integrating Health Utility Theory and Item-Response Theory for Individual Health Measurement*. 2011-2013.

Mentoring and Advising of PhD Candidates

- Mark McClellan, MD, PhD. Health Scientist Training Thesis Committee, Harvard Medical School, PhD awarded 1992.
- Brent McHenry, MS, PhD. University of Pittsburgh School of Public Health, Dissertation: *New Estimation Approaches in Survival Analysis with Aalen's Additive Risk Model*, PhD awarded 2004.
- Oguzahn Alagoz, PhD. Department of Industrial Engineering, University of Pittsburgh, Dissertation: *The Optimal Timing of Liver Transplantation: A Markov Decision Process Approach*, PhD awarded 2004. Honorable Mention: 2005 George B. Dantzig Dissertation Award: *Optimal Policies for the Acceptance of Living- and Cadaveric-Donor Livers*
- Nan Kong, PhD, Department of Industrial Engineering, University of Pittsburgh. Dissertation: *Optimal Design of Regions for Liver Transplantation*. PhD awarded 6/2005. Honorable Mention: 2006 George B. Dantzig Dissertation Award: *Maximizing the Efficiency of the U.S. Liver Allocation System through Region Selection*
- Steven Shechter, PhD candidate. Department of Industrial Engineering, University of Pittsburgh, Dissertation: *Optimal Therapy Planning for HIV Using Markov Decision Processes*, PhD awarded 2006. Winner, 2004 Bonder Scholarship for Applied Operations Research in Health Services, INFORMS, 2004. Finalist: 2006 Decision Analysis Society (INFORMS) student paper award.
- Jennifer Kreke, PhD candidate. Department of Industrial Engineering, University of Pittsburgh, Dissertation: *Optimal Decision Making in the Management of Severe Sepsis: A Markov Decision Process Approach*. PhD expected 2007.
- Burhan Sandiki, PhD candidate. Department of Industrial Engineering, University of Pittsburgh, Dissertation Topic *Estimating the price of privacy in liver transplantation*, PhD expected 2007. Winner, 2007 Bonder Scholarship for Applied Operations Research in Health Services, INFORMS 2007
- Mehmet Demirci, PhD candidate. Department of Industrial Engineering, University of Pittsburgh, dissertation: *Designing Liver Allocation Hierarchy: Incorporating Equity and Uncertainty*, PhD awarded 2008
- Gorkem Saka, PhD candidate. Department of Industrial Engineering, University of Pittsburgh, dissertation: *Increasing and Assessing the Impact of Patient Choice in Liver Transplantation*, PhD awarded 2008
- Fiona Callahan, PhD Candidate, Department of Biostatistics, Graduate School of Public Health, University of Pittsburgh. Dissertation topic: *Classification Tree for Survival Data with Competing Risks*. PhD awarded 2009.
- Yongyun Zhao, PhD Candidate, Department of Biostatistics, Graduate School of Public Health, University of Pittsburgh, *Dissertation Topic: Summary Functions for Data in the Presence of Competing Risks*. PhD awarded 2008
- Robert Koppenhaver, PhD Candidate, Department of Industrial Engineering, University of Pittsburgh. Dissertation: title to be determined; topic involves *optimal use of HIV resources in resource-poor environments*. Recipient of University of Pittsburgh CTSI pre-doctoral T-32 training award (2007-2008; 2008-2009); PhD expected 2010.
- Sepehr Nemati, MS, PhD Candidate, Department of Industrial Engineering, University of Pittsburgh. advised for two years, student changed topic and advisors.
- Osman Yalin Özaltın, MS, PhD candidate. Department of Industrial Engineering, University of Pittsburgh. Dissertation: *"Optimal Design of the Annual Influenza Vaccine"*. PhD awarded 2011
- Sakine Batun, PhD Candidate, Department of Industrial Engineering, University of Pittsburgh. Dissertation: *"Can Risk Preferences Explain Liver Transplantation Decisions in Practice? An Empirical Approach"* PhD awarded 2011
- Zeynep Erkin, PhD Candidate, Department of Industrial Engineering, University of Pittsburgh. Dissertation: *"Eliciting Patient Preferences and Placing Expedited Organs"* PhD awarded 2011
- Murat Kurt, MS, PhD Candidate, Department of Industrial Engineering, University of Pittsburgh. Dissertation: *"Incorporating Patient Autonomy into the Timing of Prearranged Paired Kidney Exchanges"*, PhD awarded 2012
- Zeynep Gozde Icten, MS, PhD Candidate, Department of Industrial Engineering, University of Pittsburgh. Dissertation *"Markov decision process models for improving equity in liver allocation"*. PhD expected 2012
- Amin Khademi, MS, PhD Candidate, Department of Industrial Engineering, University of Pittsburgh. Dissertation *"Managing HIV treatment in resource-limited and dynamic environments"*, PhD awarded 2013
- Anahita Khojandi, MS, PhD. Department of Industrial Engineering, University of Pittsburgh. Dissertation: *"Optimizing Implanted Cardiac Device Follow-Up Care"* PhD awarded 2014.
- Yomei Shaw, MS, PhD Candidate, Department of Health Policy and Management, University of Pittsburgh Graduate School of Public Health. Dissertation: TBA, PhD expected, 2016
- Mina Kabiri, MS, PhD Candidate, Health Policy and Management, University of Pittsburgh Graduate School of Public Health. Dissertation: TBA, PhD expected, 2016

Mentoring and Advising of Fellows (As General Internal Medicine Fellowship Director at New England Deaconess/Harvard Medical School from 1989 to 1992 and at the University of Pittsburgh from 1997 to 2003, I have advised a large number of fellows. However, the fellows listed below are those for which I had primary mentoring responsibility.)

Jasit Ahluwalia, MD, MPH, MS. Mentored 1990–1992. Now Sosland Family Professor and Chair, Department of Preventive Medicine and Public Health, and Professor of Internal Medicine, Family Medicine, and Pediatrics at the University of Kansas and Director of Cancer Prevention, Control, and Population Sciences, Kansas Cancer Institute, University of Kansas.

Richard Saitz, MD, MPH. Mentored 1991–1993. Now Professor of Medicine, Boston University School of Medicine.

Peter Friedman, MD, MPH. Mentored 1992–1993. Now Associate Professor of Medicine, Brown University School of Medicine.

James Stahl, MD, MPH. Mentored 1998–2000. Now Assistant Professor of Medicine, Harvard Medical School. Author of *Modeling Liver Allocation: National versus Hierarchical Distribution Policies*, University of Pittsburgh Press, 2000. Best Master's Essay, Delta Omega Honor Society in Public Health, 2001.

Serving solely as a Member of the Master's Student Thesis Committee, Graduate School of Public Health

Heather Shappell, MSc. Mentored 1998–1999, University of Pittsburgh Graduate School of Public Health, Thesis: *Decision Analysis: The Effect of Early Mammography, Prophylactic Surgeries, and Chemoprevention on Individuals with Either BRCA1 or BRCA2 Mutations*. Now genetic counselor, Yale University School of Medicine

Bruce McCauley, MD, MSc. Mentored 2001, University of Pittsburgh Graduate School of Public Health, Thesis: *Pancreas Transplantation in the United States: Economic and Policy Considerations*. Now Assistant Professor of Medicine, University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine.

