

# CURRICULUM VITAE

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**Undergraduate Education:** Duke University 1983-1987  
Durham, North Carolina  
Bachelor of Science – Biology

**Honors:** Summa cum laude  
Phi Beta Kappa

**Medical School:** University of Michigan Medical School 1987-1991  
Ann Arbor, Michigan  
Doctor of Medicine

**Honors:** Ladoff Academic Scholarship  
Alpha Omega Alpha: Junior Year

**Legal Education:** Harvard Law School 2004-2007  
Cambridge, Massachusetts  
Juris Doctor

**Post Graduate Training:**

1991-92	Intern in Surgery The Johns Hopkins Hospital Baltimore, Maryland
1992-93	Junior Resident in Surgery The Johns Hopkins Hospital Baltimore, Maryland
1993-94	Senior Resident in Surgery The Johns Hopkins Hospital Baltimore, Maryland

1994-95 Surgical Research Fellow  
The Johns Hopkins Hospital  
Baltimore, Maryland

1995-96 Chief Resident in Surgery  
The Johns Hopkins Hospital  
Baltimore, Maryland

1996-97 Faculty Fellowship, Surgical Oncology  
The Johns Hopkins Hospital  
Baltimore, Maryland

**Employment:**

1997-2004 Surgical Staff  
Methodist, St. Luke's, Diagnostic, Women's,  
Texas Orthopedic, and Park Plaza Hospitals  
Houston, Texas

2012-2016 Surgical Staff  
University General Foundation Surgical  
Hospitals  
Houston, Texas

1997-2008 Consultant, Medical Malpractice and  
Healthcare

2008-2018 McGehee ★ Chang, Barnes, Landgraf  
Litigation and Physician Defense Before  
Medical Board

1998- President, Houston Surgical Services

2018- Founder, Barnes & Associates  
Litigation and Physician Defense Before  
Medical Board

2019- Surgical Staff  
United Memorial Medical Center  
Houston, Texas

**Academic  
Appointments:**

- 1991-94 Fellow in Surgery  
The Johns Hopkins University  
Baltimore, Maryland
- 1994-95 Research Fellow  
The Johns Hopkins University  
Baltimore, Maryland
- 1995-96 Fellow in Surgery  
The Johns Hopkins University  
Baltimore, Maryland
- 1996-97 Instructor, General Surgery  
The Johns Hopkins University  
Baltimore, Maryland
- 1997-98 Assistant Professor, General Surgery  
Baylor College of Medicine  
Houston, Texas
- 2017-20 Society of Critical Care Medicine  
Ethics Committee Member
- 2015- Peer Review Committee Member  
American Journal of Surgery

**Awards &  
Achievements:**

- 1995 Ross Research Award La Jolla,  
California, May 1995  
“100 Pancreaticoduodenectomies for Benign  
Disease”
- 2017- 10 Best Attorneys Client Satisfaction  
American Institute of Personal Injury  
Attorneys
- 2017- Top 10 Personal Injury Attorneys  
Attorney and Practice Magazine
- 2018- Pro Bono Pledge State Bar of Texas
- 2018- Super Lawyers Rising Stars

<b><u>License &amp; Certification:</u></b>	1993 -	National Board of Medical Examiners
	1994 -	Maryland State License - D46610 (inactive)
	1997 -	American Board of Surgery - 42588
	1998 -	Texas Medical License - K5800
	2009-	Texas State Bar - 24066953
	2015-	New Mexico State Bar - 147455
	2018-	Montana State Bar - 53011573
<b><u>Professional Societies:</u></b>	1991-	The Johns Hopkins Medical and Surgical Association
	1997	Association for Academic Surgery
	1998-	American Society of General Surgeons
	1998-	Harris County Medical Society
	1998-	Texas Medical Association
	1998-	Critical Care Society of Greater Houston
	1998-	Houston Surgical Society
	1998-	Southwestern Surgical Congress
	1998-	Southern Association of Oncology
	1998-	Southern Medical Association
	1998-	American Hernia Society
	1998-	Society of Laparoscopic & Robotic Surgeons
	2004-	American Bar Association
	2004-	Federalist Society
	2005-	President/Founder, Harvard Chapter AAJ
	2005-	American Associations for Justice
	2004-	American Society of Law, Medicine & Ethics
	2007-	American College of Legal Medicine, Fellow
	2008-	Texas Trial Lawyers Association
	2012-	Society of Critical Care Medicine
2018-	New Mexico Trial Lawyers Association & Foundation	
2018-	Pound Civil Justice Institute, Member and Fellow	
2018-	Montana State Bar, Health Law Section	
2019-	American College of Obstetrics & Gynecology (ACOG), Associate Member	
2020-	American Association for the Advancement of Science	
2020-	American Society of Colon & Rectal Surgeons	

