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EDUCATION

2015–2017 *University of Illinois at Chicago, College of Applied Health Sciences, Chicago, IL*
2017 M.S. in Biomedical Visualization

2005–2009 *Boston University, Sargent College of Health and Rehabilitation Sciences, Boston, MA*
2010 B.S. in Human Physiology

2001–2005 *East Greenwich High School, East Greenwich, RI*
2005 Graduated with Honors

CONTINUING EDUCATION

2013–2014 *University of California San Diego Extension, La Jolla, CA*
Adobe Photoshop I, Introduction to Colored Pencils, Introduction to Colored Pencils,
Eye on Nature: A Beginning Watercolor Workshop, Watercolor Workshop, Intermediate
Watercolor, Illustrating Books for Children, Animal Illustration

2013–2014 *San Diego Community College, San Diego, CA*
Life Drawing, Freehand Drawing

2013–2014 *San Diego Continuing Education, San Diego, CA*
Drawing and Painting – Portrait and Figure Study

2013 *Art Academy of San Diego, San Diego, CA*
Advanced Drawing

2013 *La Jolla Athenaeum's School of the Arts, La Jolla, CA*
Clothed Figure and Portrait Drawing and Painting

2012 *University of California Berkeley Extension, Berkeley, CA*
Graphic Design Studio I, Adobe Illustrator, Extremities: Drawing Hands and Feet, Intermediate
Drawing, Paining Fundamentals

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 2017–present *Medline Industries, Inc., Medline University, Northfield, IL*
eLearning Designer Intern
- 2016– present *University of Illinois at Chicago, Biomedical Visualization Program, Chicago, IL*
Graduate Assistant
- 2014–2015 *California Institute of Renal Research,
Division of Balboa Nephrology Medical Group, San Diego, CA*
Manager of IRB Regulatory Affairs, Accounts Receivable,
and Clinical Trial Management System
- 2013–2014 *California Institute of Renal Research,
Division of Balboa Nephrology Medical Group, San Diego, CA*
Clinical Research Coordinator
- 2010–2012 *University of California San Diego Medical Center,
Division of Cardiac Electrophysiology, La Jolla, CA*
Staff Research Associate
- 2010 *CVS Pharmacy, San Diego, CA*
Pharmacy Service Assistant
- 2009–2010 *CVS Pharmacy, Brookline, MA*
Pharmacy Technician
- 2006–2009 *Hematology and Oncology Associates of Rhode Island, Cranston, RI*
Medical Office Assistant

VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

- 2007–2008 *Students International affiliated with InterVarsity Christian Fellowship,
Boston, MA and Jarabacoa, Dominican Republic*
Dental assistant, oral hygiene teacher, fundraiser
- 2006–2007 *Gift of Life International affiliated with Boston University Rotaract Club, Boston, MA*
Fundraiser, family support assistant
- 2005–2007 *Brigham and Women's Hospital, Department of Emergency Medicine, Boston, MA*
Emergency Medicine clinical research assistant

MEMBERSHIPS

2016–present *Association of Medical Illustrators*

2015– present *Student Association of Medical Artists*

2007–2009 *Boston University InterVarsity Christian Fellowship, Boston, MA*

2008 *Boston University Masters Rowing, Boston, MA*

2006–2007 *Boston University Rotaract Club, Boston, MA*

2006–2007 *Boston University Bowling Club, Boston, MA*

2005–2007 *Boston University Pre-Medical Society, Boston MA*

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

2016– present *University of Illinois at Chicago, Chicago, IL*

Graduate research in collaboration with Rasa Kazlauskaite, M.D. at the Rush University Medical Center investigating the development of interactive learning for continuous glucose monitoring in patients with type 2 diabetes.

2013–2014 *California Institute of Renal Research,*

Division of Balboa Nephrology Medical Group, San Diego, CA

Sponsor initiated clinical trials with Jadwiga Alexiewicz, M.D., PhD, Barry Browne, M.D., Arman Faravardeh, M.D., and Steven Steinberg, M.D. investigating therapeutic technology and techniques for vascular access and renal transplantation.