Adam Gordon, MD, MPH. Mentored 2001, University of Pittsburgh Graduate School of Public Health. Thesis: *Exploration of Alternative Treatment Settings of Alcohol Detoxification*. Now Assistant Professor of Medicine, University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine.

Rita Washko, MD. Master's thesis committee, 2000, University of Pittsburgh Graduate School of Public Health. Thesis: *An Overview of Case Management*.

Barry Farkas, MD. Master's thesis committee, 2000, University of Pittsburgh Graduate School of Public Health. Thesis: *The Power and Beauty of Bedside Clinical Inference: An Evidence-Based Polemic*

Heather Hsu, MPH 2007. Master's Thesis committee 2006, University of Pittsburgh Graduate School of Public Health *Impact Of The Pneumococcal Conjugate Vaccine On Pneumococcal Meningitis In The United States, 1998-2005*

Advising of Medical Students

Andrew Bierhals, MSIV, MPH, (2000) Diagnostic Radiology Resident, Mallinckrodt Institute of Radiology. Thesis: *Cost-Effectiveness of PET Scanning in Epilepsy Surgery*.

Gabriel Silverman, MS3 (MD/PhD candidate in Medicine and Social and Decision Sciences) through Carnegie Mellon University, dissertation topic to be determined.

Aditya Iyer, University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine, class of 2013. Doris Duke Scholar, 2010-2011.

Advising of trainees in the University of Pittsburgh's Certificate and MS program in Clinical Research

David Streitman, MD, US Air Force. Project: *Placebo-Controlled Double-Blind Randomized Trial of Oral Nifedipine for Maintenance Therapy of Preterm Labor*. MS awarded 2002.

Hyagriv Simhan, MD, Assistant Professor of OB/GYN/Reproductive Sciences, Magee-Womens Hospital, Pittsburgh. Project: *Role of Cytokines and Promoter Genotype in Preterm Birth*. MS awarded 2002.

Jawad Ahmad, MD, Assistant Professor, Center for Liver Diseases, Division of Gastroenterology, Department of Medicine, University of Pittsburgh. Certificate in Clinical Research awarded 2002.

Tracy Prosen, MD, Faculty, University of Minnesota. Project: *Skewed X Chromosome Inactivation and Spontaneous Abortion*. MSc awarded 2002.

Ashi Daftary, MD, Assistant Professor of OB/GYN/Reproductive Sciences, Magee-Womens Hospital, Pittsburgh. Project: *Use of the Fetal Fibronectin Assay in the Evaluation of Preterm Labor: A Cost-Effectiveness Analysis*. MS awarded 2003.

- R. Scott Braithwaite, MD, Assistant Professor of Medicine, Yale University School of Medicine. Project: *Can Computer-Aided Selection of Highly Active Antiretroviral Therapy (HAART) Extend the Duration of Treatment Success?* MSc awarded 2004.
- John Lopez, MD, Faculty, St. Peters University Hospital, New Brunswick, NJ. Project: *Parental Bereavement in Minority Populations after Pediatric Death.* MSc awarded 2004.
- Julie Hvizda, RN, Research Nurse, Department of Diagnostic Radiology, National Institutes of Health. *Multi-modality Image Guidance for Minimally Invasive Percutaneous Therapies.* MSc awarded 2004.
- Robert Larkin, MD, Assistant Professor of Medicine, Hershey Medical Center, Hershey, PA. Project: *Preeclampsia: A Disease of Placental Hypoperfusion and Oxidative Stress.* MS awarded 2004.
- Kenneth Smith, MD, Research Assistant Professor of Medicine, University of Pittsburgh. Project: *Optimal Management Strategies for Pelvic Inflammatory Disease.* MS awarded 2006.
- Timothy Canavan, MD, Fellow in Maternal-Fetal Medicine, Magee-Womens Hospital, Pittsburgh. MS Project: *Progesterone Modulation of Innate Immunity in Pregnancy.* MS awarded 2005.
- Paul Speer, MD, Fellow in Maternal-Fetal Medicine, Magee-Womens Hospital, Pittsburgh. MS awarded 2005.
- Peter Michelson, MD, Assistant Professor, Pediatric Pulmonology, Children's Hospital, Pittsburgh. MS awarded 2007.
- Kristine Campbell, MD, Pediatrics, Children's Hospital, Pittsburgh. MS Project: Cost-effectiveness of head CT in infants with possible inflicted traumatic brain injury. MS awarded 2006
- David Van Pelt, MD, Critical Care Medicine, University of Pittsburgh. MS awarded 2007
- David Blandino, MD, Assistant Professor of Family Medicine, University of Pittsburgh. MS Project: Clinical Performance of Residency Graduates: a preliminary study in practice outcome oriented educational research. MS Awarded 2007
- Brian A. Primack, MD, PhD, Assistant Vice Chancellor for Research on Health and Society; Director, Center for Research on Media, Technology and Health; Associate Professor of Medicine, Pediatrics and Clinical & Translational Science; University of Pittsburgh. MS awarded 2008.

Advising/Doctoral committee participation of PhD Students in the University of Pittsburgh's PhD in Clinical and Translation Science

- Brian Primack, MD, MS. Assistant Vice Chancellor for Research on Health and Society; Director, Center for Research on Media, Technology and Health; Associate Professor of Medicine, Pediatrics and Clinical & Translational Science; University of Pittsburgh (2011)
- Gijsberta (Josie) Van London, MD, MS, Assistant Professor of medicine, University of Pittsburgh, dissertation TBA, PhD (2012)
- Alvaro Sanchez-Ortiz, MD, MS. Post-doctoral fellow, department of Trauma Surgery, University of Pittsburgh. Dissertation TBA, PhD (2012)
- Hussain Tawbi, MD, MS, Assistant Professor of Medicine (Oncology) University of Pittsburgh. Dissertation TBA, PhD (2011)
- Ahmad Tarhini MD, MS, Assistant Professor of Medicine (Oncology) University of Pittsburgh. Dissertation TBA, PhD (2011)

Academic Advising (Students)

Student Name	Department	Academic Year
Arina Agofonova	Health Policy and Management	2010-2011, 2011-2012
Adam Conway	Health Policy and Management	2010-2011, 2011-2012
Yongxu Huang	Health Policy and Management	2010-2011, 2011-2012
Lauren McKown	Health Policy and Management	2010-2011, 2011-2012
Alyia Smith-Parker	Health Policy and Management	2010-2011, 2011-2012
Sonia Easaw	Health Policy and Management	2010-2011
Terence Chen	Health Policy and Management – MPH	2011-2012
Shawn Kapoor	Health Policy and Management – MHA	2011-2012

Guangyu Luo	Health Policy and Management – MPH	2011-2012
Anupama Sharma	Health Policy and Management – MHA	2011-2012

OTHER PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

January 12-13, 2012	External Reviewer University of Toronto, Department of Health Policy, Management and Evaluation
April 4, 2012	Panelist, GSPH National Public Health Week, Discussion on the Affordable Care Act/Individual Mandate
April 2012	Member, Clinical and Translational Science Institute (CTSI) External Advisory Board
April 2012	Faculty Judge, 2012 Dean's Day Student Research Competition, University of Pittsburgh, Graduate School of Public Health
August 23, 2013	Panelist, DMBI – Informatics Challenges to Personalized Medicine, University of Pittsburgh – <i>Translation of Basic Research to Health Systems</i>
Nov 14-15, 2013	Co-Chair, Healthcare Leadership Forum: Evidence-Based Medicine at the Center of Care, Chicago, IL
April 14, 2015	Judge, Jewish Healthcare Foundation, QI ² T Health Innovators Fellowship "Pitch Competition"

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES: RESEARCH

Currently Funded Research Grants

Agency: NIGMS PI: Reis
 Grant #: NIH-5UL1TR000005 Role: Co-Investigator
 Dates: 9/24/2014-6/30/2017 % Effort: 5% (0.6 CM) direct costs:
 Title: University of Pittsburgh Clinical and Translational Science Institute

Institutional training and research grant to enhance multidisciplinary research at the University.

