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EDUCATION AND TRAINING

UNDERGRADUATE:

1963-1966	Chelsea College of Science and Technology University of London, UK	B.Sc. - 1966 (upper 2nd Class Honors)	Physiology
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GRADUATE:

1966-1969	Institute of Psychiatry University of London, UK	Ph.D. - 1971	Dr. Richard P. Michael Physiology
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POST GRADUATE:

1974-1976	Ford Foundation Postdoctoral Research Fellow University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine		Dr. Ernst Knobil Reproductive Endocrinology
1976-1978	NICHHD Postdoctoral Research Fellow University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine		Dr. Ernst Knobil Reproductive Endocrinology

1995-1996	Senior International Fogarty Fellow INSERM U.378 Laboratoire de Neuroendocrinologie Morphofonctionnelle Universite de Bordeaux II Bordeaux, France	Dr. Dionysia Theodosis Neuromorphology
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APPOINTMENTS AND POSITIONS

ACADEMIC:

1969-1972	Institute of Psychiatry University of London, UK	Research Assistant
1972-1974	Emory University School of Medicine Atlanta, GA	Research Associate
1978-1984	University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine Pittsburgh, PA	Assistant Professor of Physiology
1983-2017	University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine Pittsburgh, PA	Member of Graduate Faculty
1984-1989	University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine Pittsburgh, PA	Associate Professor of Physiology
1984-2007	University of Pittsburgh Pittsburgh, PA	Faculty Member of Center for Neuroscience
1985-2015	University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine Pittsburgh, PA	Director, Center for Research in Reproductive Physiology
1987-2008	University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine Pittsburgh, PA	Director, Postdoctoral Training Program in Reproductive Physiology
1989-2017	University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine Pittsburgh, PA	Professor of Physiology

1993-2015	University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine Pittsburgh, PA	Professor of Cell Biology and Physiology
2000-2013	University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine Pittsburgh, PA	Director, Specialized Cooperative Centers Program in Reproduction Research
2001-2009	Morehouse School of Medicine Atlanta, GA and University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine Pittsburgh, PA	Co-Director, Cooperative Reproductive Science Research Centers at Minority Institutions
2002-2017	University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine Pittsburgh, PA	Professor of Obstetrics, Gynecology and Reproductive Sciences
2007-2017	Magee-Womens Research Institute	Member
2017	University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine Pittsburgh, PA	Awaiting conferral of Emeritus status

PATENTS

Use of GPR54 ligands for treatment of reproductive disorders, proliferative disorders, and for contraception. (Provisional Application, 00786/481002).

MEMBERSHIPS IN PROFESSIONAL AND SCIENTIFIC SOCIETIES

1971-1997	Society for Endocrinology
1978-Present	Endocrine Society

1978-Present	Society for the Study of Reproduction
1979-2008	American Physiological Society
1979-2000	Pittsburgh Neuroscience Society
1980-2013	Society for Neuroscience
1989-2000	International Society for Neuroendocrinology
2000-Present	International Neuroendocrine Federation
1999-Present	American Neuroendocrine Society
2001-2008	American Society of Andrology

HONORS

Serono Lectureship, American Society of Andrology Annual Meeting, Montreal, "The GnRH Pulse Generator and the Testis"	1991
Keynote Lecturer, Eighth Annual Reproductive Biology Retreat, Johns Hopkins University and University of Maryland, Baltimore "Human Puberty, A Mysterious Reawakening: Lessons from the Monkey"	2006
President, International Neuroendocrine Federation	2007-2010
Keynote Lecturer, Symposium on Recent Trends in Endocrinology and Reproductive Sciences, Lahore, "Kisspeptin Signaling in the Hypothalamus: A Novel and Major Regulator of the Reproductive Axis"	2007
Elected as Foreign Fellow, Pakistan Academy of Sciences	2007
Dozor Visiting Scholar, Ben-Gurion University of the Negev	2010
Elected Honorary Member, Polish Neuroendocrine Society	2010
International Neuroendocrine Federation Geoffrey Harris Lecturer, 8 th International Congress of Neuroendocrinology, Sydney	2014
Elected Honorary Member, British Society for Neuroendocrinology	2014
Lecturer, Julie Betschart Symposium, West Virginia University, "Physiological and Neuroendocrine Control of Puberty in Higher Primates"	2016

PUBLICATIONS

1. Refereed Articles:

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2. Michael RP, and **Plant TM**. Contraceptive steroids and sexual activity. Nature 1969; 222: 579-581. PMID: 4181112
3. **Plant TM**, James VHT, and Michael RP. Conversion of [4-¹⁴C] progesterone to androsterone by female rhesus monkeys (*Macaca mulatta*). J Endocrinol 1971; 51: 751-761. PMID: 5002998
4. **Plant TM**, Zumpe D, Sauls M, Michael RP. An annual rhythm in the plasma testosterone of adult male rhesus monkeys maintained in the laboratory. J Endocrinol 1974; 62: 403-404. PMID: 4411948
5. **Plant TM**, Michael RP. Urinary excretion of androsterone throughout the menstrual cycle in the rhesus monkey (*Macaca mulatta*). J Reprod Fertil 1974; 41: 205-209. PMID: 4431014
6. Michael RP, Setchell KDR, **Plant TM**. Diurnal changes in plasma testosterone and studies on plasma corticosteroids in nonanesthetized male rhesus monkeys (*Macaca mulatta*). J Endocrinol 1974; 63: 325-335. PMID: 4374486
7. Michael RP, Zumpe D, **Plant TM**, and Evans RG. Annual changes in the sexual potency of captive male rhesus monkeys. J Reprod Fertil 1975; 45: 169-172. PMID: 1195250
8. McCormack JT, **Plant TM**, Hess DL, and Knobil E. The effect of luteinizing hormone releasing hormone (LHRH) antiserum administration on gonadotropin secretion in the rhesus monkey. Endocrinology 1977; 100: 663-667. PMID: 122596
9. Hess DL, Wilkins RH, Moossy J, Chang JL, **Plant TM**, McCormack JT, Nakai Y, and Knobil E. Estrogen-induced gonadotropin surges in decerebrated female rhesus monkeys with medial basal hypothalamic peninsulae. Endocrinology 1977; 101: 1264-1271. PMID: 409600
10. **Plant TM**, Krey LC, Moossy J, McCormack JT, Hess DL, and Knobil E. The arcuate nucleus and the control of gonadotropin and prolactin secretion in the female rhesus monkey (*Macaca mulatta*). Endocrinology 1978; 102: 52-62. PMID: 105866
11. Nakai Y, **Plant TM**, Hess DL, Keogh EJ, and Knobil E. On the sites of the negative and positive feedback actions of estradiol in the control of gonadotropin secretion in the rhesus monkey. Endocrinology 1978; 102: 1008-1014. PMID: 105873
12. **Plant TM**, Nakai Y, Belchetz P, Keogh E, and Knobil E. The sites of action of estradiol and phentolamine in the inhibition of the pulsatile, circhoral discharges of LH in the rhesus monkey (*Macaca mulatta*). Endocrinology 1978; 102: 1015-1018. PMID: 105874

