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Personal Information

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Birthplace:	New York, N.Y.
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Education

Columbia College, Columbia University, New York	A.B. 1975
Southern Illinois University, Edwardsville, Illinois	M.S. 1976
New York Medical College, Valhalla, New York	M.D. 1980

Professional Training/Post-Graduate Training

1985 to present: Gastroenterology Consultants, P.C.
(formerly Drs. Cohen & Fixelle, P.C.)
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1983 to 1985: Emory University School of Medicine
Atlanta, Georgia
Fellowship – Specialty Training in Digestive Diseases

1980 to 1983: New York Medical College
Westchester County Medical Center
Valhalla, New York
Internship/Residency - Internal Medicine

Licenses and Board Certifications

Georgia Medical License # 024675
American Board of Internal Medicine September 1983
American Board of Internal Medicine:
Subspecialty in Gastroenterology November 1985
Certifications current in BLS/ACLS

Academic Teaching Experience

1985 to present Clinical Instructor of Medicine, Division of
Digestive Diseases, Emory University School of Medicine
Atlanta, Georgia

2007 to present Preceptor for specialty elective rotation for Emory Family Practice
residents

Staff Positions/Hospital and Ambulatory Surgery Center Privileges

1985 to 2006	Emory-Dunwoody Medical Center Atlanta, Georgia Status: Active staff – hospital closed 12.2006 Chief of Gastroenterology/Director-GIDU Chairman, Patient Education Committee 2001- 2006 Chairman, Department of Medicine 1995-96 Secretary, Medical Staff 1998-99 Chief of Staff-Elect 1999-2000 Chief of Staff 2000-2001
1985 to present	St. Joseph’s Hospital, Atlanta, Georgia Status: Active staff
1985 to present	Northside Hospital - Atlanta Main Campus Status: Active staff Operative and Surgical Procedures Committee 2006 - present Section Chief, Division of Gastroenterology 2010 - present
1985 to 2001	Promina-Gwinnett Health System Hospitals Gwinnett County, Georgia Status: resigned due to inactivity
1985 to ~2000	Grady Health System Atlanta, Georgia Status: resigned due to inactivity (Teaching purposes only)
1999 - present	Emory Adventist Hospital Smyrna, Georgia Status: Courtesy staff
2003 - present	Endoscopy Consultants, LLC (ASC) 5669 Peachtree-Dunwoody Road, Suite 290 Atlanta, GA 30342 Status: Medical Director
2007- present	Emory Johns Creek Hospital Johns Creek, Georgia Status: Active staff
2007- present	Northside Hospital - Forsyth Campus Cumming, Georgia Status: Active Staff (based on Northside Hospital –Atlanta) Section Chief, Division of Gastroenterology 2010 - present
2011- present	Georgia Endoscopy Center. LLC (ASC) 3330 Preston Ridge Road, Suite 200 Alpharetta, GA 30005 Status: Staff gastroenterologist/endoscopist

Society Memberships

- American College of Physicians/ASIM
- American Gastroenterology Association
- Fellow, American College of Gastroenterology
- American Society of Gastrointestinal Endoscopy
- Georgia Society of Gastroenterology & Endoscopy
- Atlanta Gut Club (now defunct)
- American Liver Foundation
- Crohn's and Colitis Foundation of America

Academic Honors and Awards

- Alpha Omega Alpha Honor Society
New York Medical College
Valhalla, New York
- Recipient of 1st Annual Sam Schatten Life Saver Award, Atlanta, GA – 2007
- **Top Doctor**, U.S. News & World Report – October 2011
- **Top MD**, Consumers' Checkbook
- Profiled in **Atlanta Super Doctors** 2012 by SuperDoctors.com

Clinical Specialty and Interests

- **Gastroenterology:** Biliary Tract Disease, Gastrointestinal Functional & Motility Disorders, Hepatology & Liver Transplantation, Inflammatory Bowel Disease
- **Clinical Interests:** Delivery of Health Care; Gastroenterology; Endoscopy; Hepatitis; Inflammatory Bowel Diseases; Colonic Neoplasms; Esophageal Motility Disorders

Clinical Trial Experience

- Bard Gastric Balloon Prototype: Placement of intra-gastric balloon- placebo controlled study in obese human subjects, *ca.* 1984 - Emory University School of Medicine
- Multi-center Study in Use of Asacol in patients with inflammatory bowel disease, *ca.* 1990
- Compassionate Use of Interferon plus Ribavirin in human patients with HCV (pre-release)
- IFN/ribavirin treatment with high dose daily induction therapy followed by daily reduced dose therapy (Lawitz)
- PEG-Intron/ribavirin therapy in patients who relapsed with HCV (Lawitz)
- Weight-based dosing PEG-Intron/ribavirin in patients with HCV (Jacobson)
- Comparison of Two Doses of PEG-Interferon alfa-2b in Combination with Ribavirin for Treatment of Chronic Hepatitis C Patients (Lee)
- Multicenter Hepatitis C study (PEG-Intron/Rebetol) (Jacobson)
- Irritable bowel syndrome studies- various subgroups with alosetron
- GERD therapy studies - various therapeutic agents and indications- clinical and endoscopic studies
- Chronic constipation study- colonoscopy evaluation pre-treatment

Public Speaking Credentials

- Served as local and national consultant/speaker for numerous pharmaceutical companies, including Eli Lilly, Schering, TAP, Novartis, Astra Zeneca.
- Grand Rounds, Board Review topics and CME lectures at hospital-based educational programs- variety of subjects in the field of gastroenterology and liver disease.
- Didactic lectures delivered to Emory Physician Assistant program and Emory Family Practice residents.
- Preceptor/subspecialty rotation advisor to Emory Family Practice residents