Agency: NIDDK PI: Squires
 Grant #: U01- DK072146 Role: Co-Investigator
 Dates: 10/1/2010-9/30/2015 % Effort: 10% (1.2 CM) direct costs: \$5,142
 Title: A Multi-Center Group to Study Acute Liver Failure in Children

Our goal is to improve short- and long-term outcomes for pediatric acute liver failure (PALF) through a better understanding of patient phenotypes, reassessment of risk classifications, and associating early events to outcome at one year

Agency: NIH/NIAAA PI: Braithwaite
 Grant #: 1 U24AA022007-01 Role: Sub-contract PI
 Dates: 9/15/2012-8/31/2017 % Effort: 8.5% (1.03 CM) direct costs: \$124,979
 Title: The Operations Research Collaboration for Alcohol Abuse and Aid - ORCAAA

This application proposes to develop an *Implementation Science Resource Core* to support the research of CHAART consortia (Collaborative Centers for HIV/AIDS and Alcohol Outcomes Research), building upon their existing infrastructure. Our proposal will substantially enhance consortia directions and goals, and accelerate the ongoing and future investigations by giving CHAART consortia and other HIV/alcohol researchers access to resources, information, ideas, and expertise in implementation science that are otherwise beyond the scope of any single research team.

Agency: NIH PI: BURKE
 Grant #: U01- DK072146 Role: Co-Investigator

Dates: 9/24/2014-6/30/2019 % Effort: 5% (0.6 CM) direct costs:
 Title: Computational Models of Infectious Disease Threats (MIDAS)

This grant funds a center of excellence in the use of computational modeling to understand infectious disease threats and estimate the effects of various mitigation strategies.

Agency: NIH PI: Jiang
 Grant #: P38 Role: Sub-account PI
 Dates: 5/1/2014-4/30/2019 % Effort: 8% direct costs: \$96,175
 Title: A New Generation Decision Support System

The objective of this research is to develop a novel decision support system that utilizes both the clinical features and the genomic profile of a breast cancer patient to assist the physician in integrating information about a specific patient (diagnostic subtype, tumor stage and grade, age, comorbidities, patient preferences) to make therapeutic plans for the patient.

Grant Funding History

Agency: NIH PI: Puyana
 Grant #: D43 TW008443 Role: Co-Investigator
 Dates: 9/2009-6/2014 % Effort: 5% (.6 CM) direct costs: \$58,044
 Title: Enhancing Research and Informatics Capacity for Health Information in Colombia (ENRICH)
 Establish an international collaboration between the University Pittsburgh and the Javeriana University in Bogota with the goal of building the capacity of individuals in the field of health informatics with an emphasis on clinical research

Agency: NIH/NIAMS PI: Kwoh
 Multidisciplinary Clinical Research
 Centers (P60)
 Grant #: RFA-AR-12-001 Role: Advisor
 Dates: 4/1/12-3/31/17 % Effort: N/A direct costs: N/A
 Title: PITT-MCRC for Rheumatic and Musculoskeletal Diseases

The PITT-MCRC will support the mission of NIH/NIAMS by conducting and supporting research training on the causes, treatment, and prevention of arthritis, musculoskeletal and skin diseases that affect the health of millions of people. The goal of this research is to prevent diseases and improve patient outcomes

Agency: NSF PI: Maillart
 Grant #: CMMI-1100421 (Maillart) Role: Co-Investigator
 Dates: 9/1/2011-8/31/2014 % Effort: 2% (.24 CM) direct costs: \$74,666 ~ project
 \$7,014 (Mark)
 Title: Optimizing Implanted Cardiac Device Follow Up Care
 This application will develop optimization models of the appropriate follow-up and testing of pacemakers and defibrillators to maximize patient oriented outcomes and minimize costs of follow-up.

Agency: NSF PI: Schaefer
 Grant #: CMMI-1100082 Role: Co-Investigator
 Dates: 5/1/2011-4/30/2014 % Effort: 3% (.36 CM) direct costs: \$4,208 (Roberts'
 sub)
 Title: Collaborative Research: The Optimal Timing of Kidney Exchanges: A Markov Game Approach
 This project will use sophisticated mathematical models to improve decisions made between patients on dialysis and those approaching dialysis to simultaneously share organs

Agency: NIH PI: Cram
 Grant #: R01-AG033035-01A1 Role: Co-Investigator
 Dates: 7/01/09-6/30/14 % Effort: variable (2-5%) direct costs:
 Title: A Patient Activation Intervention to Enhance Bone Health in Older Adults
 This project will expand an existing simulation model of osteoporosis screening and treatment to include screening of men and patients with multiple other comorbidities.

Agency: NICHD PI: Harwood

- Grant #: 0826141 Role: Co-Investigator
 Dates: 07/01/08 – 06/30/11 % Effort: 3.0% direct costs: \$15,490
 Title: Optimizing Flu Shot Design Under Uncertainty
 This project will use mathematical optimization methods from industrial engineering to evaluate the timing and strain selection decision for influenza vaccines.
- Agency: VA PI: Schaefer
 Grant #: Role: Co-Investigator
 Dates: 7/1/09 to 9/30/2011 % Effort: 2% yr 1, 8% yr 2-3 direct costs: \$67,265
 Title: VA Pittsburgh Healthcare System Veterans Engineering Resource Center (VERC)
 This project will use methods from OR and Management Science to improve workflow and efficiency in the Pittsburgh Veteran's Health Care System.
- Agency: NIDDK PI: **Roberts**
 Grant #: R21-DK084201-01 Role: Principal Investigator
 Dates: 7/1/09 to 6/30/11 % Effort: 15% direct costs: \$274,000
 Title: The optimal timing of transplantation in pediatric acute liver failure
 This project will develop natural history models of pediatric acute liver failure (PALF) and calibrate a simulation model of organ allocation and transplantation to optimize the use of transplantation in PALF.
- Agency: NIAID PI: Smith
 Grant #: R01 AI076256-01A1 Role: Co-Investigator
 Dates: 10/1/07 – 9/30/11 % Effort: 5.0% direct costs: \$9,336
 Title: Alternative strategies for adult Pneumococcal vaccination
 The aims of this project are to 1) forecast changes in adult pneumococcal serotype epidemiology resulting from childhood PCV using an infectious disease transmission dynamic model and 2) calculate the effectiveness and cost-effectiveness of alternative adult pneumococcal vaccination strategies incorporating forecasted PCV epidemiologic effects.
- Agency: NCHSR/HCTA PI: **Roberts** (Individual NRSA)
 Grant #: F32-HS00015 Role: Principal Investigator
 Dates: 7/1/87–6/30/89 % Effort: 100% direct costs: \$52,008
 Title: *An Analysis of the Optimal Timing of Liver Transplantation in End-stage Liver Disease*
 This was an individual NRSA to fund fellowship activities and develop Markov models of end-stage liver disease.
- Agency: Natl Fund for Medical Education PI: Marton
 Grant #: N/A Role: Investigator
 Dates: 1987–1990 % Effort: 10% (donated) direct costs: N/A
 Title: *Modifying Physician Use of Diagnostic X-Ray Imaging*
 I assumed day-to-day responsibility for grant administration and execution after Dr. Marton left the institution.
- Agency: AHCPR PI: **Roberts**
 Grant #: R01-HS/DK 06728-01: Role: Principal Investigator
 Dates: 5/1/91–4/30/92 % Effort: 30% direct costs: \$63,294
 Title: *Methodologic Research in Simulating Complex Disease*
 This was a methodology development grant to understand and implement Monte Carlo evaluation of large Markov processes in the context of the modeling of end-stage liver disease. No-cost extension to 04/30/93.
- Agency: Ohmeda PPD PI: Angus
 Grant #: N/A Role: Investigator
 Dates: 1996–1997 % Effort: 10% direct costs: N/A
 Title: *Pharmacoeconomic Development of Inhaled NO in the Treatment of Respiratory Distress Syndrome of the Newborn*
 This study developed cost-effectiveness models of the use of inhaled NO in children with respiratory distress.

