

CURRICULUM VITAE

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BIRTHDATE: May 5, 1948

CITIZENSHIP: USA

UNDERGRADUATE EDUCATION: Forman Christian College
Lahore, Pakistan
1963-1965

GRADUATE EDUCATION: King Edward Medical College
Lahore, Pakistan
Degree – M.B.B.S.
1965-1970

POST GRADUATE TRAINING AND FELLOWSHIP APPOINTMENTS:

01/1971 - 06-1971 Surgical Intern – General Surgery
Mayo Hospital
Lahore, Pakistan

1971-1972 Internship – General Surgery
Tucson Hospitals Medical Program
Tucson, Arizona

1972-1976 Residency – General Surgery
University of Arizona
Tucson, Arizona
(It was a pyramidal program; only three residents were retained as Chief Residents who went on to complete their residency out of a total of 14-16 residents)

1977 – 1978 Cardiothoracic and Vascular Surgery Fellowship
Baylor University Hospital
Dallas, Texas

1994 – 1995 Trauma and Critical Care Fellowship
Henry Ford Hospital
Detroit, Michigan

MILITARY SERVICE:

1989 Retired Reserve 2016 United States Navy Reserves
Captain (O-6)
Medical Corps

2/1991 - 9/1991 Deployed by U.S. Navy during Operation "Desert Storm"
Staff of Naval Hospital
San Diego, CA
Part of the faculty of general surgery training program.

2003-2009 Recalled by U.S. Navy to serve in Operation "Iraqi Freedom"
Served in a combined capacity as commanding officer as well as
a trauma-critical care surgeon with the First Medical Battalion,
First Marine Division 1st Marine Expeditionary Force (1 MEF).

2010 Deployed to Afghanistan
Served as trauma-critical care surgeon and Civil Affairs Officer.
Helped with organization and the functioning of the Afghan
civilian medical clinics.

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS:

1978 – 1979 Assistant Professor of Surgery
Mayo Hospital
Lahore Pakistan

06/2009 – 08/2015 Assistant Professor of Surgery
Department of Surgery
The University of Texas Medical School at Houston
Houston, Texas

08/2015-06/2020 Associate Professor of Surgery
Department of Surgery
The University of Texas Medical School at Houston
Houston, Texas

07/2020-Present Professor of Surgery
Department of Surgery
The University of Texas Medical School at Houston
Houston, Texas

ADMINISTRATIVE APPOINTMENTS:

06/2009 – Present Chief Section of Emergency General Surgery
The University of Texas at Houston,
Division of Acute Care Surgery
Memorial Hermann Hospital

HOSPITAL APPOINTMENTS:

1979-2009 Staff and Surgeon
Wilson M. Jones Memorial Hospital
Sherman, Texas

2000-2003 Staff and Surgeon
St. Mary's Hospital
Duluth, Minnesota

06/2009 – Present Staff and Surgeon
Chief, Emergency General Surgery
Memorial Hermann Hospital - TMC
Houston, Texas

02/2012 – Present Staff and Surgeon
Lyndon B. Johnson General Hospital
Houston, Texas

10/2015-Present Staff and Surgeon
Memorial Hermann Hospital – Woodlands
Houston, Texas

LICENSURE: Texas – E9490 (Active)
Minnesota – 43307 (Active)
Michigan – 4301062827 (Active)
Wisconsin – 43307 (Active)

CERTIFICATION:

1978 American Board of Surgery, General Surgery # 023548
1988, 1997, 2007, 2019 Recertification
1995 American Board of Surgery, Surgical Critical Care # 001446
2005, 2016, 2026 Recertification
1997, 1998, Current Certified by the Board of Enteral and Parenteral Nutrition
2005 Certified as Diplomat of the European Critical Care Medicine
Board, which involved a written exam and an oral examination.
2012-2016 PALS Recertification
2013-2017 Advanced Cardiac Life Support (ACLS)
2015-2019 Advance Trauma and Life Support (ATLS) - #379068

PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS:

American College of Surgeons
Veterans Insight Advisory Panel

HONORS AND AWARDS

1970 **Gold Metal in Public Health**
King Edward Medical College
Lahore, Pakistan

2011

Leonard Tow Award “Humanism in Medicine”

The University of Texas Medical School at Houston
During my first year on the faculty of UT Medical School. I had the honor of being the recipient of this award as a result of my work and approach to patient care and as a role model of humanism in medicine to the residents and students who rotated through the Emergency General Surgery Service.

2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015,
2016, 2017, 2018,2019

Dean’s Teaching Excellence Award

The University of Texas Medical School at Houston

2011-2012

Ralph E. Ligon, M.D. Award

The University of Texas Health Science Center at Houston
Chief Resident Class, Department of Surgery
I was the first recipient of the Ralph E. Ligon Award, which was established in 2012. The Chief Residents of the graduating class of 2012 unanimously chose me to receive this prestigious award.