<b><u>Educational Functions:</u></b>	1998	Director –Resident Science Lecture Series Department of Surgery Baylor College of Medicine, Houston, Texas
	1998	Coordinator, GI Surgery Conference VA Medical Center, Houston, Texas
	1998	DeBakey Summer Intern Program Baylor College of Medicine, Houston, Texas
	1998	Honors Premedical Academy Rice University, Houston, Texas
	1998	Tumor Board VA Medical Center, Houston, Texas
	2015-	Journal Peer Reviewer American Journal of Surgery
	2020	Houston Bar Association Covid-19 Round Table May 26, 2020
	2020-	Journal Peer Reviewer Trial Magazine – AAJ

<b><u>Grants:</u></b>		The Methodist Hospital Foundation “The Delta-to-Acinar Cell Axis in the Surgically Altered Pancreas” January-December, 1998 \$40,908.00
		Veterans Administration Merit II Review “The Delta-to-Acinar Cell Axis in the Surgically Altered Pancreas” October 1, 1998 \$150,000

<b><u>Administration &amp; Peer Review:</u></b>	1997-1998	Surgical Research Committee Baylor College of Medicine
	1998	Surgical Residency Committee

Baylor College of Medicine

- 1997-2003 Bloodstream Infection Committee  
The Methodist Hospital  
Houston, Texas
- 1997-2002 Chairman, Nutrition Committee  
The Methodist Hospital  
Houston, Texas
- 1999-2003 ICU Committee  
St. Luke's Episcopal Hospital  
Houston, Texas
- 1999-2004 Infectious Disease Committee  
The Methodist Hospital  
Houston, Texas
- 1997-2004 Infectious Disease Committee  
St. Luke's Episcopal Hospital  
Houston, Texas
- 1999-2004 Intensive Care Committee  
St. Luke's Episcopal Hospital  
Houston, Texas
- 1997-2004 Emergency Medicine Committee  
St. Luke's Episcopal Hospital  
Houston, Texas
- 2000-2004 Quality of Care Committee  
St. Luke's Episcopal Hospital  
Houston, Texas
- 2000-2004 Pharmacy & Therapeutics Committee  
The Methodist Hospital  
Houston, Texas
- 2001-2004 Quality Assurance Committee  
St. Luke's Episcopal Hospital  
Houston, Texas

- 2004-2005 Firms Committee Co-Chair  
Harvard Law School Public Interest Auction  
Office of Public Interest Advising  
Cambridge, Massachusetts
- 2004- Lincoln's Inn Society  
Harvard Law School  
Cambridge, Massachusetts
- 2006-2007 President, Harvard Chapter  
American Association for Justice
- 2017-2020 Ethics Committee  
Society of Critical Care Medicine
- 2018- Fee Dispute Committee  
Houston Bar Association
- 2018-2020 Professionalism Committee  
Houston Bar Association
- 2019-2020 The Houston Lawyer Committee  
Houston Bar Association
- 2020- Bench Bar Conference Committee  
Houston Bar Association
- 2020- Continuing Legal Education Committee  
Houston Bar Association

**Languages:**

German, Hungarian

# **BIBLIOGRAPHY**

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### **Legal Papers**

1. “Did a Patient Exhibit Abnormal Test Results Post-discharge?” ED Legal Letter, Vol. 27, No. 7 (July 2016); p. 73-75.
2. “Plaintiff Attorney Could Have a Tough Time Proving Causation in ED Med/Mal Suit” ED Legal Letter, Vol. 27, No. 3 (March 2016); p. 25-28.
3. “Should EP Defendant Reject Malpractice Attorney Assigned by Carrier?” 4. ED Legal Letter, Vol. 26, No. 6 (June 2015); p. 69-70.
4. “Successful Claims Against Eps Involving Abnormal Findings After Patient Left ED” ED Legal Letter, Vol. 25, No. 9 (September 2014); p. 97-99.
5. “Is EP Liable if Patient Fails to Disclose Substance Abuse?” ED Legal Letter, Vol. 25, No. 6 (July 2014); p. 65-67.
6. Barnes, S. “Licensed to Kill GOFAs: Why Congress Should Just Say No to Regulating Tech,” Harvard Law School, May 2007.
7. Barnes, S. “Antitrust and Health Care Providers,” Harvard Law School, January 2007.
8. Barnes, S. “Regulation of Physician Research,” Harvard Law School, May 2006.
9. Review of “Regulation with Placebo Effects” by Anup Malani, Harvard Law School, November, 2006.
10. Critique and suggestions for “Stem Cell Century: Law and Policy for a Breakthrough Technology” by Professor Russell Korobkin, Harvard Law School, September 2006.
11. Critique and suggestions for “Detecting Medicare Abuse” by David Becker, et al., Harvard Law School, September 2006.