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13. **Plant TM**, Hess DL, Hotchkiss J, and Knobil E. Testosterone and the control of gonadotropin secretion in the male rhesus monkey (*Macaca mulatta*). *Endocrinology* 1978; 103: 535-541. PMID: 105894
 14. Belchetz PE, **Plant TM**, Nakai Y, Keogh EJ, and Knobil E. Hypophysial responses to continuous and intermittent delivery of hypothalamic gonadotropin-releasing hormone. *Science* 1978; 202: 631-633. PMID: 100883
 15. **Plant TM**, Moossy J, Hess DL, Nakai Y, McCormack JT, and Knobil E. Further studies on the effects of lesions in the rostral hypothalamus on gonadotropin secretion in the female rhesus monkey (*Macaca mulatta*). *Endocrinology* 1979; 105:465-473. PMID: 110581
 16. Knobil E, **Plant TM**, Wildt L, Belchetz PE, and Marshall G. Control of the rhesus monkey menstrual cycle: Permissive role of the hypothalamic gonadotropin-releasing hormone. *Science* 1980; 207:1371-1373. PMID: 6766566
 17. **Plant TM**. The effects of neonatal orchidectomy on the developmental pattern of gonadotropin secretion in the male rhesus monkey (*Macaca mulatta*). *Endocrinology* 1980; 106:1451-1454. PMID: 6767597
 18. **Plant TM**, E. Schallenberger E, Hess DL, McCormack JT, Dufy-Barbe L and Knobil E. Influence of suckling on gonadotropin secretion in the female rhesus monkey (*Macaca mulatta*). *Biol Reprod* 1980; 23: 760-766. PMID: 6778516
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 20. **Plant TM**. Time courses of concentrations of circulating gonadotropin, prolactin, testosterone, and cortisol in adult male rhesus monkeys (*Macaca mulatta*) throughout the 24 h light-dark cycle. *Biol Reprod* 25:244-252, 1981. PMID: 6796135
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58. Majumdar SS, Mikuma N, Ishwad PC, Winters SJ, Attardi BJ, Perera AD and **Plant TM**. Replacement with recombinant human inhibin immediately after orchidectomy in the hypophysectomized clamped male rhesus monkey (*Macaca mulatta*) maintains follicle-stimulating hormone (FSH) secretion and FSH β messenger ribonucleic acid levels at precastration values. *Endocrinology* 136:1969-1977, 1995. PMID7720645

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174. Matagne V, Ramaswamy S, Ojeda S and **Plant TM**. Identification of transcriptional regulators potentially involved in the arrest of pulsatile GnRH release during infancy in the male rhesus monkey (*Macaca mulatta*). 40th Annual Meeting of the Society for Neuroscience; Abstract #633.9, 2010 November; San Diego, CA.
175. Ramaswamy S, Seminara S and **Plant TM**. Evidence from studies of the male rhesus monkey (*Macaca mulatta*) for the view that the action of neurokinin B to trigger GnRH release lies upstream from the kisspeptin receptor. 93rd Annual Meeting of The Endocrine Society; Abstract #P2-261, 2011 June; Boston, MA.
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 187. **Plant TM.** Control of the onset of puberty. Presented at the 8th International Congress of Neuroendocrinology, 2014 August, Sydney, Australia.
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4. Other:

- 1999 Citation for the 1999 Roy O. Greep Lecture Award of The Endocrine Society to Dr. Ernst Knobil, 81st Annual Meeting of The Endocrine Society, San Diego, Endocrinology 140:3871-3871, 1999. PMID10453365
- 2001 **Plant TM**. Leptin, growth hormone, and the onset of primate puberty. J Clin Endocrinol Metab 86: 458-460, 2001 (Letter to the Editor). PMID11232044
- 2007 **Plant TM**. Gonadotropin-releasing hormone neuron remodeling: causal for puberty onset? Trends in Endocrinol Metab 18:50-51, 2007 (Research Focus Article). PMID17208449
- 2010 **Plant TM** and Mann DR. Introduction: New insights into the neurobiology of reproduction and puberty. Plant and Mann, Eds. Brain Research Special Edition 1364:1-2, 2010.
- 2014 **Plant TM**. Richard Michael remembered. The Endocrinologist Issue 112, 28 (Summer 2014).
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PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

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1973-1974	Delivered a short series of seminars on the biological basis of behavior to final year residents in Psychiatry at Emory University School of Medicine
1978-1992	Participating lecturer and advisor in course MS PSY 240 (Principles of Mammalian Physiology) University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine
1979-1980	Participating lecturer in course MS PSY 244 (Neuroscience) University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine
1978	Participating lecturer in Basic Science Course for Graduate Trainee Program, University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine
1979 and 1982	Participating lecturer in Biological Science Course 125 (Selected Topics in Mammalian Physiology). Faculty of Arts and Science, University of Pittsburgh
1981	Member of the teaching faculty for the advanced courses in Mammalian Physiology and Neuroscience, University of Pittsburgh
1983-1984	Speaker for Neurosurgical Residents Basic Science Seminars
1985	Co-Organizer, Workshop on Brain-Hypothalamic Interactions in the Regulation of Neuroendocrine Function, Center for Neuroscience, University of Pittsburgh
1987	Participating lecturer in Developmental Practicum for Residents, Western Psychiatric Institute and Clinic
1987-1993	Course Co-Director, Neuroendocrinology: Classical and Contemporary Perspectives MS PSY 286
1991	Co-Organizer, Pulse Generation by Hypothalamic GnRH Neurons, Center for Neuroscience, University of Pittsburgh, NEUSC 2014
1993-1998, 2000-2002	PBL Facilitator, Cellular Communication and Signaling
1994	Lecturer, Endocrinology: Physiology, Pathophysiology, and Clinical Disorders
1994	PBL Facilitator, Integrated Case Studies Course
1994-1997	Workshop Leader, Cardiology
1994-1999	Lecturer, PBL Facilitator, Reproductive and Developmental Biology

1996-1997	PBL Facilitator, Specialized Tissue Course
1999	Lecturer, Topics in Integrative Physiology
1999-2004, 2009-2015	Lecturer, Molecular Mechanisms of Tissue Growth and Differentiation
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2. Seminars Given:

“Ontogeny of Gonadotropin Secretion in the Monkey”, Summer School of the European Pediatric Society for Endocrinology, Copenhagen, June 1988.