2010–2012 *University of California San Diego Medical Center,*

Division of Cardiac Electrophysiology, La Jolla, CA

Principal Investigator and Sponsor initiated clinical trials with Ulrika Birgersdotter-Green, M.D, Gregory Feld, M.D., and Navinder Sawhney, M.D. investigating and evaluating various methods of drug, surgical, and device treatments in the electrophysiology clinic and operating room. This research includes Universal Antitachycardia Pacing Therapy (UAPT), hemodynamically guided placement of LV lead, FDA post market approval LV leads, MRI pacemaker and defibrillator device scans, and optimizing AV delay.

2005–2007 *Brigham and Women's Hospital, Department of Emergency Medicine, Boston, MA*

Sponsor initiated clinical and laboratory trials with Ediza Giraldez, M.D. evaluating D-Dimer blood tests in the diagnosis of pulmonary embolisms and evaluating the acute cardiac ischemia time-insensitive predictive instrument (ACI-TIPI) in relation to MACE patients who presented to the ED with chest pain.

HONORS AND AWARDS

2017	Vesalian Scholar, Vesalius Trust for Visual Communication in the Health Sciences
2016–2017	Graduate College Board of Trustees Tuition Waiver, University of Illinois at Chicago
2005–2009	Academic Competitiveness Grant, Boston University
2005–2009	Rhode Island Academic Promise Scholarship, Rhode Island Higher Education Assistance Authority
2005	Dean's List, Boston University
2005	Irving A. Silverman Community Service Scholarship, Rotary Club of East Greenwich, Rhode Island

CERTIFICATION

Feb 2016	CITI Human Research
Sept 2015	University of Illinois Hospital and Health Sciences System: HIPAA Privacy
May 2014	American Heart Association BLS for Healthcare Providers (CPR and AED) Program
Sept 2013	NIH Protecting Human Research Participants
Sept 2013	Modified Rankins Scale
Sept 2013	CITI Biomedical Research
Sept 2013	CITI Conflict of Interest
Aug 2013	NIH Stroke Scale
Feb 2011	California Pharmacy Technician Certification
Nov 2010	CITI Good Clinical Practice
Nov 2010	Research Aspects of HIPAA
Apr 2010	Massachusetts Pharmacy Technician Certification

CONTINUING EDUCATION CREDITS

Oct 2014	Boston University: Big Data and the IRB, webinar, 7.0 hours
May 2012	Heart Rhythm 2012: 33 rd Annual Scientific Sessions in Boston, MA, 24.0 hours
Oct 2011	UCSD Understanding Conflict of Interest for Research Clinical Trials, 1.5 hours
Sep 2001	UCSD PI Initiated and Material Transfer Agreements, 1.5 hours
Aug 2011	UCSD Using Research Match in Recruit. Participation, 1.5 hours
July 2011	UCSD Shipping of Biological Substances, 3.0 hours
May 2011	UCSD Clinical Research Coordinator 101, 3.0 hours
Apr 2011	UCSD Enhancing Recruitment through Community Engagement, 1.5 hours
Mar 2011	UCSD Updates on Institutional Research Bulk Accounts, 2.0 hours
Feb 2011	UCSD Clinical Trial Management System: An Introduction to Velos, 1.5 hours

BOOKS (Figure Contributions)

Favrot Peterson, Jeanette., The Paradise Garden Murals of Malinalco: Utopia and Empire in Sixteenth-Century Mexico. University of Texas Press, 2015, Reprint, Fig. 1.3, 2.1, 3.9.

Favrot Peterson, Jeanette., Visualizing Guadalupe: From Black Madonna to Queen of the Americas. University of Texas Press, 2014, Fig. 3.1, 3.13.

POSTER PRESENTATIONS

Nov 2016 *Analysis of online interactive learning for type 2 diabetes patients utilizing the Dexcom G5® Continuous Glucose Monitor System*
Authors: Christina Lorenzo, B.S., Christine Young, MA CMI, Rasa Kazlauskaitė, MD
MSc FACE, Donna Hughes, MA, Leah Lebowicz, MS CMI,
College of Applied Health Sciences Research Day,
University of Illinois at Chicago, Chicago, IL

CONFERENCES

May 2012 Heart Rhythm Society Annual Scientific Sessions, Boston, MA