2016

Memorial Hermann Texas Medical Center

Physician of the Year

2017

Memorial Hermann Texas Medical Center

Surgeon of the Year

2018

Alpha Omega Alpha Honor Society Inductee

HONORS AND AWARDS

2018

Gold Humanism in Medicine Honor Society Inductee

It is a singular honor for me to be the recipient of the above teaching award for someone coming from a non-academic background.

2018

Phillip R Adams, M.D. Award

The University of Texas Health Science Center at Houston
Chief Resident Class, Department of Surgery

2018

2011,12,13,14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19,

Inducted as a honorary member of AOA
Chief residents annual award for mentorship and teaching

MILITARY AWARDS

2004

Bronze Star

United States Marine Corps
Operation Fallujah
The Bronze Star was awarded for services rendered during combat operations in Fallujah, Iraq for serving as a Trauma Surgeon with Bravo Company. We treated 900 plus wounded soldiers, sailors and marines from November 4, 2004 to November 19, 2004. During the period of 2004-2005, I was also

active in re-establishing the Iraqi Health Care System and also assisting in re-opening their educational health facilities.

- 2004** **Letter of Recognition**
Bravo Surgical Company
Operation Fallujah
For serving an extended tour of duty to assist in on-going combat operations.
- 2006** **Legion of Merit Award**
The United States Marine Corps
The Legion of Merit was a battlefield decoration, awarded by the Commandant Marine Corp., General Conway, for exemplary services rendered in Iraq. I kept the local medical school and the university medical hospital functioning in the face of terrorism and coming under enemy fire on a daily basis.
- 2006** **Combat Action Ribbon**
During the support of the University Hospital, my Humvee was struck by improvised explosive device (IED), and we came under heavy enemy fire.
- 2007-2008** **Meritorious Service Medal**
Service in Iraq Awarded by the One Marine Logistic Group for serving as their group surgeon and organizing and participating in the first medical and surgical symposium held in Al-Anbar province of Iraq. I was awarded a letter of recognition by the State Department for a successful completion of this mission, which was attended by approximately 200 participants.
- 2010** **Letter of Recognition**
1st Marine Expeditionary Force
- 2010** **Navy and Marine Commendation Medal**
This was awarded by the Marine Corp. for re-establishing the healthcare system of clinics and hospitals in Helmand Province of Afghanistan, which was completely decimated during the war years. I also assisted in furthering the medical education of the local Afghan surgeons and healthcare personnel by organizing educational conferences.
- 2010** **NATO Medal for Service in Afghanistan**
- THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS-HOUSTON MEDICAL SCHOOL AFFILIATED HOSPITAL COMMITTEES:**
- 2009 - 2011** Memorial Hermann Hospital
Medical Staff Quality Review Committee
- 2010 – Present** Memorial Hermann Hospital
Quality Assurance Committee
- 2019-2022** The University of Texas Health Science Center at Houston

Faculty Senator

SERVICE TO THE COMMUNITY:

2012-2014

Memorial Hermann Veterans Employment Program
Helped veterans re-establish civilian life.

**2012-2014
2019**

Developed endowment for veterans in medical school as well as residents from the armed forces.

CURRENT TEACHING RESPONSIBILITIES:

Preceptor for Physical Diagnosis Medical School Course

Faculty Advisor to Clinical Skills Lab

Mentoring 1 chief resident, 3 junior residents, and 5 medical students on the Emergency General Surgery service rotation. I lead sit-down didactic sessions, surgical skills training, and active learning sessions on patient evaluation.

MENTORING ACTIVITIES:

Designated mentor to six surgical residents with who I regularly meet to evaluate their progress, advise them, and give them career counseling.

CURRENT CLINICAL AND SERVICE RESPONSIBILITIES:

2009

Section Chief, Emergency General Surgery at Memorial Hermann Hospital

Prior to my appointment, the service performed on average of 300 cases per year. By providing efficient and effective service and establishing relationships with consulting departments, the service now performs over 1-000 cases per year. Given the high volume, we have employed a full-time clinical emergency general surgery registrar to engage the clinical research and publication. The service is responsible for the care of all in-hospital general surgery consults and accepting referrals from surrounding communities. This service is a popular rotation amongst medical students and residents because we foster a culture of education, respect and care.

PUBLICATIONS

Abstracts:

1. Holcomb JB, Minei KM, Scerbo ML, Radwan ZA, Wade CE, Kozar RA, Gill BS, Albarado R, McNutt MK, **Khan SA**, Adams PR, McCarthy JJ, Cotton BA. Admission Rapid Thrombelastography Can Replace Conventional Coagulation Test in the Emergency Department: Experience with 1974 Consecutive Trauma Patients." *Annals of Surgery* 2012 Sep;256(3):476-86.

PUBLICATIONS

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2. Binod S, Holcomb JB, Camp E, Del Junco DJ, Cotton BA, Albarado R, Gill BS, Kozar RA, Kao LS, McNutt MK, Moore LJ, Love JD, Tyson GH, Adams PR, **Khan SA**. Damage Control Resuscitation Increases Successful Non-Operative Management Rates and Survival After Severe Blunt Liver Injury. *The Journal of Trauma and Acute Care Surgery* 2015 Feb;78(2):336-41.