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“The Neurobiology of Puberty Onset in the Monkey”, Plenary Speaker, Summer Academy of the Center for Reproduction and Andrology, Münster, July 2010

“A History of Neuroendocrinology”, 3rd INF Summer School in Neuroendocrinology – Brazil, Ribeirão Preto, August 2011

“Principles and Some History of Neuroendocrinology”. 27th Argentina Society for Neuroscience Course for Young Investigators Sculpting the Architecture and Physiology of the Brain: Hormones Have a Lot to Say, Cordoba, October 2012

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1984	Chairman, Susan R. Fox, Ph.D. Examination Committee
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- 9) P.C. Ishwad, Ph.D. - 1993-1994 (Rockefeller Foundation Fellow)
Childrens Hospital of Pittsburgh
Dept. of Neurology, Rangos Building
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- 10) O.P. Mgbonyebi, Ph.D. - 1994-1995
Medical Writer, ScienceDocs, Inc.
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- 11) S. Ramaswamy, Ph.D. - 1995-2001
Research Assistant Professor
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- 12) M. El Majdoubi, Ph.D. - 1996-1999
Assistant Professor
Department of Natural Sciences and Mathematics
Albertus Minor, Room 5
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- 13) Amanda L. Barker, Ph.D. – 2001-2003
Retired from Science (2006)

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- 14) Muhammad Shahab, Ph.D. – 2001-2004
Chair
Department of Animal Sciences
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 - 15) Minori Shibata, M.D. – 2003-2005
Assistant Professor
Department of Otorhinolaryngology and Physiology
University of Occupational and Environmental Health Japan
Kitakyushu, Japan
 - 16) David R. Simorangkir, M.D., Ph.D. – 2001–2010
Teaching Faculty
St. Matthew’s University School of Medicine
Grand Cayman, Cayman Islands
 - 17) Laiq Ahmad, Ph.D. – 2009-2010
Assistant Professor
Department of Zoology
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 - 18) Natalia Kostereva, Ph.D. – 03/2010-3/2011
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Inonu University
Malatya, Turkey
 - 20) Marcela Vargas Trujillo, M.D. – 2013-2015
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8. Reproductive Endocrinology and Infertility Fellows (American Board of Obstetrics and Gynecology, Inc.)

- 1) Teresa Erb, M.D.

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RESEARCH:**1. Grants Received:**

<u>Grant Number</u>	<u>Grant Title</u>	<u>Role in Project and % Effort</u>	<u>Years Inclusive</u>	<u>Source \$ Amount</u>
<i>Current Grant Support:</i>				
R01 HD072189-01	Molecular Bases Committing Primate Spermatogonia to a Pathway of Differentiation	PI; 25%	2012-2017	NIH \$1,951,364
<i>Prior Grant Support:</i>				
2P50 HDRR08610	The Neuroendocrine Control of Gonadotropin Secretion in the Male Rhesus Monkey (Project 3-Center for Research in Primate Reproduction)	PI; 50%	1979-1982	NIH
	Training in the Study of the Control of Testicular Function in Primates	PI; 15%	1990-1994	A.W. Mellon Foundation
R01 HD10907	Control and Integration of GnRH Neural Pathways P.C. Goldsmith, PI, University of California at San Francisco	Co-PI; 15%	1991-1996	NIH
1F06 TW02081	Plasticity of the Neural Network Governing GnRH Release	PI; 75%	1995-1996	Fogarty International \$46,242
R01 HD13254	The Ontogeny of Gonadotropin Secretion in the Monkey	PI; 25%	1980-1998	NIH \$519,590
R01 HD16851	Testicular Control of LH and FSH Secretion in the Monkey	PI; 25%	1982-2000	NIH \$450,145
1R01 HD32473	Role of FSH in Spermatogenesis G.R. Marshall, PI, University of Pittsburgh	Co-PI; 10%	1995-2000	NIH \$165,563
P30 HD08610	Center for Research in Reproductive Physiology	PI; 20%	1985-2000	NIH \$1,085,334

	NPY and Feeding in the Rhesus Monkey	PI; 1%	1999-2000	GlaxoWellcome \$13,628	
R01 HD22338	Physiology of Human Relaxin G. Weiss, PI, New Jersey Medical School	Co-PI; 5%	1999-2001	NIH \$37,320	
R03 AG17727	The Role of the Hypothalamic-Pituitary Axis in Menopause	Co-Invest.; 5%	2000-2001	NIH \$50,000	
U54HD36207	Specialized Cooperative Center for Reproduction Research: Programming of the Primate Male Reproductive System by Estrogen <i>In Utero</i> : Impact on Fertility in Adulthood	Co-Invest.	2001-2003	NIH \$17,276	
U54 HD08610 (Indo-US Joint)	Primate Sertoli Cell Factors and Germ Cell Proliferation	US PI; 5%	2000-2004	NIH \$136,133	
R01 HD13254	The Role of Neuronal Plasticity in Primate Puberty (formerly "The Ontogeny of Gonadotropin Secretion in the Monkey)	PI; 25%	1998-2005	NIH \$1,098,294	
Bioqual, Inc.	Antispermatoxic Activity of CDB-4022D in Adult Male Cynomolgus Monkeys: Confirmation and Extension of DVS-80 Study	PI; 5%	2004-2006	Bioqual, Inc. \$216,261	
R13 HD05361-1	International Congress of Neuroendocrinology (ICN 2006)	PI	2006-2007	NIH \$22,000	
5T32 HD07332	Postdoctoral Training in Reproductive Physiology	PI; 10%	1995-2008	NIH \$385,216	
U54 HD41749	Cooperative Reproductive Science Research Centers at Minority Institutions: Development and Differentiation in Reproductive Axis	Co-Director; 5%	2001-2009	NIH \$520,275	
U54 HD36207	Specialized Cooperative Center for Reproduction Research: Development of Baboon Fetal Testis		PI; 5%	2004-2009 \$70,391	NIH

Clinical and Trans- lational Science Inst. Basic to Clinical Collaborative Research Pilot Program (CTSI/BaCCoR)	Kickstarting Puberty in Boys With Constitutional Delay	Co-PI; 5%	2008-2009	University of Pittsburgh \$25,000
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R01 HD13254	Molecular and Structural Bases of Hypothalamic Puberty (formerly “The Role of Neuronal Plasticity In Primate Puberty” and “The Ontogeny of Gonadotropin Secretion in the Monkey)	PI; 25%	2005-2012	NIH \$1,202,716
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U54 HD08610	Specialized Cooperative Center for Reproduction and Infertility Research: Physiology and Pathophysiology of the Primate Gonad	PI; 30%	2006-2013	NIH \$2,043,799
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2. Seminars and Invited Lectureships Related to Research:

1973	<u>Testicular Control of Copulatory Activity in the Rhesus Monkey</u> , Department of Physiology, Emory University
1975	<u>The Neuroendocrine Control of Gonadotropin Secretion in the Rhesus Monkey</u> , Georgia Mental Health Institute, Atlanta
1977	<u>The Neuroendocrine Control of Gonadotropin Secretion in the Female Rhesus Monkey</u> , Oregon Regional Primate Center
1979	<u>The Neuroendocrine Control of Testicular Testosterone Secretion in the Rhesus Monkey</u> , 6th NICHD Workshop on the Testis in Houston
1979	<u>Studies on the Neuroendocrine Control of Testicular Function in the Rhesus Monkey</u> , College of Physicians and Surgeons of Columbia University, New York
1980	<u>Role of the Central Nervous System in the Control of Gonadotropin Secretion in the Female Rhesus Monkey</u> , 6th International Congress of Endocrinology, Melbourne
1980	<u>The Ontogeny of the Neuroendocrine Control of Testicular Function in the Rhesus Monkey</u> , The Yerkes Regional Primate Research Center, Emory University
1980	<u>The Neuroendocrine Control of Testicular Function in the Rhesus Monkey</u> , Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania
1980	<u>Control of Gonadotropin Secretion in the Male Rhesus Monkey</u> , Universitäts Frauenklinik, Bonn