Agency: HRSA PI: **Roberts**
 Grant #: 1-D28-PE-1024-01 Role: Program Director
 Dates: 7/1/97–6/30/00 % Effort: 30% direct costs: \$783,000
 Title: *General Internal Medicine Residency Training Grant*

This was a primary care training grant to improve ambulatory care training of community-based residency programs. I resigned as Program Director in 7/98 and therefore relinquished PI/Program Director status on the grant as of 7/98.

Agency: HRSA PI: **Roberts**
 Grant #: D28-PE-50030-04 Role: Program Director
 Dates: 7/1/97–6/30/00 % Effort: 20% direct costs: \$551,000
 Title: *Faculty Development Training Grant*

This was a general medicine fellowship training grant.

Agency: AHRQ
 Grant #: 1R25-HS09784-01 PI: **Roberts**
 Dates: 5/1/98–4/31/01 Role: Principal Investigator
 Title: *Training Program in Clinical Effectiveness/Evaluation Sciences* % Effort: 10% direct costs: \$240,943

This grant was designed to develop an integrated program in health services research for fellows and faculty members across all departments of the School of Medicine.

Agency: AHCPR PI: **Roberts**
 Grant #: R01-HS09694-01 Role: Principal Investigator
 Dates: 9/30/97–8/29/00 % Effort: 30% direct costs: \$813,734
 Title: *The Optimal Timing of Liver Transplantation*

This project was designed to develop a complex mathematical model of end-stage liver disease to estimate the impact of timing and allocation rules on overall survival, costs, and quality of life in liver transplantation.

Agency: Jewish Health Care Foundation PI: Kapoor
 Grant #: N/A Role: Co-Investigator
 Dates: 1999–2000 % Effort: 10% direct costs: \$150,000
 Title: *Collaborative Quality Improvement of Pharmaceutical Care and Medication Discharge Counseling*

This project designed, implemented, and tested a multidisciplinary intervention in medication education and structured medication-related consults to improve patient understanding of medications and compliance.

Agency: NIH-NINDS PI: King
 Grant #: NST K23-NS02169 Role: Co-Mentor (PI is now at Yale)
 Dates: 2000–2005 % Effort: 5% (donated) direct costs: N/A
 Title: *The Optimal Management of Cerebral Aneurysms*

The specific aims of this proposal are (1) to construct a computer simulation decision analytic model to examine optimal neurosurgical decision-making in patients with cerebral aneurysms and (2) to use the computer simulation model to perform a cost-effectiveness analysis to optimize societal resource allocation during the management of patients with aneurysms.

Agency: Jewish Health Care Foundation PI: Piraino
 Grant #: N/A Role: Co-Investigator
 Dates: 1/1/01–12/31/02 % Effort: 10% direct costs: N/A
 Title: *Continuous Process Improvement in Quality of Clinical Care in an Academic Department of Medicine*

The goal of this proposal was to develop a culture of continuous process improvement in a major academic department of medicine.

Agency: Pfizer PI: Smith
 Grant #: N/A Role: Co-Investigator
 Dates: 2000–2002 % Effort: 5% direct costs: N/A

Title: *Quality of Life Utility Values for Erectile Dysfunction*

The purpose of this study was to measure actual utilities for men with and without erectile dysfunction.

Agency: NLM PI: Friedman
 Grant #: 3 T15 LM07059-14S1 Role: Investigator
 Dates: 7/1/00–6/30/02 % Effort: 5% direct costs: N/A
 Title: *Pittsburgh Medical Informatics Training Program*

The proposal was for a training grant to plan and implement a concentration combining informatics and health services research.

Agency: DARPA PI: Wagner
 Grant #: F30602-01-2-0550 Role: Co-Investigator
 Dates: 8/13/01–2/12/02 % Effort: 5% direct costs: N/A
 Title: *Scalable Bio-Surveillance Systems*

This project was designed to develop a prototype bioterrorism detection system based on real-time computer analysis of routinely collected medical and nonmedical data. Our subcomponent was in charge of building a cost-effectiveness model of different detection and response strategies.

Agency: NIH-NHLBI PI: Angus
 Grant #: 1R01 HS11620-01 Role: Investigator
 Dates: 9/30/01– 8/31/05 % Effort: 4.5% direct costs: \$70,982 (sub)
 Title: *Economic Analysis of Pulmonary Artery Catheter Use*

This multicenter, randomized controlled trial will compare simultaneously the clinical outcomes associated with specific protocols for use of pulmonary artery catheters vs central venous catheters.

Agency: HRSA PI: Hoberman
 Grant #: D14 HP 00198-01 Role: Co-PI (2002–2003), Investigator (2003–2005)
 Dates: 7/1/02–6/30/05 % Effort: 12.5% direct costs: N/A
 Title: *Faculty Development in General Pediatrics/Internal Medicine*

The proposal was designed to fund a combined Medicine/Pediatrics and Medicine/Pediatrics Fellowship Program devoted to developing academicians with research, teaching, and educational interests in underserved care.

Agency: NSF PI: Schaefer
 Grant #: DMI-0223084 Role: Co-Principal Investigator
 Dates: 9/1/02–2/28/04 % Effort: 2.5% direct costs: \$7,253 (sub)
 Title: *Collaborative Research: Modeling Patients' Perspectives on Organ Acceptance*

The purpose of this proposal was to develop mathematical models of the decisions that patients (and physicians, as agents for patients) must make to accept or reject an organ of a particular quality.

Agency: Jewish Health Care Foundation PI: **Roberts**
 Grant #: N/A Role: Principal Investigator
 Dates: 9/1/2003-8/1/2004 % Effort: 5% direct costs: \$37,259
 Title: *The Application of Management Science and Simulation to Hospital Operation and Planning*

This project will develop and calibrate a discrete-event simulation of the UPMC Presbyterian/Montefiore Hospital complex at the bed and patient level, for the purpose of predicting multiple outcomes as a result of process changes in hospital departments.