### **Journal Articles (Peer Reviewed):**

1. Page CW, Barnes SA, and Fisher WE. Ulcer necessitans: A forgotten entity. Surgery 127:5 (May 2000), 593-594.



2. Barnes SA, Nakeeb A, Magnuson TH, Pasricha PJ, Kalloo AN, Lipsett PA, Pitt HA, and Lillemoe KD. Botulinum Toxin A Inhibits Sphincter of Oddi Activity in the Prairie Dog. (Gastroenterology, 1998).
3. Barnes SA, Fagan SP, Brunicardi FC. The Pancreatic Endocrine-Exocrine Axis. (Journal of Gastrointestinal Surgery, 1998).
4. Barnes SA, Lillemoe KD, Kaufman HS, Sauter PK, Yeo CJ, Talamini MA, Pitt HA, and Cameron JL. Pancreaticoduodenectomy for benign disease. Am J Surg 171:131-135, 1996.
5. Lillemoe KD and Barnes SA. Surgical palliation of unresectable pancreatic carcinoma. Surg Clin NA 75:953-968, 1995.
6. Harvey BE, Nakeeb A, Fox-Talbot MK, Barnes SA, Johnston SM, Lipsett PA, Pitt HA, and Lillemoe KD. Increased Acyl CoA:SN-glycerol-3-phosphate transferase activity in gallbladder mucosa in the cholesterol fed prairie dog. Surg Forum 46:173-175, 1995.
7. Santanello SA, Barnes SA, Price JP, and Falcone RE. Below the belt: seat belt related injuries. Contemp Surg 39(4): 29-32, 1991.

### **Book Chapters (Peer Reviewed):**

1. Barnes SA and Lillemoe KD. Small Intestinal Fistulas. In: Shackelford's Surgery of the Alimentary Tract. Zuidema G and Yeo C, ed. (2002).
2. Barnes SA and Brunicardi FC. Adrenal and Abdominal Neurological Pathology. In: Surgery – Logic, Workup and Treatment. Taylor TV and Mattox KL, ed. (2000).
3. Barnes SA and Lillemoe KD. Liver abscess and hydatid cyst disease. In: Maingot's Abdominal Operations, tenth edition. Zinner, MJ, ed. Stamford, CT. Appleton and Lange, 1997.
4. Barnes SA: ACLS and ATLS protocols. In: The Manual of Surgical Procedures: Bedside Techniques Practiced by the Halsted Residents of The Johns Hopkins Hospital. Chen H, Sola J, Lillemoe K, ed. Baltimore. Williams and Wilkins, 1995.

### **Abstracts (Peer Reviewed):**

1. Barnes SA, Nakeeb A, Magnuson TH, Pasricha PJ, Kalloo AN, Lipsett PA, Pitt HA, and Lillemoe KD. Mechanism of botulinum toxin A effect on the sphincter of Oddi. Gastroenterology 108:A405, 1995. (American

Gastroenterological Association, 1995).

2. Barnes SA, Nakeeb A, Pasricha PJ, Kalloo AN, Lipsett PA, Pitt HA, and Lillemoe KD. Botulinum toxin A alters sphincter of Oddi motility. *Gastroenterology* 108:A1213, 1995. (Society for Surgery of the Alimentary Tract, 1995).
3. Barnes SA, Kaufman HS, Lillemoe KD, Sauter PK, Yeo CJ, Talamini MA, Pitt HA, and Cameron JL. 100 pancreaticoduodenectomies performed for benign disease. *Gastroenterology* 108:A1212, 1995. (Society for Surgery of the Alimentary Tract, 1995).
4. Johnston S, Nakeeb A, Barnes SA, Lillemoe KD, Pitt HA, and Lipsett PA. Immunoglobulins in gallstone pathogenesis: A systemic or a local phenomenon? *Gastroenterology* 108:A1092, 1995. (American Gastroenterological Association, 1995).
5. Harvey BE, Nakeeb A, Fox-Talbot MK, Johnston SM, Barnes SA, Lipsett PA, Lillemoe KD, and Pitt HA. Hepatic and gallbladder acyl-CoA:SN-glycerol-3-phosphate acyltransferase activity in the cholesterol-fed prairie dog. *Hepatology* 22:110A, 1995. (American Association for the Study of Liver Diseases, 1995).
6. Barnes SA, Eaton JP. Pancreaticoduodenectomy for benign islet cell neoplasia. (Southwestern Surgical Congress, San Antonio, Texas, April 20, 1998).
7. Page C, Fisher WF, Barnes SA. Spontaneous duodenocutaneous fistulas arising from duodenal ulcer. (Southwestern Surgical Congress, April 18-21, 1999).
8. Barnes SA, Granchi TS, Jordan PH. Efficacy of stent-free hepaticojejunostomy in pancreaticoduodenectomy and palliative bypass for adenocarcinoma of the pancreas. (Southwestern Surgical Congress, 2000).