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- 1980 Neuroendocrine Control of Testicular Function in the Rhesus Monkey, Universitäts Frauenklinik, Munster
- 1980 Neuroendocrine Control of Gonadotropin Secretion in the Male Rhesus Monkey, McGill University and the Royal Victoria Hospital, Montreal
- 1981 Ontogeny of Pulsatile LHRH Secretion in the Male Rhesus Monkey, Harvard Medical School and the Massachusetts General Hospital
- 1981 Neuroendocrine Control Systems Governing Ontogeny of Gonadal Function, XV Biennial Symposium on Animal Reproduction, Raleigh
- 1982 Control of Gonadotropin Secretion in the Male Primate, Ferring Symposium on Brain and Pituitary Peptides II, Kiel
- 1982 The Ontogeny of Gonadotropin Secretion in the Rhesus Monkey, University of Washington School of Medicine
- 1982 Neuroendocrine Mechanisms Governing the Ontogeny of Gonadotropin Secretion in the Male Rhesus Monkey, 2nd ORPRC Symposium on Primate Reproductive Biology, Beaverton
- 1983 The Neuroendocrine Control System Governing the Ontogeny of Gonadotropin Secretion in the Monkey, University of Cambridge
- 1984 Neuroendocrine Mechanism Underlying the Ontogeny of Gonadotropin Secretion in the Monkey, Massachusetts Institute of Technology
- 1984 Ontogeny of the GnRH Pulse Generator in the Rhesus Monkey, Satellite Symposia (Developmental Endocrinology of the 7th International Congress of Endocrinology, Montreal
- 1984 Control of Gonadotropin Secretion in the Male Rhesus Monkey, APS Symposia on Current Topics in Neuroendocrine Control of Gonadotropin Secretion, Kentucky
- 1985 Neuroendocrine Mechanism Underlying the Timing of Puberty in the Monkey, Developmental Endocrine Branch NICHD
- 1985 The Ontogeny of Pulsatile GnRH Release in the Male Rhesus Monkey, 3rd Ferring Symposium, Noordwijk
- 1985 Intermittent Hypothalamic Neurosecretion and Gonadal Function, Workshop on Brain-Hypothalamic Interaction in the Regulation of Neuroendocrine Function, Center for Neuroscience, University of Pittsburgh
- 1986 Pulsatile Gonadotropin Secretion in Sub-Human Primates, Harvard Medical School and the Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston
- 1986 Neuroendocrine Mechanisms Underlying the Ontogeny of Gonadotropin Secretion in the Monkey, 68th Annual Meeting of the Endocrine Society, Anaheim

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- 1986 The Neuroendocrine Mechanisms that Determine the Timing of Puberty in Primates, College of Physicians & Surgeons of Columbia University, New York
- 1986 Neuroendocrine Control of Gonadotropin Secretion and Puberty in the Monkey, West Virginia University, Morgantown
- 1986 Puberty in the Rhesus Monkey, University of Maryland, Baltimore
- 1987 Neuroendocrine Mechanisms Timing the Onset of Puberty in Primates, The Mount Sinai Medical Center, New York
- 1987 The Neuroendocrine Control of Testicular Function: Anatomical and Physiological Considerations, American Society of Andrology, Postdoctoral Course, Denver
- 1987 Puberty in Primates: A Reawakening of the GnRH Pulse Generator, The University of Texas Medical School, Houston
- 1987 Neuroendocrine Basis of Puberty in the Monkey, Neuro-Endocrinology of Reproduction, Vith Reinier De Graaf Symposium, Nijmegen
- 1988 Testicular Inhibin and the Regulation of FSH in the Monkey, Contraceptive Development Branch, Workshop on LHRH Analogs and Reproductive Polypeptides, National Institutes of Health, Bethesda Maryland
- 1988 Brain Control of the GnRH Pulse Generator, Lawson Wilkins Pediatric Endocrine Society, Reproductive Biology Symposium, Washington, DC
- 1988 Ontogeny of GnRH Pulse Generator in the Rhesus Monkey, The 8th International Congress of Endocrinology, Kyoto
- 1988 The Ontogeny of LHRH Pulse Generator Activity in the Monkey, Progress in the Endocrine Chronobiology, Satellite Symposium of the 8th International Congress of Endocrinology, Sapporo
- 1988 The Neurobiology of the Onset of Puberty in Primates, Northwestern University, Evanston
- 1988 Neuroendocrine Mechanisms Controlling the Onset of Puberty in the Monkey, Emory University, Atlanta
- 1989 Neuroendocrine Mechanisms Controlling the Onset of Puberty in Primates, University of Washington, Seattle
- 1989 Neuroendocrine Basis of Onset of Puberty in Primates, Cornell University, Ithaca
- 1989 The Neuroendocrine Control of the Onset of Puberty in Primates, Hungarian Academy of Sciences, Budapest

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- 1989 The Ontogeny of Hypothalamic GnRH Secretion in the Rhesus Monkey, 3rd International Conference on the Control of the Onset of Puberty, Amsterdam
- 1990 The Neurobiology of Puberty in Primates, University of Virginia, Charlottesville
- 1990 The Neuroendocrine Mechanisms Governing the Onset of Puberty in Primates, McGill University, Montreal
- 1990 The Neuroendocrine Regulation of the Onset of Puberty, Sero Symposium on Reproduction, Growth and Development, Acapulco
- 1990 The Hypothalamic Control of Puberty in the Rhesus Monkey, A Representative Higher Primate, The Endocrine Society, Atlanta
- 1990 The Ontogeny of the GnRH Pulse Generator in Higher Primates, European Society for Paediatric Endocrinology, Vienna
- 1990 Neuroendocrine Control of the Onset of Puberty in Primates, Harvard Medical School, Boston
- 1990 Control of FSH Secretion in the Male Rhesus Monkey, Sero Symposium on the Regulation and Actions of Follicle Stimulating Hormone, Chicago
- 1991 The Neuroendocrine Regulation of Testicular Function in the Monkey, Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston
- 1991 Neuroendocrine Control of Puberty in the Rhesus Monkey, a Representative Higher Primate, Henri-Pierre Klotz d'Endocrinologie Clinique Symposium on the Endocrinology of Puberty, Paris
- 1991 Neuroendocrine Regulation of Puberty and Testicular Function in the Monkey, Hôpital de Bicêtre, Le Kremlin-Bicêtre, France
- 1991 The Neuroendocrine Control of the Onset of Puberty in Primates, Ciba Foundation Symposium No. 168, Budapest
- 1991 The Neuroendocrine Mechanisms Controlling the Onset of Puberty in the Primate, The University of Western Ontario, London, Canada
- 1991 The GnRH Pulse Generator, The Magee-Womens Hospital, Pittsburgh
- 1992 Neuroendocrine Control of Puberty and Testicular Function in the Monkey, NIH Interinstitute Endocrine Grand Rounds, Bethesda
- 1992 Regulation of Gonadotropin Secretion in the Male Monkey, Satellite Symposium on Gonadotropins, GnRH, GnRH Analogs and Gonadal Peptides, Paris
- 1992 The Neuroendocrine Regulation of Testicular Function in the Monkey, Ferring Symposium on the Central Control of Gonadal Function, Frankfurt