Agency: Assn of Teachers of Family Medicine PI: Middleton
 Grant #: N/A Role: Co-Investigator
 Dates: 10/1/03–3/31/05 % Effort: 2% (6 months/year) direct costs: \$4,265
 Title: *Standing Orders for Vaccination of Hospitalized Elderly*

This project will document the costs of a hospital-based standing-order vaccination program for both killed influenza and pneumococcal polysaccharide vaccines through direct observation of time and effort necessary to administer these vaccines.

Agency: Open Society Institute PI: King
 Grant #: 200008717 Role: Curriculum Liaison, CRTP

Dates: 7/1/03–7/31/05 % Effort: 3% (donated) direct costs: N/A
 Title: *Palliative Care Fellowship*

The aim of the project is to increase and enhance the existing Palliative Care Fellowship by formalizing the curriculum, strengthening the evaluation, and adding a research component to the training.

Agency: NIH-NIGMS PI: Angus
 Grant #: R01 GM61992 Role: Investigator
 Dates: 4/1/03–3/31/05 % Effort: 10% direct costs: N/A
 Title: *Genetic and Inflammatory Markers of Sepsis*

This study examined a cohort of 3500 patients with confirmed pneumonia at presentation to the emergency room in 32 hospitals in southwestern Pennsylvania and Connecticut and produced a large-scale epidemiological assessment of the clinical, molecular, and genetic factors that influence the onset of infection and progression to sepsis, organ dysfunction, and death.

Agency: AHRQ PI: Schechter
 Grant #: R36 HS15533-01 Role: Mentor/Advisor
 Dates: 03/01/05-2/28/2006 % Effort: (donated) direct costs: N/A
 Title: *Optimizing when to start and switch HIV therapy*

The purpose of this project is to develop a Markov Decision Process (MDP) of the clinical problem of when to initiate HAART therapy, and when viral resistance is detected, inform both the question of how to define virilological failure and when to switch to another set of drugs.

Agency: NIH-NIAAA PI: Saitz (PI, Boston Med Ctr)/Kraemer (Sub-Contract PI)
 Grant #: R01 AA012617 Role: Investigator
 Dates: 9/1/00–4/30/06 % Effort: 7.5%–5% direct costs: N/A
 Title: *Hospital-Based Brief Intervention for Alcohol Problems*

The primary goal of this project is to conduct cost-effectiveness analyses of data, including the randomized trial results and the development of the Alcohol Intervention Policy Model.

Agency: NIH PI: Sweet
 Grant #: T32HD040673 Role: Mentor; Curriculum Liaison
 Dates: 5/1/01–4/30/06 % Effort: 2.5% (donated) direct costs: N/A
 Title: *OB-GYN Fellowships in Epidemiology and Clinical Trials*

The purpose of this training program is to develop clinical and population research skills in general OB/GYN practitioners. Fellows will participate in the core curriculum of the Clinical Research Training Program, which Dr. Roberts directs.

Agency: NIH-NINR PI: Erlen
 Grant #: R01NR004749 Role: Data Safety Monitoring Board Member
 Dates: 1999–2007 % Effort: N/A
 Title: *Improving Adherence to Antiretroviral Therapy*

Member of data safety monitoring board of an ongoing trial of antiretroviral medication compliance

Agency: American Diabetes Association PI: Zgibor
 Grant #: N/A (Career development) Role: Mentor
 Dates: 7/1/04–6/30/07 % Effort: 5% (donated) direct costs: N/A
 Title: *Predicting Cardiovascular Risk in Type 1 Diabetics*

The major goal of this project is to develop risk prediction equations for patients with type 1 diabetes and to model the subsequent effect of risk factor interventions.

Agency: NIH-NIDA PI: Kraemer
 Grant #: R21-DA018139 Role: Co-Investigator
 Dates: 9/15/04-8/31/06 % Effort: 5% direct costs: N/A
 Title: *Societal and Patient Utilities for Drug Problems*

The main goals of this proposal are to establish utility ratings for a spectrum of drug-related health states, to determine how utility ratings differ between those with and without drug problems, and to determine optimal utility measurement methods.

Agency: NIH-NHLBI PI: Kapoor
 Grant #: K30 RR022294 Role: Co-Principal Investigator

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Dates: 9/15/00-5/31/10 % Effort: 20% (varied by year) direct costs: N/A
 Title: *Design of a New Clinical Research Training Program*

The aim of this project is to develop a multidisciplinary clinical research training program designed to provide clinician-researchers with the skills necessary to effectively design and conduct clinical research, with the ultimate goal of providing researchers with the ability to effectively compete for research funds.

Agency: NIH-NIDDK PI: Bryce
 Grant #: K25 DK02903 Role: Mentor
 Dates: 9/15/00-8/31/06 % Effort: 5% (donated) direct costs: N/A
 Title: *Estimating ESLD Prevalence and Treatment Variance*

This project will evaluate the role of gender, race, and income in determining access to liver transplantation and explaining variation in liver transplant rates.

Agency: NIMH PI: Reynolds
 Grant #: 1P30 MH07 1944-01 Role: Co-Investigator
 Dates: 6/1/05-5/31/06 % Effort: 5% (3 months) direct costs: \$34,572 (sub)
 Title: *Advanced Center in Interventions and Services Research in Late-Life Mood Disorders*

The goal of the proposed ACIS/LLMD is to provide a research infrastructure to promote investigators that will ultimately improve real world practice in the care of elderly living with depression and other severe mood disorders.

Agency: NIH-NIDDK PI: Chang
 Grant #: K25 DK59928 Role: Mentor
 Dates: 9/1/01-7/31/06 % Effort: 5% (donated) direct costs: N/A
 Title: *A Generalized Model for Post-transplant Survival*

The objectives of this project are (1) to develop a general survival regression model, (2) to develop a diagnostic procedure for the general survival regression model, and (3) to model the impact of transplantation on long-term survival in end-stage liver disease.

Agency: NIH-NHLBI PI: Stockman
 Grant #: K25-HL69880 Role: Mentor
 Dates: 4/1/02-3/31/07 % Effort: 5% (donated) direct costs: N/A
 Title: *Risk and Preferences: Racial Disparities in Cardiac Care*

The purpose of this grant is to explore whether preferences for and perceptions of risk can explain some of the observed ethnicity- and gender-based treatment variation in the acceptance of invasive cardiovascular procedures.

Agency: NSF PI: Schaefer
 Grant #: DMI-0355433 Role: Co-Investigator
 Dates: 4/15/04-3/31/07 % Effort: 5% direct costs: \$35,554 (sub)
 Title: *Optimizing the Regional Distribution of Organ Procurement Organizations*

The project will investigate the optimal timing of organ procurement organizations. New modeling techniques as well as state-of-the-art optimization methods will be developed for these difficult problems.

Agency: NIH-NHLBI PI: Angus
 Grant #: R01 HL069991 Role: Co-Investigator
 Dates: 12/15/02-11/30/07 % Effort: 5% direct costs: \$40,982 (sub)
 Title: *Long-Term Outcomes of Nitric Oxide for Ventilated Premature Babies*

The goal of this proposal is to perform an economic analysis of the use of inhaled nitric oxide for the prevention of chronic lung disease (INOPCLD) in premature newborns with respiratory failure.