### **Presentations:**

1. "Below the belt: seat belt related injuries." The American College of Surgeons Annual Clinical Congress, San Francisco, California, October 1990.
2. "100 pancreaticoduodenectomies performed for benign disease." Society for Surgery of the Alimentary Tract, San Diego, California, May 1995.
3. "Mechanism of botulinum toxin A effect on the sphincter of Oddi." American Gastroenterological Association, San Diego, California, May 1995.
4. "Botulinum toxin A alters sphincter of Oddi motility." Society for Surgery of

the Alimentary Tract, San Diego, California, May 1995.

5. “Current management of pancreatic and periampullary cancer.” Department of General Surgery Grand Rounds, Baylor College of Medicine, Houston, Texas, October 4, 1997.
6. “Pancreaticoduodenectomy for benign islet cell neoplasia.” Southwestern Surgical Congress, San Antonio, Texas, April 20, 1998.
7. “Legal Issues in Bariatric Surgery.” International Multidisciplinary Approach to Obesity Congress, Izmir, Turkey, November 21, 2015.  
[www.obezitekongresi2015.org/](http://www.obezitekongresi2015.org/)
8. Discussant for “Misdiagnosing Adult Appendicitis: Clinical, Cost, and Socioeconomic Implications of Negative Appendectomy” by K. Mock et al. Southwest Surgical Congress, San Diego (Coronado), California, April 3, 2016.
9. “Screening for Medical Malpractice Cases.” Houston Metropolitan Paralegal Association. 38<sup>th</sup> Annual Full Day Business & Litigation CLE Seminar. Houston, Texas, February 24, 2017.
10. Panelist, “Electronic Medical Records and Audit Trails,” Lunch Round Table Discussion, American Association for Justice Convention, Denver, Colorado, July 9, 2018.
11. “Screening for Medical Malpractice Cases.” Houston Metropolitan Paralegal Association. 40<sup>th</sup> Annual Full Day Business & Litigation CLE Seminar. Houston, Texas, February 22, 2019.

### **Medical Lectures (to Medical Students):**

1. “Fluids and Electrolytes.” Baylor College of Medicine Department of General Surgery Medical Student Core Curriculum: 1997-1998.
2. “Appendicitis and Small Bowel Obstruction.” Baylor College of Medicine Department of General Surgery Medical Student Core Curriculum: 1997-1998.

### **Miscellaneous**

1. Reply to “Women in academic surgery: why is the playing field still not level?” Appearing in the American Journal of Surgery, Feb. 2016, Vol. 212, No. 2, 366 (May 25, 2016).
2. Invited Commentary, “Misdiagnosing Adult Appendicitis: Clinical, Cost, and Socioeconomic Implications of Negative Appendectomy” by K. Mock

et al. American Journal of Surgery, Vol. 212, Issue 6, p. 1076-1082 (September 28, 2016).

3. Peer Reviewer: Ito, MD *et al.* “The Impact of Acute Care Surgery Service on Timeliness of Care for Patients Who Require Emergent Exploratory Laparotomy for Acute Abdomen.” American Journal of Surgery. Reviewed May 2017 (R).
4. Peer Reviewer: Mujagic, Hoffman, Soysal, *et al.* “Teaching in the operating room: A risk for surgical site infections?” American Journal of Surgery. Reviewed October 2019 (A).
5. Peer Reviewer: Talutis, MD, MPH, Lee, BS, Cheng, MD *et al.* “The Impact of Preoperative Carbohydrate Loading on Patients with Type II Diabetes in an Enhanced Recovery After Surgery Protocol.” American Journal of Surgery. Reviewed December 2019 (A).
6. Peer Reviewer: Kim, MD, Graves, MD, Jin, PhD *et al.* “Intraoperative Nerve Monitoring is Associated with a Lower Risk of Recurrent Laryngeal Nerve Injury: A National Analysis of 17, 610 Patients.” American Journal of Surgery. Reviewed May 2020 (A).
7. Peer Reviewer: Nasser, MD, Cox, MD, Shen, BS *et al.* “Adenosquamous Carcinoma: An Aggressive Histologic Sub-Type of Colon Cancer with Poor Prognosis.” American Journal of Surgery. Reviewed June 2020 (A).
8. Peer Reviewer: Cai, MD, Lin, MD, Xiong, MD *et al.* “Post-surgery Radiotherapy in Stage IIIB Gallbladder Cancer Patients with One to Three Lymph Nodes Metastasis: A Propensity Score Matching Analysis.” American Journal of Surgery. Reviewed July 2020 (A).