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- 1993 Neuroendocrine Control of Testicular Function in the Monkey, Georgetown University Medical Center, Washington
- 1993 Inhibin in the Male, University of Bristol, Bristol
- 1993 The Neurobiology of the Initiation of Puberty, Advances in Growth, Fiuggi
- 1993 The Neurobiology of Puberty in the Monkey, The Center for Reproductive Research, Tufts University, Boston
- 1993 The Neuroendocrine Control of Gonadal Function in Primates, Center for Reproductive Research Seminar, Kansas City University Medical Center, Kansas City
- 1993 An Operational FSH-Testicular Inhibin Feedback Loop in the Adult Rhesus Monkey, II International Symposium on Inhibin and Inhibin-Related Proteins, Siena
- 1994 The Onset of Puberty in Non-Human Primates, International Symposium on Puberty: Basic and Clinical Aspects, Buenos Aires
- 1994 Closing Remarks, Fourth International Conference on the Control of the Onset of Puberty, Pittsburgh
- 1995 Neuroendocrine Control of Reproduction in Male Primates, Universite de Liège, Liège
- 1996 Neuroendocrine Control of Reproduction in the Monkey, Universite de Genève, Geneva
- 1996 Puberty in the Monkey, Universite Hôpital Gent, Gent
- 1996 Environmental Factors and Puberty in Non-human Primates, 21st International Symposium, Growth Hormones and Growth Factors in Endocrinology and Metabolism, Venice
- 1996 Control of Testicular Function in the Monkey, Hôpital Antoine, Paris
- 1997 Plasticity in the Hypothalamic GnRH Neuronal Network and Primate Puberty, University of Texas-Houston Medical Center, Texas
- 1997 The Control of Pubertal Development, 11th European Scientific Symposium, Reproduction in Nonhuman Primates, Münster
- 1997 Neuronal Plasticity and Pituitary Gonadal Axis, The Ares-Serono Foundation, International Workshop on Paracrine Mechanisms in Female Reproduction, Seville
- 1997 Puberty in Primates, Tokyo Women's Medical College, Tokyo
- 1997 The Neuroendocrine Control of Puberty in the Monkey, Japan Neuroendocrine Society, Tokyo

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- 1997 The Pubertal Initiation of Testicular Function in the Monkey: Neurobiology and Endocrinology, Prince Henry's Institute of Medical Research, Melbourne
- 1998 Neuroendocrine Control of the Onset of Puberty in Primates, 2nd Congreso Argentino de Endocrinología Ginecológica Y Reproductiva, Buenos Aires
- 1998 The Role of Inhibin in the Regulation of FSH Secretion in Higher Primates, 2nd Congreso Argentino de Endocrinología Ginecológica Y Reproductiva, Buenos Aires
- 1998 Functional Organization of the Hypophysiotropic Hypothalamus Driving the Pituitary-Gonadal Axis in the Rhesus Monkey, 41èmes Journées Internationales D'Endocrinologie Clinique, Paris
- 1998 Pubertal Changes in GnRH Secretion and Gene Expression in the Monkey, Seoul Satellite Symposium of the 4th International Congress of Neuroendocrinology, Seoul
- 1998 Pubertal Changes in Hypothalamic Gene Expression in the Monkey, University of Milan, Milan
- 1998 Neuroendocrine Control and Development of Gonadotropin Pulsatility, 4th International Congress, "The Young Woman at the Rise of the 21st Century: Gynecological and Reproductive Issues in Health and Disease", Athens
- 1998 Experimental Non-Human Primate Models Employing GnRH and GnRH Analogs, 4th International Congress, "The Young Woman at the Rise of the 21st Century: Gynecological and Reproductive Issues in Health and Disease", Athens
- 1999 The FSH-Inhibin B Feedback Control System in Male Primates, 1999 North American Inhibin and Activin Congress, Evanston
- 1999 Hypothalamic Gene Expression During Puberty in the Monkey, 81st Annual Meeting of The Endocrine Society, San Diego
- 1999 The GnRH Pulse Generator and Gonadal Function: New Developments, Sero International Symposium on Gonadal Failure: New Perspectives, Cortina
- 1999 Ontogeny of GnRH Gene Expression and Secretion in Primates, The 5th International Conference on the Control of the Onset of Puberty, Liège
- 2000 The Postnatal Ontogeny of the Hypothalamic-Pituitary-Gonadal Axis in the Rhesus Monkey, 55th Meeting of the Midwest Teratology Association, Greenfield
- 2000 The Effects of Sex Hormones on the Initiation of Puberty in Primates. XIV Meeting of the Latin American Pediatric Endocrinology Society, Ushuaia
- 2000 Circulating Leptin as a Signal for Triggering the Initiation of Puberty. XIV Meeting of the Latin American Pediatric Endocrinology Society, Ushuaia
- 2000 The Role of Testicular Inhibins in the Control of FSH in Primates, Ares-Serono Foundation International Workshop on Inhibins, Activins and Follistatins. Melbourne