Agency: AHRQ PI: Sirio
 Grant #: 1U18HS015851-01 Role: Co-Investigator

Dates: 7/1/05–6/30/07 % Effort: 5% direct costs: \$133,638 (sub)
 Title: *Enhanced Patient Safety Interventions to Optimize Medication Education "EPITOME"*

The proposed research seeks to evaluate the hospital-wide implementation of a multi-model patient medication education system, the Enhanced Patient Safety Interventions to Optimize Medication Education (EPITOME).

Agency: St. Margaret Foundation PI: Zimmerman (Smith Subcontract)
 Grant #: N/A Role: Co-Investigator
 Dates: 10/15/05-10/14/06 % Effort: 5% direct costs: \$33,596 (sub)
 Title: *Pneumococcal Polysaccharide Vaccine Decision Analysis*

The specific aim of this study is use decision analyses with sensitivity analyses; determine the number of deaths prevented, invasive cases prevented, and life years gained by various pneumococcal polysaccharide vaccination (PPV) strategies.

Agency: NCI PI: Byrne
 Grant #: K07 CA10181 Role: Co-Mentor (the PI is now at the University of Miami)
 Dates: 8/8/03–7/31/08 % Effort: N/A direct costs: N/A
 Title: *Resource and QOL Consequences of Lung Cancer Screening*

This research examined the psychological and economic consequences (costs and benefits) to individuals undergoing screening for lung cancer. The information gained can be used in conjunction with clinical effects of screening to evaluate programs of lung cancer screening.

Agency: NIH-NLM PI: **Roberts**
 Grant #: R21 LM008273 Role: Principal Investigator
 Dates: 1/1/05-12/31/06 (nce to 07) % Effort: 15% direct costs: \$275,000
 Title: *Using MDPs to Optimize Living-Donor Liver Transplants*

This R21 uses a complex mathematical technique called Markov decision processes (MDPs) to analyze the question of the optimal timing of living-donor liver transplantation. MDPs are analytic tools specifically designed to analyze sequential decision making under conditions of uncertainty, and although they have been applied to many management and industrial problems, they have seen little use in medicine and health care. This exploratory proposal seeks to apply these methods to a complex, clinical problem in transplantation.

Agency: DOD-Air Force PI: Chapman
 Grant #: DAMD 17-03-2-0017 Role: Co-Investigator
 Dates: 1/1/08 – 9/30/08 % Effort: 3.0% direct costs:
 Title: *Strategic Support of Telepathology Development in the Air Force*

The evaluation component of this project assessed the accuracy of two new technologies for the distributed reading of pathology slides in a military environment: 1) a whole slide imaging digital pathology system and 2) pathologic diagnosis via a robotic microscope, in which the pathologist is in one location and the microscope and slides are in another.

Agency: DOD-Air Force PI: Becich
 Grant #: DAMD 17-03-2-0017 Role: Co-Investigator
 Dates: 1/1/08 – 9/30/08 % Effort: 2.5% direct costs: \$5,769
 Title: *Distributed Radiology Dynamic Workload Allocation System (DRDWA) Development in the Air Force*

This project assessed the ability of a distributed multiplatform PACS system to improve workload and throughput in a military radiology environment.

Agency: NIAAA PI: Kraemer
 Grant #: R01 AA014713 Role: Co-Principal investigator
 Dates: 9/21/04-8/31/08 % Effort: 10% direct costs: N/A
 Title: *Patient & Societal Utilities for Alcohol Problems*

This work measured quality of life and utility in patients with alcohol use disorders and their family members.

Agency: NIAID PI: Smith

Grant #: 1K23 AI056347 Role: Mentor
 Dates: 6/1/04-2/29/08 % Effort: 5% (donated) direct costs: N/A
 Title: *Optimal Strategies for PID Prevention and Management*

This project developed a simulation model of pelvic inflammatory disease. The model synthesized data from diverse sources to allow evidence-based development of optimal management strategies for women in a variety of disease risk categories.

Agency: NIAAA PI: Braithwaite
 Grant #: 1 K23 AA14483 Role: Co-Mentor (the PI is now at Yale)
 Dates: 8/1/03-7/31/08 % Effort: N/A direct costs: N/A
 Title: *Tailoring HIV Therapy for Alcohol-Using Populations*

The grant will develop a mathematical model of the acquisition of HIV resistance in patients and use the model to evaluate the effect of various patterns of noncompliance with HAART, especially the noncompliance introduced by various alcohol use syndromes.

Agency: NINMH PI: Rollman
 Grant #: R01 MH049395 Role: Co-Investigator
 Dates: 12/1/03-11/30/08 % Effort: 2% direct costs: N/A
 Title: *Improving Quality of Primary Care for Anxiety Disorders*

This project was an effectiveness trial to examine the 12-month clinical outcomes and patterns of health services utilization for primary care patients with panic disorder/generalized anxiety disorder (PD/GAD) randomized to either a telephone-based collaborative care intervention or to patient and primary care physician (PCP) notification of the diagnosis alone.

Agency: NIDDK PI: Zgibor
 Grant #: K01 DK070725-01A2 Role: Mentor
 Dates: 7/1/05-6/30/08 % Effort: N/A direct costs: N/A
 Title: *Predicting Cardiovascular Risk in Type 1 Diabetics*

Similar to the ADA award, the application will investigate cardiovascular risk prediction equations for patients with Type 1 diabetes, and will validate that prediction rule in a separate, European cohort.

Agency: UPMC/Diabetes Foundation/DOD PI: Bryce
 Grant #: W81XWH-04-2-0030 Role: Co-Investigator
 Dates: 1/1/04 - 1/31/09 % Effort: 10% direct costs: \$50,780
 Title: *Diabetes Prevention and Treatment Program for Western Pennsylvania. Admin/Data Core*

The evaluation component of this grant will develop economic models of the use of various outpatient interventions in the prevention and treatment of diabetes.

Agency: NIH-1NHLBI PI: Rollman
 Grant #: R01 HL070000 Role: Co-Investigator
 Dates: 12/15/02-11/30/07 % Effort: 5.0% direct costs: \$88,549

Title: *Treatment of Depression Following Cardiac Bypass Surgery*

This 5-year randomized clinical trial examines whether treating depression following coronary artery bypass graft (CABG) will reduce cardiovascular morbidity, depressive symptoms, and health services utilization and will improve clinical outcomes following surgery.

Agency: University of Miami PI: Byrne
 Grant #: Role: Co-Investigator
 Dates: 04/01/09 - 03/31/11 % Effort: % direct costs: \$11,698

Title: *Development of a Conjoint Analysis Instrument for Lung Cancer Screening Decisions*

The purpose of this work is to determine the attributes of lung cancer screening and the implications of screening results that affect whether individuals are interested in being screened for lung cancer and to develop a conjoint valuation instrument to evaluate these attributes. We will also investigate whether the importance of various characteristics/attributes of lung cancer screening in patient's screening decisions appears to vary by survey methodology.