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- 2000 Puberty, Ares-Serono Foundation International Conference on Reproductive Competence: Pathology and Therapeutic Interventions, Santiago
- 2001 Hypothalamic Plasticity and Our Adulthood, National Institute of Immunology, New Delhi
- 2001 The Neurobiology of Primate Puberty, Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore
- 2001 The Role of Inhibin in Regulating the Male Reproductive Axis, Institute for Research in Reproduction, Bombay
- 2001 The Neurobiology of the Onset of Puberty, Pakistan Academy of Sciences, Islamabad
- 2001 The Hypothalamic Pituitary Testicular Axis in the Monkey: Ongoing Studies, Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston
- 2001 The Operation of the FSH-Inhibin Feedback Loop in Regulating Spermatogenesis in the Monkey, Bioqual, Inc., Rockville
- 2001 The Control of the Onset of Primate Puberty, 83rd Annual Meeting of The Endocrine Society, Denver
- 2001 Regulation of Primate Spermatogenesis by the FSH-inhibin Feedback Loop, 34th Annual Meeting of the Society for the Study of Reproduction, Ottawa
- 2002 A New Look at a Classical Subject: the Role of Gonadotropins in the Control of Spermatogenesis, Johns Hopkins School of Hygiene and Public Health, Baltimore
- 2002 Neurobiology of Puberty in the Male Monkey, University of Maryland, Baltimore
- 2002 Neuroendocrine Regulation of Gonadotropin Secretion in the Monkey, Workshop: Progress in Reproductive Physiology, Hannover
- 2002 Physiology of Inhibins, Activins and Follistatin in Primates, XXEME Congres de la Societe Francaise D'Endocrinologie, Tours
- 2003 Neurobiology of the Onset of Puberty in Higher Primates, University of Virginia, Charlottesville
- 2003 Neurobiology of the Onset of Puberty in Primates, Morehouse School of Medicine
- 2003 Are Neurogenomics Underlying the Pubertal Reawakening of the GnRH Pulse Generator? 4th Annual GeNeSIS Symposium and Investigators' Meeting, Vancouver
- 2004 Novel Concepts in the Control of the Onset of Puberty, Updates in Infertility Treatment 2004, Marco Island
- 2004 Is GPR 54 a Puberty Gene? Studies of the Rhesus Monkey. Edinburgh University, Edinburgh

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- 2005 Pubertal Onset of Spermatogenesis, XXVIII North American Testis Workshop, Seattle
- 2005 The Male Monkey as a Model for the Study of the Neurobiology of Puberty Onset in Man, 6th International Conference on the Control of the Onset of Puberty, Evian
- 2006 The Rhesus Monkey as an Experimental Model to Understand the Neurobiology of Human Puberty, University of Washington Health Sciences
- 2006 The Neurobiology of the Onset of Puberty in the Monkey, Northwestern University, Center for Reproductive Science, Evanston
- 2006 Is Puberty Triggered by a Kiss?, Northwestern University, Grand Rounds, Division of Endocrinology, Metabolism and Molecular Medicine, Chicago
- 2006 The Role of *KiSS-1* in the Regulation of Puberty, 4th Ferring Pharmaceuticals International Paediatric Endocrinology Symposium, Paris
- 2006 Neurobiological Mechanisms Underlying the Pubertal Activation of the HPG Axis at Puberty in Higher Primates, 6th International Congress of Neuroendocrinology, Pittsburgh
- 2006 New Factors (Kisspeptins, GPR54) Regulating GnRH Release 1, 39th Annual Meeting of the Society for the Study of Reproduction, Omaha
- 2006 Human Puberty, A Mysterious Reawakening: Lessons from the Monday, 8th Annual Reproductive Biology Retreat, Johns Hopkins University and University of Maryland, Maryland
- 2006 Is Puberty Triggered by a KiSS?, Bioqual, Inc. Maryland
- 2006 The Neurobiology of Puberty, 8th Journées KIGS KIMS, Paris
- 2007 Postnatal and Pubertal development of the Primate Testis, University of Health Sciences, Lahore
- 2007 Kisspeptin Signaling in the Hypothalamus: A Novel and Major Regulator of the Reproductive Axis, Pakistan Academy of Sciences, Islamabad
- 2007 The Role of Kisspeptin Signaling at GPR54 in Triggering Primate Puberty, 17th Annual Meeting of the Indian Society for the Study of Reproduction and Fertility, New Delhi
- 2007 Developmental and Hormonal Determinants of Spermatogenic Ceiling in the Monkey, Center for Research on Reproduction and Women's Health, The University of Pennsylvania Medical Center, Philadelphia
- 2007 Role of Kisspeptin in Triggering Puberty in the Monkey, INSERM U413, Institut Fédératif de Recherches Multidisciplinaires sur les Peptides (IFRMP 23), University of Rouen, Rouen
- 2007 Role of Kisspeptin in Triggering Puberty in the Monkey, UMR 6175 INRA, University of Tours, Tours

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- 2007 Endocrine and Neuroendocrine Mechanisms Underlying the Onset of Puberty in Higher Primates, 6th Congress of the Asia and Oceania Society for Comparative Endocrinology (ASOCE), University of North Bengal
- 2008 The Hypothalamic Regulation of Fertility in Primates, The Physiological Society Symposium, Cambridge
- 2008 Hypothalamic Kisspeptin Signaling: A Neurobiologic Trigger for the Onset of Primate Puberty, The First IBRO/LARC Iberian, Latin American and Caribbean Congress of Neuroscience – I NEUROLATAM, Búzios
- 2008 Kisspeptin and Puberty in the Monkey, 1st World Conference on Kisspeptin Signaling in the Brain, Cordoba
- 2009 The Role of Kisspeptin in Triggering Puberty in Primates, Department of Physiology, Morehouse School of Medicine, Atlanta
- 2009 Kisspeptin and the Control of GnRH Pulsatility Throughout Postnatal Development in the Monkey, Erciyes University, Kayseri
- 2009 Neuroendocrine Mechanisms Controlling the Timing of Puberty in Primates, Neuroendocrinology Symposium & Workshop, Turkish Neuroendocrine Society, Istanbul
- 2009 Non-Human Primate Models of Human Reproduction: Advantages and Disadvantages, Neuroendocrinology Symposium & Workshop, Turkish Neuroendocrine Society, Istanbul
- 2009 Kisspeptin Signaling and the Initiation of Puberty in Primates, University of Massachusetts, Amherst
- 2009 Postnatal Regulation of Pulsatile GnRH Release in the Monkey. 91st Annual Meeting of The Endocrine Society, Washington, June 2009. Symposium S2-1.
- 2009 Is Puberty in Primates Triggered by a *KiSS* Alone? Festschrift Symposium in Honor of Professor John A. Russell
- 2009 Kisspeptin and the Onset of Puberty in the Monkey, XXXVI International Congress of Physiological Sciences, Kyoto
- 2009 The Neurobiology of Puberty in the Monkey, National Center for Toxicological Research, Little Rock
- 2010 Neuroendocrine Determinants of Sexual Maturity in Nonhuman Primates, 18th Primate Symposium, Münster
- 2010 Neuroendocrine Control of the Menstrual Cycle, Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology, Ben-Gurion University of the Negev, Beer-Sheva