Agency: NIH-NCRR PI: Reis

- 08/94 Visiting Professor of Medicine, Meridia-Huron Hospital, Cleveland, OH.
- 11/94 Visiting Lecturer, Decision Analysis Mini-Course, St. Francis Hospital, Pittsburgh, PA.
- 12/94 Decision Analysis/Cost-Effectiveness Seminar, Astra/Merck, Wayne, PA.
- 10/06 Grand Rounds, West Penn Hospital, Pittsburgh, PA

Introduction to Cost-Effectiveness Analysis

- 10/96 Research Seminar, Center for Research on Health care, University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA.
- 01/97 Research Seminar, Department of Social Psychology, University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA.
- 6/08 Medical Grand Rounds, The University of Lausanne, Switzerland

Modeling the Consequences of Alternative Organ Allocation Policies for Liver Transplantation

- 12/03 Surgical Grand Rounds, University of Nebraska School of Medicine, Omaha, NA
- 03/04 Division of Transplantation Grand Rounds, University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine, Pittsburgh, PA
- 06/04 Harvard Center for Risk Analysis, Boston, MA

How to Measure Clinical Outcomes

- 05/93 Faculty Member, continuing medical education course on Malnutrition in the Hospitalized Patient, Harvard Medical School, Boston, MA.

Clinical Information Systems and Quality of Care

- 01/98 Interdisciplinary Grand Rounds, UPMC Shadyside/UPMC Presbyterian, Long Boat Key, FL.

Pathophysiology of Managed Care

- 10/01 Grand Rounds, Department of Medicine, University of Utah, Salt Lake City, UT.
- 11/01 Grand Rounds, Department of Medicine, University of Alabama at Birmingham, Birmingham, AL.
- 12/01 Primary Care/Ambulatory Medicine, University of San Diego, San Diego, CA.

Health Care Quality: Implementing Change: Challenges and Opportunities

- 12/04 UPMC Health Care Quality Forum, Herberman Conference Center, Pittsburgh, PA

The Quality Revolution: Balancing the Roles of Society and the Physician

- 11/03 Annual Update in Internal Medicine. Department of Medicine, University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA

The Future of Internal Medicine

- 05/04 Beckwith Fellows Leadership Program, Development Dimensions International, Bridgeville, PA
- 05/05 Beckwith Fellows Leadership Program, Development Dimensions International, Bridgeville, PA
- 05/06 Beckwith Fellows Leadership Program, Development Dimensions International, Bridgeville, PA

Introduction of Health Services Research

- 03/05 University of Pittsburgh Geriatrics Fellowship Program Teaching Conference, Pittsburgh, PA

Simulating Complex Disease: Modeling Biology and the Allocation of Donated Organs

- 11/03 Harvard Center for Risk Analysis, Boston, MA
- 11/04 Invited Plenary Speaker, International Society for Complexity in Acute Illness, Pittsburgh, PA

Evidence-Based Practice

- 03/05 Department of Rehabilitation, The Children's Hospital Rehabilitation Institute, Pittsburgh, PA

The Efficient Allocation of Organ Transplants

- 10/06 Invited presentation at the ESF-IfW Conference on the Global Health Economy: New Technology and Medical Decision Making: Normative Models and Empirical Practice. Kiel, Germany, October 4-9, 2006

Economic Analyses for Health Care

- 04/07 Invited presentation – Office of Clinical Research/Center for Research on Healthcare's Clinical Research Seminar Series

Mathematical Modeling Methods

- 3/23/2007 *Virtual Clinical Trials: The Archimedes Model of Human Physiology and Disease*. Research Colloquium Seminar, Center for Biomedical Informatics, University of Pittsburgh
- 3/12/2008 *Virtual Clinical Trials: Gaining Biological insights Through Mathematical Models*. Grand Rounds, Department of Critical Care Medicine, University of Pittsburgh
- 3/12/2008 *Virtual Clinical Trials: Gaining Biological insights Through Mathematical Models*. Academic Rounds, Toronto Health Economics and Technology Assessment Collaborative, University of Toronto, Toronto, CN.
- 4/29/2009 *Virtual Clinical Trials: Gaining Biological insights Through Mathematical Models*. Magee-Womens Research Institute's Work-in-Progress (WIP) Seminar, Pittsburgh, PA
- 3/14/2015 *Modeling sepsis: Traditional and novel ways to quantify diseases?* Round Table Conference: Reducing the Global Burden of Sepsis – Developing a Roadmap, Brussels, Belgium.

Other Research Activities

- 1986–1991 Member, Technology Assessment Subgroup of the Health Science Policy Working Group, Division of Health Policy Research and Education, Harvard University, Cambridge, MA.
- 1990 Co-Coordinator, Workshop on Markov Processes and Simulation Modeling, annual meeting of the Society for Medical Decision Making, Boston, MA.
- 1990 Methodology Consultant, InterPORT Decision Analysis Working Group, sponsored by the Agency for Health Care Policy and Research (AHCPR), Boston, MA
- 1994 Session Chair, Health Care Technology Track, 1994 Winter Simulation Meetings, Orlando, FL.
- 1999 Member, External Review Panel, Assessing the Performance of Organ Transplantation Programs: Liver and Heart Transplantation, June 1999, Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA) Division of Transplantation, Oak Lawn, MD.
- 2002–2005 Member, Kidney Disease Outcomes Quality Initiative (K/DOQI) Workshop on Clinical Practice Guidelines for Cardiovascular Disease in Dialysis Patients, National Kidney Foundation.
- 2004 Chairman, Independent Expert Panel on Statistical Methods Data: Simulation Modeling, September 2004, Division of Transplantation, HRSA.
- 2005–2008 Member, Scientific Advisory Committee to the Scientific Registry of Transplant Recipients (SRTR), Division of Transplantation, HRSA.
- 2007 Invited Presenter, "Using Physiology-Based Models to Enhance Clinical Trials." Presentation in the Evidence-Based Medicine Series: Redesigning the Clinical Effectiveness Research Paradigm, sponsored by the Institute of Medicine, December 10, 2007, in Washington DC.
- 2009 Invited Presenter, representing the Society for Medical Decision Making in expert testimony before the Federal Coordinating Council for Comparative Effectiveness Research on June 10, 2009, in Washington, DC. Testimony available at <http://nmr.rampard.com/fcc/20090610/default.html>, beginning at Webcast time 01:10:36.

Peer Review Activities

Study Sections:

- 1992 External Reviewer, Health Care Technology Study Section, AHCPR.
- 1993 Technical Evaluator, Testbed Networks Technical Evaluation Group, High Performance Computing and Communications (HPCC) Biomedical Applications of Computing Technology, National Library of Medicine.
- 1995–1999 Member, Health Services Research Dissemination Study Section, AHCPR, National Health Service.
- 1997, 1998 Guest Member, Health Services Research Study Section, February 1997 and October 1998, AHCPR, National Health Service.
- 1998 Guest Member, Health Care Quality Study Section, AHCPR, National Health Service.
- 1999–2002 Member, Health Care Technology and Decision Science Study Section, AHCPR.
- 2002, 03, 06 Guest Member, AIDS and AIDS-Related Research Study Section 6 (AARR-6), National Institutes of Health.
- 2003–2006 Chair, Health Care Technology and Decision Sciences Study Section, Agency for Health Care Research and Quality.
- 3/25-3/26/2008 Member, AHRQ RFA Prevention Special Emphasis Panel, Gaithersburg, MD
- 7/08/2010 Member, ZRG1 HDM-C 57 R: Comparative Effectiveness Research on GERD, MRSA and Dementia.

Journals:

- 1999–2006 Associate Editor, *Medical Decision Making*

Various years Reviewed for the following journals:
AIDS
American Journal of Respiratory and Critical Care Medicine
American Journal of Transplantation
Annals of Internal Medicine
Health Services Research
JAMA
Journal of General Internal Medicine
Journal of the American College of Cardiology
Liver Transplantation
Medical Decision Making
New England Journal of Medicine
Obstetrics and Gynecology
Quality of Life Research
Symposium on Computer Applications in Medical Care (SCAMC) Proceedings
Value in Health

Current Research Interests

Decision Analysis Methodology; Simulation; Markov Processes
 Application of Operations Research/Management Science tools to health care and disease
 Technology Assessment/Cost-Effectiveness Analysis
 Medical Information Systems; Use of Computers in Medicine
 Use of Large Databases for Clinical Research
 Patient Preferences and Utility Assessment
 Health Care Policy
 Health Economics

SERVICE

University, Medical School, and Hospital Service

New England Deaconess Hospital, Boston

1987–1993 Member, Data Processing Oversight Committee.
 1987–1993 Member, On-line Deaconess Information System (ODISY) Clinical Committee.
 1990–1991 Member, Ad Hoc Committee on Hospital Cost Comparisons.
 1990–1991 Member, Search Committee for the Chief of the Section of General Internal Medicine.
 1990–1992 Member, Disaster Committee.
 1991–1993 Member, Medical Records Committee.
 1991–1993 Member, Operations Advisory Committee, Deaconess Medicine.
 1992–1993 Member, Quality Assurance Committee, Division of General Internal Medicine.

Harvard Medical School, Boston

1991–1992 Member, Ad Hoc Committee on Computing at Harvard Medical Center.

UPMC Shadyside (Formerly Shadyside Hospital), Pittsburgh

1993–1994 Member, Managed Care Project Team.
 1993–1994 Member, Primary Care–Specialty Integration Task Force.
 1993–1994 Member, Drug Interactions Physician Advisory Group.
 1993–1997 Member, Board of Directors Multidisciplinary Education and Research Committee.
 1993–1998 Member, Competitive Research Fund Study Group.
 1993–1998 Member, Hospital Education and Research Committee.
 1993–1999 Member, Management Information Systems (MIS) Operations Committee.
 1995–1996 Hospital Representative to the national TDS Information Systems Working Group (MISPA).
 1995–1999 Member, Pharmacy and Therapeutics Committee.
 1996–1998 Compliance Officer, IL372 Medicare Reimbursement.
 1996–1999 Member, Medical Records Committee.
 1996–1999 Member, Medical Affairs Subcommittee.

1996–1999 Chairman, Informatics and Process Improvement Committee.

UPMC Presbyterian, Pittsburgh

1998–1999 Member, Total Quality Council.

1998–1999 Co-Chairman, Clinical Informatics Subcommittee of the Joint Patient Care Committee, UPMC Presbyterian/Shadyside Joint Board.

2001–2003 Member, Innovative Practice Committee.

UPMC Health System, Pittsburgh

1997–1998 Member, Clinical Information System (CIS) Selection Committee.

1997–1998 Member, UPMC Compliance Officers' Advisory Committee.

1997–1999 Member, Information Services Strategic Steering Committee, UPMC Health System.

1999–2000 Associate Medical Director, Clinical Information Systems.

University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine

1996–1997 Member, Research Planning Committee, Integrated Advanced Information Management Systems (IAIMS) Study Group.

1997–1998 Member, In-Hospital Medical Student Education Task Force.

1998–1999 Member, IAIMS Vocabulary Policy Committee.

1988–2000 Member, IAIMS Operations Committee.

1999-present Clinical Research Training Program Curriculum Committee

2000 Chair, Task Force on Medical Informatics in the Medical School Curriculum.

2002–2003 Member, Clinical Advisory Committee, University of Pittsburgh Institute on Aging

2003–2004 Member, Health Sciences Information Technology Faculty Advisory Committee.

University of Pittsburgh, Graduate School of Public Health

2011-2012 Member, Strategic Planning Steering Committee

University of Pittsburgh

2001–2010 Member, University Council on Graduate Study

2010-present Member, University Council on Institutional Excellence

State, Regional, and National Service

1994 Member, Nominations Committee, Society for Medical Decision Making.

1995–1996 Member, Interdisciplinary Teaching Group, Society for Medical Decision Making.

1996–1998 Chairman, Associates Program, American College of Physicians (ACP) Regional Meeting.

1997–1999 Member, Governor's Advisory Council, Pennsylvania Chapter, ACP.

1997 Member, Session on the Use of Large-Scale Datasets and Outcomes Models in Critical Care Medicine, American Thoracic Society Critical Care Assembly Workshop on Outcomes Tools in Critical Care, Toronto, Canada [Gordon Bernard, MD, Chairman].

1998 Member, Workshop on Cost-Effectiveness in Critical Care, American Thoracic Society, San Diego, California [Derek Angus, MD, MPH, and Gordon Bernard, MD, Chairmen].

1999–2001 Chairman, Membership Committee, Society for Medical Decision Making.

2000 Short Course Chairman, 2000 meeting of the Society for Medical Decision Making.

2000 Vice-President Elect, Society for Medical Decision Making.

2001 Short Course Co-Chairman, 2001 meeting of the Society for Medical Decision Making.

2001 Vice-President, Society for Medical Decision Making.

2001–2005 Member, Workshop on Kidney Disease Outcome Quality Initiative (K/DOQI) and Cardiovascular Disease in Dialysis, National Kidney Foundation.

2003 Scientific Program Co-Chair, national meeting of the Society for Medical Decision Making.

2005-2007 Education Committee Co chair, International Society for Pharmacoeconomics and Outcomes Research (ISPOR)

2007-present Society for General Internal Medicine (SGIM) Health Policy Research subcommittee

2007 29th Annual Meeting Co-Chair, Society for Medical Decision Making

2007-2008 President-Elect, Society for Medical Decision Making

2008-2009 President, Society for Medical Decision Making

2012-present Member, Health Careers Futures Board, Jewish Healthcare Foundation

Community Activities and Hospital Appointments

- 1986–1989 Emergency Physician, Lahey Clinic Medical Center, Burlington, MA.
1986–1993 House Intensive Care Unit Physician, New England Baptist Hospital, Boston, MA.
1987–1989 Assistant in Medicine, Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston, MA.
1987–1993 Emergency Physician, The Cambridge Hospital, Cambridge, MA.
1989–1993 Staff Physician, New England Deaconess Hospital, Boston, MA.
1996–1997 Board Member, Keystone Physician Associates (KPA) Medical Network, Pittsburgh, PA.
1997–2002 Member, Medical Research Advisory Committee, The Pittsburgh Foundation, Pittsburgh, PA.
1998–2000 Member, Physician Advisory Committee, Pittsburgh Regional Health Care Initiative, Pittsburgh, PA.
1993–present Active Staff, Shadyside Hospital, Pittsburgh, PA.
1993–present Active Staff, University of Pittsburgh Medical Center, Pittsburgh, PA.
1994–present Board Member, Beckwith Institute for Innovation in Nursing, Pittsburgh, PA.

References: available upon request