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- 2010 Postnatal Development of Spermatogonial Stem Cell and their Niches in the Monkey, Department of Microbiology and Immunology, Ben-Gurion University, Beer-Sheva
- 2010 Neuroendocrine Mechanisms Controlling the Onset of Puberty in Primates, Department of Virology and Development and Molecular Genetics, Ben-Gurion University, Beer-Sheva
- 2010 Neuroendocrine Mechanisms Controlling the Onset of Puberty in the Rhesus Monkey, IIIrd Congress of the Polish Neuroendocrine Society, Krakow
- 2011 The Generation of GnRH Rhythms, First Brazilian International Symposium on Integrative Neuroendocrinology, Dourado
- 2011 Modeling Neuroendocrine Control Systems Governing Reproduction in Non-Human Primates, New York Academy of Sciences Animal Models and Their Value in Predicting Drug Efficacy and Toxicity, New York. NY.
- 2011 Role of Hypothalamic KNDy Neurons in the Control of Puberty Onset in the Male Monkey. The 8th Annual Gilbert S. Greenwald Symposium on Reproduction, Kansas City, MO.
- 2012 Kisspeptin: A GnRH Pulse Generating or Puberty Initiating Neuropeptide? 16th Annual Meeting of the Society for Behavioral Neuroendocrinology, Madison, WI.
- 2012 The neurobiology of GnRH pulsatility: a mode of hypothalamic activity essential for folliculogenesis, ovulation and spermatogenesis. 45th Annual Meeting of the Society for the Study of Reproduction, State College. PA.
- 2012 Kisspeptin: a GnRH Pulse Generating or Puberty Initiating Neuropeptide. Juan P. Garrahan Pediatric Hospital, Buenos Aires
- 2012 Postnatal Development of the Testis in the Monkey. Juan P. Garrahan Pediatric Hospital, Buenos Aires
- 2014 Timing and Progression of Puberty: Fundamental Neuroendocrine Mechanisms. Society of Toxicology 53rd Annual Meeting; Abstract 379, 2014 Mar 24; Phoenix, AZ.
- 2014 The Neuroendocrine Control of the Onset of Puberty. 8th International Congress of Neuroendocrinology, Sydney
- 2015 Physiology and Clinical Implications of the Midcycle Gonadotropin Surge. 7th World Congress on Ovulation Induction, Bologna.
- 2015 Neuroendocrine Control of Puberty in Highly Evolved Primates. 60th Annual Meeting Argentinian Society of Clinical Investigation, Mar del Plata.
- 2016 Neuroendocrine Control of Puberty Onset in Primates. Department of Assisted Reproductive Medicine, The Ninth People's Hospital, Shanghai Jiaotong University Medical School, Shanghai.

2016 Minipuberty: what is driven by the brain, by the gonad and by sex? European Society of Endocrinology Postgraduate PhD course: Regulation of the Pituitary-Gonadal Axis in Childhood, Adolescence and Adults; Minipuberty and Puberty. Rigshospitalet, Copenhagen

3. Other Research Related Activities:

1978-Present Journal Refereeing: Endocrinology, Neuroendocrinology, American Journal of Physiology, Journal of Endocrinology, Nature, Proceedings of Society of Experimental Biology and Medicine, Life Sciences, Journal of Clinical Endocrinology and Metabolism, Journal of Andrology, Biology of Reproduction, Journal of Neuroscience, Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences, U.S.A., Journal of Comparative Neurology, Journal of Pediatrics, Journal of Neuroendocrinology, Current Biology, Reproduction.

1979 Ad Hoc Consultant: Population Research Committee, NICHD

1980-1995 Extramural Grant Reviewer for NSF

1985 Ad Hoc Consultant: Neurobiology - 2 Study Section, NIH

1987 Member, Special Study Section; Reproductive Biology, NIH

1989 Organizer, Third International Congress on the Control of the Onset of Puberty, Amsterdam, 1989

1989 Organizer, Symposium on The Comparative Physiology of Puberty, XXXI International Congress of Physiological Sciences, Helsinki, 1989

1989 Special Reviewer, Reproductive Endocrinology Study Section, NIH

1989-1993 Member, Reproductive Endocrinology Study Section, NIH

1989-1992 Editorial Board, *Endocrinology*

1990-1995 Editorial Board, *Biology of Reproduction*

1991 Member, Nominating Committee of the International Society of Neuroendocrinology

1991 Chairman, Recombinant Baboon and Cynomolgus Gonadotropin Meeting, Contraceptive Development Branch, Center for Population Research, NICHD

1991 Member, Neuroscience Study Group, Conte Institute for Environmental Health

1991 Ad Hoc Consultant, National Center for Research Resources, NIH

1993-1994 Chairman, Program and Local Committee, Fourth International Conference on the Control of the Onset of Puberty, Pittsburgh, 1994

1993-1994	Chairman, National and Local Committee - The Ernst Knobil Symposium, Pittsburgh 1994
1993-1995	Member, Ad Hoc Expert Panel, Life Sciences Research Office - Analysis of Adverse Reactions to Monosodium Glutamate
1993-1996	Program Committee, Annual Meeting of the Endocrine Society
1994	External Consultant, Primate Medicine Review, Oregon Regional Primate Research Center
1994-2000	Chairman, Publication Committee of the International Society of Neuroendocrinology
1995-2001	Editorial Board, <i>American Journal of Physiology: Endocrinology and Metabolism</i>
1996-1998	Chairman, Program Committee, 4th International Congress of Neuroendocrinology, Kitakyushu, Japan, 1998
1997	Special Reviewer, Neuroscience and Neuropsychology of Aging Program, NIA
1998-2000	Member, By-Laws Committee, Society for the Study of Reproduction
1998	Speaker Leader/Workgroup I: Developing Models of Healthy Adolescent Physical Development: Health Futures of Youth II: Pathways to Adolescent Health, Annapolis, MD
1998	Ad Hoc Consultant, Comparative Medicine Review Committee, NIH National Center for Research Resources Site Visit of the Oregon Regional Primate Research Center
1998-1999	Co-Chair Program Committee, Fifth International Conference on the Control of the Onset of Puberty, Liège, 1999
1998-1999	Interim Chair, Program Committee, 5th International Congress of Neuroendocrinology, Bristol, UK, 2000
2000	Council Member, International Society of Neuroendocrinology
2000-2013	Member, Research Focus Group, Male Reproduction, Specialized Cooperative Center for Reproduction Research (NICHD)
2000-2013	Member, Research Focus Group, Neuroendocrine/Pituitary Function, Specialized Cooperative Centers Program for Reproduction Research (NICHD)
2000	Tribute to Ernst Knobil, NIH Center Directors Meeting, Portland, Oregon
2000-2001	Chair, By-Laws Committee, Society for the Study of Reproduction
2000-2004	Acting Treasurer, International Neuroendocrine Federation
2000	Member, Review Group, Confocal DFG Research Group (The Male Gamete: Production, Maturation, Function), Münster, Germany

2001-2004	Member, Publications Committee, The Endocrine Society
2001-Present	Member, Editorial Board, <i>Proceedings of the Pakistan Academy of Sciences</i>
2001-2009	Member, Editorial Board, <i>Reproduction</i>
2002	External Consultant: Wake Forest University School of Medicine, Comparative Medicine Clinical Research Center, Soy Research Program
2002	Member, Special Professional Interests Task Force, The Endocrine Society
2002	Organizer, Mini Symposium on Spermatogonia Renewal, Male Research Focus Group, RSB, NICHD
2002-2006	Chair, Local Organizing Committee, 6 th International Congress of Neuroendocrinology, Pittsburgh 2006
2002	Assessor, National Health and Medical Research Council (NHMRC), Australia
2003	Member, NIEHS Special Emphasis Panel, Breast Cancer and the Environment Research Centers
2003	Panelist, Serono/EPA: Expert Panel Workshop: The Role of Environmental Factors on the Onset and Progression of Puberty in Children, Chicago
2003	Ad Hoc Consultant, Reproductive Sciences Branch, NICHD
2003-2006	Secretary General, International Neuroendocrine Federation
2003-2005	Member, Scientific Committee, Pfizer International Conference on the Control of the Onset of Puberty, 2005, Evian
2004	Temporary Reviewer, Integrative Clinical Endocrinology and Reproduction Study Section, NIH
2004-2015	Member, Editorial Board, <i>Frontiers in Neuroendocrinology</i>
2005-2015	Member, Faculty of 1000 Biology
2005	Reviewer, The Wellcome Trust, UK
2005	Special Reviewer, The Marsden Fund, Royal Society of New Zealand
2005	Reviewer, Well Being of Women's Research Advisory Committee, UK
2006-2009	Member, Society for the Study of Reproduction Program Committee

2006	President Elect, International Neuroendocrine Federation
2006	Member, Specialized Centers Program in Reproduction and Infertility Research (SCCPIR) Review Panel
2006-2010	Member, Editorial Board, <i>Endocrine</i>
2007-2011	President, International Neuroendocrine Federation
2007	Reviewer, Biotechnology and Biological Sciences Research Council (BBSRC), UK
2007	Temporary Reviewer, Integrative Clinical Endocrinology and Reproduction Study Section, NIH
2007-2009	Chair, Steering Committee for the Cooperative Centers Program in Reproduction and Infertility Research (SCCPIR), NICHD
2007-2008	Member, International Scientific Committee "1st World Conference on Kisspeptin Signaling in the Brain", Cordoba, October 2008
2007-2009	Member, Program Advisory Committee, XX North American Testis Workshop, Philadelphia, April 2009
2008-2011	Editorial Board, <i>Endocrinology</i>
2008-2009	Member, Board of Reviewing Editors (BRE), <i>Biology of Reproduction</i>
2008-2015	Member, External Advisory Board, California National Primate Research Center
2008-2009	Chair, Local Arrangements Committee, Society for the Study of Reproduction, 2009 Annual Meeting
2009-2012	Consultant for National Center for Toxicological Research, Jefferson, AR
2009-2014	Advisor, Silicones Environmental, Health and Safety Council (SEHSC), Herndon, VA
2009-2012	Faculty, 2 nd International Neuroendocrine Federation Summer School of Neuroendocrinology, Japan, Kitakyushu, August 2-4
2009	Editorial Advisor, www.kisspeptin.org Web Site
2009-2014	Consultant, Syngenta Crop Protection, Inc.
2010	Panelist, National Institutes of Health Pediatric and Adolescent Gynecology Research Think Tank Panel Meeting
2011-2015	Editorial Board, <i>Neuroendocrinology</i>

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- 2011-2012 Member, Scientific Advisory Board, 2nd World Conference on Kisspeptin
- 2012 Site Visit Reviewer, Intramural Program in Developmental Endocrinology and Genetics, NICHD.
- 2012-Present Managing Director, International Neuroendocrine Federation's Office.
- 2013 Member, Review Panel for George M. O'Brien Urology Cooperative Research Centers Program NIH/NIDDK
- 2013-2015 Member, Board of Reviewing Editors for Biology of Reproduction
- 2015-Present Co-Editor in Chief, Masterclass in The GnRH Neuron and its Control

LIST of CURRENT RESEARCH INTERESTS:

1. Neurobiology of the onset of puberty in higher primates.
2. Regulation of spermatogenesis in the monkey.
3. Proliferation of primate Sertoli cells and undifferentiated type A spermatogonia (male germline stem cells): determination of spermatogenic ceiling in the adult.
4. Neuroendocrine control of the menstrual cycle

SERVICE:**1. University and Medical School Activities:**

1983-1995	Interviewer, Admissions Committee, University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine
1984-1985	Member, Awards Committee for Student Prize, Pittsburgh Neuroscience Society
1984-1985	Preceptor, Summer Research Program for Minority Students, University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine
1985-1992	Member, First Year Retention Committee, University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine
1985-1990	Member, Ad Hoc Promotion Committees, University of Pittsburgh
1985-1986	Alternate Member, Student Promotion Committee
1987	Member, Search Committee for Chairman, Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology
1987-1993	Member, Student Promotion Committee
1987-1990	Member, Advisory Committee on Tenure, Appointments, and Promotions in the School of Medicine
1988	Co-Chairman, Committee on Simian Health Hazards
1988	Member, University of Pittsburgh Appeals Panel
1988	Member, Curriculum Committee, Center for Neuroscience, University of Pittsburgh
1989	Member, Ad Hoc Committee on Scientific Fraud
1990	Member, Search Committee for Chairman, Department of Obstetrics & Gynecology
1990-1991	Member, Goals and Integration Task Force, University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine
1994-1995	Member, School of Nursing Ad Hoc Review Committee, University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine
1994-2008	Member, Financial Affairs Committee, Department of Cell Biology and Physiology
1995	Member, Search Committee for Director, Division of Reproductive Endocrinology, Department of Obstetrics, Gynecology, and Reproductive Sciences
1996-2008	Member, Promotions Committee, Department of Cell Biology and Physiology
1999-2004	Member, Health Sciences Animal Research Advisory Committee

1999-2008	Resource Faculty Member, Center of Excellence in Obstetrics and Gynecology, Magee-Womens Research Institute
1999-2008	Member, Chairman's Advisory Committee, Department of Cell Biology and Physiology
2000-2006	Member, Steering Committee, Women's Reproductive Health Research Career Development Centers
2000-2003	Member, Reproductive Endocrinology and Infertility Program; Research and Training Conferences
2001-2006	Member, Executive Committee of Pittsburgh Development Center
2002-2015	Member, Executive Committee, Building Interdisciplinary Research Careers in Women's Health (BIRCWH) Award, Magee-Womens Research Institute
2003-2004	Member, Search Committee for Chair, Department of Obstetrics, Gynecology and Reproductive Sciences
2003-2008	Member, Business Plan Development Committee, Department of Cell Biology and Physiology
2004-2006	Member, Standing Committee for Tenured Faculty Promotions and Appointments
2006-2007	Member, Search Committee for Director, Magee-Womens Research Institute
2006-2014	Member, Magee-Womens Research Institute Steering Committee
2007-2014	Faculty, Division of Reproductive Endocrinology and Infertility Fellowship Program
2007-2014	Chair, Thesis Committee for Fellowship Program Research, Division of Reproductive Endocrinology and Infertility
2008-2010	Member, University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine Planning and Budgeting Committee
2010-2015	Member, Women's Reproductive Health Research Career Development Program
2010-2014	Member, Department of Obstetrics, Gynecology and Reproductive Sciences Steering Committee
2011-2015	Member, MWRI Facility Animal Committee
2015	Member, MWRI Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee