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## *Curriculum Vitae*

### **HOME OFFICE LOCATION:**

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### **CURRENT EMPLOYMENT:**

- 1990 to present      **Advanced Dermatology & Cosmetic Surgery**  
(currently 45 offices in Florida and Ohio; 38 MSA offices )  
- Founder, Chairman and Chief Medical Officer
- 1990 to 2010      **Medical Hair Restoration**  
  
- Founder, Chairman and Chief Medical Officer
- 2007-2009      - Medical Director (Acquisition of Medical Hair Restoration by  
Aderans)
- 1990 to present      **Leavitt Management Group**  
- Founder, Chairman and Chief Medical Officer
- 2009 to present      **Ameriderm**  
- Founder, Chairman
- 2010 to present      **Bosley**  
- Executive Medical Advisor

### **BOARD CERTIFICATION:**

- Fellow of American Osteopathic College of Dermatology - 1999
- Diplomate of the American Board of Hair Restoration Surgery - 1998
- Diplomate of the American Osteopathic Board of Dermatology - 1991
- Diplomate of the National Board of Osteopathic Medical Examiners - 1987

### **LICENSURE IN THE FOLLOWING STATES:**

*California; Colorado; Connecticut; Florida; Georgia; Illinois; Massachusetts; Michigan; Nevada; New York; Ohio; Pennsylvania; Texas*

## PRIVILEGES/AFFILIATIONS:

- Tampa General Hospital, Tampa, Florida - April 2000 to April 2002
- Orlando Regional Hospital, Orlando, Florida - February 1992 to Present
- Central Florida Regional Hospital, Sanford, Florida - January 1991 to July 2001

## MEMBERSHIPS:

- American Academy of Cosmetic Surgery
- American Academy of Dermatology
- American Academy of Facial Plastics
- American Academy for Facial, Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery
- American Academy of Hair Restoration Surgery
- American Association of Aesthetic and Restorative Surgery
- American Board of Hair Restoration Surgery
- American Osteopathic Association
- American Osteopathic College of Dermatology
- European Society of Hair Restoration Surgery
- Florida Medical Society
- Florida Osteopathic Medical Society
- Florida Society of Dermatologic Surgeons
- International Society of Dermatologic Surgery
- International Society of Hair Restoration Surgery
- The Central Florida Society of Dermatology

## APPOINTMENTS AND PROFESSIONAL HONORS/ACHIEVEMENTS:

### APPOINTMENTS

- **Hair Foundation**
  - Elected President 2010
  - Elected Secretary 2005-2010
  - Founding Member 2005
- **NOVA Southeastern University (NSU-COM)** 2009-Present
  - Clinical Assistant Professor, Division of Dermatology
- **University of Central Florida** 2007-Present
  - Clinical Assistant Professor, Division of Dermatology
- **Lexington International** 2006 - Present
  - Consultant/Medical Advisor
- **International Society of Hair Restoration Surgery (ISHRS)** 2005 - Present
  - CME Committee
- **International Society of Hair Restoration Surgery (ISHRS)** 2005 - Present
  - Ad Hoc Committee on Practice Diversification
- **International Society of Hair Restoration Surgery (ISHRS)** 2005 - Present
  - Ad Hoc Committee on Media Relations
- **International Society of Hair Restoration Surgery (ISHRS)** 2005 - Present
  - Ad Hoc Committee on Hair Council
- **International Society of Hair Restoration Surgery (ISHRS)** 2005 - Present
  - Ad Hoc Committee on Residency Programs
- **International Society of Hair Restoration Surgery (ISHRS)** 2005 - Present
  - Live Surgery Workshop Committee (Chair)
- **International Society of Hair Restoration Surgery (ISHRS)** 2005 - Present
  - Ad Hoc Committee on Hair Foundation (Co-Chair)

- **International Society of Hair Restoration Surgery (ISHRS)** 2005
  - Strategic Task Force on Financial Security Initiative (Chair)
- **International Society for Applied Research in Aging** 2005
  - Advisory Board
- **Hair Foundation**
  - Founding Member and Current Secretary 2005
- **Photomedex**
  - Advisory Board 2005
- **Stieffel**
  - Advisory Board 2005
- **ISHRS**
  - Appointed to CME Committee 2003 – Present
- **Editor Monograph**
  - Combining Medical and Surgery Therapy (Pfizer) 2003
- **ISHRS**
  - Appointed to Board of Governors 2002 - Present
- **Hair Transplant Fellowship Program – MHR**
  - ISHRS Approved 2003 – Present
  - ABHRS Approved 1997 – Present
  - Founder/Preceptor 1993 – Present
- **Allergan**
  - National Botox Training Preceptor 2002 - Present
  - Advisory Board
- **University of Florida, Dermatology Residency Rotation Program**
  - Appointed Clinical Faculty 2001
- **Editor Monograph**
  - “Comprehensive Approach to Male Pattern Hair Loss (Merck) 2001
- **Connetics**
  - Advisory Board 2000 - 2005
- **DermFirst**
  - Advisory Board 1999 - 2004
- **Merck**
  - Clinical Advisory Board 1999 - Present
- **The World Hair Society**
  - Elected Chairman 1998 - 2000
- **Procyte**
  - Board of Directors 1998 - 2005
- **ISHRS Live Workshop Committee**
  - Chairman 1997 - Present
- **American Board of Hair Restoration Surgery**
  - Founding Member/Elected Vice President 1997 - 2004
- **Live Surgery Workshop**
  - Founder, Program Chair 1995 - Present
- **World Association of Hair Restoration Surgeons**
  - Elected Chairman 1995
- **American Hair Loss Council**
  - Elected Vice President of the Credentialing Panel for Hair Restoration Grievance Panel 1995

- **American Osteopathic College of Dermatology**
  - President 1995
  - Program Chair 1995
  - Preceptor 1995
- **AOCD Dermatology Residency Program**
  - Preceptor 1994 – 1997
- **American Osteopathic College of Dermatology**
  - Elected Vice President 1993
  - Elected to the Board of Trustees 1991
- **Practice Profitability**
  - Appointed to the Advisory Board 1992

**PROFESSIONAL HONORS/ACHIEVEMENTS**

- **Smart Awards-Orlando** 2010
  - Orlando Business of the Year Award
- **Smart Awards-Orlando**
  - Finalist Orlando Business of the Year 2009
- **Best Practice Award – Florida Medical Business** 2004
- **ESHRS**
  - Italian Society of Hair Restoration 2004
  - Lifetime Achievement Award (Live Surgery Workshop) 2003
- **Physician Business Leadership - Florida Medical Business** 2003
- **Best Practice – Florida Medical Business**
  - Award Significant Achievement 2003
- **International Society of Hair Restoration Surgery**
  - CME Committee 2003
  - Winner of Golden Follicle 2002
  - Elected to Board of Governors 2002
  - Live Workshop Committee 2000
- **Advanced Dermatology Cosmetic Surgery**
  - Preceptor 1991
- **American Osteopathic College of Dermatology**
  - AOCD Daniel Koprince Award for the Presentation of: 1988
  - “A Selective Review of Xanthomas and their Relationship to Dyslipoproteinemias”

**RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT:**

- **Instrumentation – Developed**
  - Leavitt Minde scalpels
  - Leavitt/Bond forceps
  - Leavitt Diamond knife
  - Leavitt Pron pillow

**GRANTS AND SCIENTIFIC STUDIES/CLINICAL RESEARCH TRIALS:**

- **Pfizer (2006-2007)**
  - Male Alopecia Study

- **ISHRS (2005)**
  - Custodial Solution Vs Saline Solution for the Preservation of the Hair Grafts during Hair Transplant Surgery Up to 48 hrs Outside the Body
- **Bradley Pharmaceuticals (2005)**
  - A Multicenter Evaluation of 10% Sulfacetamide Sodium in a 10% Urea Vehicle Scalp Treatment Lotion and a 10% Urea Shampoo for the Treatment of Seborrheic Dermatitis of the Scalp
- **Lexington International, LLC (2005)**
  - “A Randomized, Double-blind Clinical Trial to Evaluate the Safety and Efficacy of the Hair Max Laser comb for the Treatment of Androgenetic Alopecia in Females”.
- Laser Hair Care Growth Study (2004)
- Autologous Platelet-Rich Plasma as Storage Solution in the Preservation of Hair Grafts during Hair Transplant Surgery (2004)
- The Enhancement of the Wound healing Process after Hair Transplant Surgery with the Use of Autologous Growth Factors (2004)
- Introduction of Hair Growth in Bald Men with the Use of Platelet-Rich Plasma (2004)
- **ISHRS (2002)**
  - Scar Width Appearance and Wound Healing in the Donor Area base on Closure Method
- **Procyte (1999)**
  - Graftcyte Study
- **ISHRS Grant (1999)**
  - Wound Healing and Revascularization of the Hair Graft
- **International Society of Hair Restoration Surgery (1999)**
  - “The Role of Neural Growth Factor (NGF) in the Control of Hair Cycle and Hair Growth after a Hair Transplant Procedure”.
- **Merck Pharmaceutical (1999)**
  - “A One-year, Double-blind, Randomized, Placebo Controlled Study to Determine the effect of Finasteride 1.0mg Before, During and Post Transplantation in Men with Androgenetic Alopecia Undergoing Hair Transplantation”.
- **International Society of Hair Restoration Surgery Studies (1999)**
  - Clinical and Microscopic Evaluation of the Healing Process of Hair Transplant Grafts
- **The World Hair Society Scientific Studies (1998 – 2000)**
  - Comparisons, recipient sites, magnification, donor area etc.
- **Burroughs Wellcome Research Grant (1991)**
  - ”Epidemiology of Androgenetic Alopecia”

- **Lexington International, LLC**
  - “A Randomized, Double-blind Clinical Trial to Evaluate the Safety and Efficacy of the Hairmax Lasercomb for the Treatment of Androgenetic Alopecia in Females”
- “Evaluation of the Use of Epinephrine in Hair Restoration Surgery”
- “Low Intensity Laser Therapy vs. Placebo on Wound Healing After Hair Transplant Surgery. A Multicenter Study.”
- “A Prospective, Randomized, Double-blind Clinical Comparison Between Low-level Diode Laser and Sham Therapy on Hair Growth in Men With Androgenetic Alopecia. A Multicenter Study.”
- “Graft Density Survival Study”
- “Graft Angulation Study”
- “Follicular Regeneration – The Use of Bisected Hair Grafts in the Hairline”
- “Comparison Between the Use of the Impulsive Force Graft Cutter and the Dissecting Stereo-microscope”
- “Comparison of Growth in Intact Follicular Units versus Non-intact Follicular Units”
- “Donor Site Closure – Sutures vs. Staples”
- “Obtaining Hair Grafts with the Stereo-microscope versus with Magnifying Loupes”

### **TEXTBOOKS AND CHAPTERS:**

- “Arteriovenous fistula following hair transplantation,” Bernstein, J, Podnos, S, Leavitt, M, Journal of Dermatologic Surgery, 2011 June, 37 (6) : 873-5.
- Hair Transplantation 5<sup>th</sup> Edition; (in publishing 2010-2011); Unger, Walter
  - “Anatomy of the Scalp”
  - “Non-Physician Interviews
  - “Building and Promoting Your Practice”
- Clinical Drug Investigation Journal, 2009
  - “Double-blind Efficacy Trial of HairMax LaserComb Laser Phototherapy Device in the Treatment of Male Androgenetic Alopecia”.
- Lasers: DiBernardo, Barry, Pozner, Jason (2008)
  - “LLLT and Hair Loss”
- Facial Plastic Surgery Journal: Rousso, D. (editor), 2008
  - “Women and Hair Loss”

- Drugs in Dermatology Journal, 2008
  - “Double Blind Efficacy Trial of HairMax LaserComb® Laser Therapy Device in the Treatment of Male Androgenetic Alopecia”, Leavitt, MLL,DO; Charles, G,DO; Heyman, E, Phd; Michaels, David, BS
- ESHRS Article
  - “Beyond Patient Care: Attaining and Maintaining Patient Loyalty (Winter 2005)
- Hair Replacement: Stough, Dow (2006)
  - “Follicle Facts”
  - “Hair transplant Results”
- Effects of Finasteride (1 mg) on Hair Transplant. [Journal Article] *Dermatologic Surgery*. 31(10):1268-76, 2005 Oct.
- Women and Hair Loss (2005)
- Hair Transplantation, 4<sup>th</sup> Edition (2001), Unger, Walter
  - “Anatomy and Histology of the Scalp”
  - “Consultant”
- The Use of a Computerized Anesthesia System in Hair Restoration [Journal Article] *Hair Transplant Forum International Aug/Sept 2001 No. 4, Vol. 11*
- Clinical Update on Research Studies Performed at the WHS/ISHRS Live Surgery Workshop [Journal Article] *International Journal of Cosmetic Surgery and Aesthetic Dermatology Jun 2001, Vol. 3, No. 2: 135-149*
- Hair Growth Control and Current Research [Journal Article] *Hair Transplant Forum International May/June 2001 No. 3, Vol. 11*
- Hair Replacement: Surgical and Medical, Stough, Dow (1996)
  - “Corrective Surgery”

**SCIENTIFIC PAPERS/GUEST LECTURES AND INTERVIEWS/MEDIA:**

**SCIENTIFIC PAPERS/GUEST LECTURES**

- **Orlando Dermatology (ODAC)**  
Botox, Juvederm lecture to National Residents and Demo **1/2012**
- **University of Central Florida**  
Hair Disorders **1/2012**
- **Physicians Training – Allergan**  
Botox, Juvederm, Latisse **11/2011**
- **Physicians Training – Allergan**  
Botox, Juvederm, Latisse **9/11**
- **Physicians Training – Allergan** **5/11**

Botox, Juvederm, Latisse

- **Physicians Training – Medicis** 1/11  
Dysport, Restylane
  
- **Grand Rounds Dermatology Residents University of Florida** 1/2011  
**Psoriasis, Female Hair Loss – Abbott Labs**
  
- **Plastic Surgeons Lecture – Allergan** 11/2010  
Botox, Latisse, Juvederm
  
- **Dermatology Lecture – Allergan** 11/2010  
Botox, Latisse, Juvederm
  
- **Primary Physicians Lecture – Abbott** 11/2010  
Psoriasis
  
- **Patient Education Lecture – Abbott** 11/2010  
Psoriasis
  
- **Live Surgery Workshop** 4/2010  
Introduction  
Womens' Hair Loss  
Pearls  
Pre-Op / Post-Op  
Zipper Closure  
Rotor Device  
Recipient Sites  
Eyelashes – Bimatoprost  
Lotions and Potions
  
- **ISHRS** 4/2010  
Basics Lecture Introduction
  
- **Florida Society Dermatology Physician Assistants** 4/2010  
Toxins, Fillers, Bimatoprost  
Women's Hair Loss
  
- **ABHRS** 1/2010  
Hair Loss Medical Treatment Options  
Masters' Panel
  
- **University of Florida Residents Grand Rounds - Abbott** 12/2009  
Psoriasis  
Women's Hair Loss
  
- **ISHRS Regional Workshop – Israel** 11/2009  
Recipient Sites



## Women's Hair Loss

- **Cosmetic Dermatology** **6/2009**  
“Effective Therapeutic Options in Treatment of Androgenetic Alopecia”
- **Clinical Drug Investigations** **4/2009**  
“Double-Blind Efficacy Trial of HairMax LaserComb Laser Phototherapy Device in Treatment of Male Androgenetic Alopecia’
- **Dermatology University – P. A. Meeting** **4/2009**  
Female Hair Loss  
Hair Loss Treatment: Medical and Surgical
- **Live Surgery Workshop** **4/2009**  
Introduction  
Female Hair Loss  
Donor Closure  
Pearls World Class
- **University of Florida Gainesville Residents Ground Rounds** **3/2009**  
Hair Loss Treatments: Medical and Surgical
- **Young & Motivated (Orlando)** **6/2008**
  - Leadership Training Course – Instructor and Moderator
- **Live Surgery Workshop** **4/2008**
  - Introduction
  - Female Consultation
  - Cosmetic Donor Closure
  - Recipient Sites
  - Laser Hair Loss Therapy
  - Surgery Coordinator Female
  - Surgery Coordinator Crown
- **ISHRS Video (for website)** **4/2008**
- **ISHRS Video Surgery for Annual Meeting (Montreal)** **4/2008**
  - Female Case
- **ISHRS Annual Meeting (Las Vegas)** **10/2007**
  - Medical Therapies and Cosmetic Items for Treatment of the Appearance of Thinning Hair
  - Optimum Cosmesis Panel
  - Surgical Case Presentations
  - Recreating the Hairline and Crown
  - Live Surgery Coordinator and Surgeon
- **Live Surgery Workshop** **3/2007**
  - Introduction
  - Pearls on Providing a World Class Surgical Experience

- Panel #1 Consultation/Setting the Right Expectations and Maximizing Patient Education
- Panel #4 Follicular Unit Extraction
- Audience Coordinator – Follicular Unit Extraction
- Panel #7 Special cases #1 – Female Patient
- Panel #10 Hair Loss-Medical treatment options and lotions and potions – Lotions and Potions
- Panel #11 Laser Therapy – Hair Loss and Laser Therapy
- Orlando 2006 Studies – Moderator and Introduction
- Surgical Coordinator - OR Female Case
- Panel #12 Difficult cases, Complications and Conflict Resolution – Conflict Resolution
  
- **American Society Hair Restoration Surgeons Meeting** **1/2007**
  - “Trendy Non-Surgical Hairloss Remedies”
  
- **American Academy of Dermatology Annual Meeting** **1/2007**
  - “Non-Surgical Treatments of Hair Loss
  
- **ISHRS 14<sup>th</sup> Annual Scientific Meeting** **10/2006**
  - Recorded Lecture – HRS Patient Consultation: Ethics, Expectations and Patient Selection
  - Hair Loss Therapy: Are Lasers a Light at the End of the Tunnel?
  - Lotions and Potions: An Update on the Trend Non-Surgical Products for Hair Loss
  - Women and Hair Loss: A New Algorithm for Treatment and Diagnosis
  - Orlando Live Surgery Workshop Follow Up
  - Host to Live Surgery Observational Workshop
  - Marketing/Practice Management (USA)
  - Establishing a Practice & Marketing
  - Setting up a Practice – Things You Need to Know
  - Setting up the Practice – What You Need to know
  - Should Alopecia Reductions be Closed to the Midline?
  
- **Live Surgery Workshop** **3/2006**
  - Introduction
  - Pearls on Providing a World Class Surgical Experience
  - Surgical coordinator for Follicular Unit transplantation
  - Moderator for Hairline Design
  - Moderator for Orlando 2005 Studies
  - Surgical coordinator for Female e case
  - Surgical coordinator for Crown case
  
- **ASHRS Meeting - Orlando** **1/2006**
  - How to Add Hair Restoration into Your Practice
  
- **Symposium on Clinical Interventions in Aging and Charter Member’s Meeting International Society for Applied Research in Aging - Tampa**
  - “The Effect of Finasteride (1 mg) on Hair Transplantation” **10/2005**
  
- **ISHRS Annual Scientific Meeting** **10/ 2005**
  - Recap: Orlando LSW

- Live Surgery observational workshops
- **ISHRS Annual Scientific Meeting - Sydney** **8/2005**
  - Recap: Orlando LSW
  - Basics in Hair Restoration Surgery Course – “Giving the Patient a “World Class” Experience”
  - Workshop 104: Marketing and Ethics
- **Live Surgery Workshop** **3/2005**
  - Introduction
  - Pearls on Providing a World Class Surgical Experience
  - Surgical Coordinator for Follicular Unit transplantation
  - Surgical Coordinator for a young patient
  - Q&A panel
  - Moderator for Hair Loss in Women
  - Surgical Coordinator for the female case
- **ISHRS Annual Scientific Meeting - Vancouver** **8/2004**
  - Pills and thrills: Medical Update
  - Lotions and Potions redux
  - Ethnic and Gender Variations – Diagnosing Hair Loss in Women
  - Live patient viewing
  - 2004 Orlando LSW follow up studies
  - Potpourri Part II – peals on providing a world class surgical experience and attaining patient loyalty
- **ESHRS - European Journal** **2004**
  - “LSW 10<sup>th</sup> Anniversary
- **Live Surgery Workshop** **3/2004**
  - Beginners Program
  - History: 10 Years
- **Live Surgery Workshop** **3/2003**
  - Introduction
  - Mentor program – assign to individuals combo surgery 800-1000 grafts
  - Panel discussions – office set up/faculty design
  - Recipient site
  - Follicular unit/micro
  - Research study 3-4
  - Special cases – female; pediatric cased in hair restoration
  - Research case intro
  - Female surgery 700-800 grafts
  - Orlando 2002 studies
  - Panel – instruments
- **Dow Stough Course Lecture** **1/ 2003**
  - “The New Minde”
- **Botox Training and Lecture** **1/ 2003**

- **Teachers Program Mexico** **2003**
  
- **ISHRS Annual Scientific Meeting** **10/ 2002**
  - 204: Medical and Surgical Treatment of Female Hair Loss
  - Crossfire – “Rebuttal”
  - Mergers and Acquisitions: What You Don’t Know
  - Trendy Non-Surgical Hair Loss Remedies
  - Road Blocks to Hair Loss – panel discussions: How We Incorporate Finasteride into our Practice”
  - Recap: Orlando LSW 2002 – The Orlando Experience: A Commitment to Clinical Research
  - Angle of implantation and growth and Density Survival Curve
  - Paper or Plastic? Synthetic Solutions – Patients: Treatment and Results
  - Open sessions: LSW for Beginners
  - Potpourri I – cross hatching: The Next generation
  
- **Merck Advisory Board – Hair Transplant Surgeons** **8/2002**
  - “Effects of Finasteride on Hair Transplant Patients”
  - “Hair Restoration Mission”
  
- **Live Surgery Workshop** **3/2002**
  - Beginner’s Workshop – introduction
  - Mentor Program – combo Surgery 600-800 graft follicular units/mini-grafts cut to size; microscope, loupes, crosshatching (Leavitt) slot punch, 18 gauges, sharp pint, sp 90-91
  - Establishing /Marketing a Practice
  - Moderator for Panel Program #5 – recipients sites
  - Moderator for Panel program #2 – Hair Loss in Women
  - Scientific study #2 – differences between hair follicles planted sagittally compared in tangentially
  - Corrective Surgery
  - Research – surgery #8 600-800 grafts
  - Orlando 2001 studies intro
  - Special considerations – corrective surgery
  
  - Hair Loss Symposium – Medicine and Transplantation
  - What is new? Leavitt Minde Blade
  - Exhibits – slot correction
  - Surgery 13 – Female follicular unit transplantation 600-800 grafts
  
- **Live Workshop** **3/2002**
  - Beginners Workshop Intro
  
- **Botox National Training** **1/2002**
  
- **National Hair Journal** **2002**
  - “National Hair Hour”
  
- **ESHRS London** **2002**
  
- **Online Meeting – Dr. Puig** **2002**

- **LSW Hair Counselors** **2002**
- **Teachers Meeting Guadalajara** **2002**
- **Merck** **2002**
  - Advisory Board Meeting in Dallas
  - Presentation to Derotologists
- **AOCD Mid-Year Meeting** **2/2001**
  - Treatment Modalities for Hair Loss
- **Men’s Health** **3/2001**
  - “Cosmetic Surgery”
- **EHRS**
  - Hair Transplantation of the 21<sup>st</sup> Century **4/2000**
  - Successful Practice Leveraging Botox for facial enhancement
  - AAFPRS Spring Meeting: Hair Restoration Surgery: Achieving Elegant Results **5/2001**
- **Los Angeles UCLA, Modern Hair Loss Treatment Options** **5/2001**
- **Merck Advisory Board** **5/2001**
  - Palm Springs, CA, “Surgical Treatment for Male Pattern Hair Loss”
  - University of Las Vegas, Nevada, “Hair Loss Treatment Options”
- **Korea** **4/2001**
  - Anatomy Essentials
- **Merck Advisory Board, North Carolina Meeting** **4/2001**
- **Merck Advisory Board, Dallas Meeting** **4/2001**
  - Marketing Hair Loss Treatment Options
- **Merck Consultant Meeting – Tucson, AZ** **2/2001**
- **Live Surgery Workshop** **2/2001**
  - Essentials of Setting up a Practice for Hair Restoration Surgery
- **Cancun – AOCD “Treatment Modalities for Hair Loss”** **2/2001**
- **Merck Consultant Meeting - Lake Tahoe, NV** **2/2001**
  - Presentation to Dermatology
- **Merck Advisory Board, Orlando, FL** **2/2001**
  - Presentation to Family Practice Physicians
- **Merck – Special** **1/2001**
  - Presentation to Dermatology
- **Allergan Botox National Training,** **2000**

- Educational CD Rom for Physicians
- **American Board of Hair Restoration Surgery** **2000**
  - Hair Loss Anatomy Physiology
- **Merck SE District Meeting – Presentation** **6/2000**
  - Open Forum: How to Reach the Patient (or the Emotional Component)
- **American Academy of Facial Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery – Presentation** **5/2000**
  - Hair Restoration Surgery: Achieving Elegant Results
- **The National Hair Journal – interview** **1999**
- **P.O.V. (Point of View), New York – Article** **1999**
  - “The Bald-Faced Truth”
- **CME – AA (Merck)** **12/1998**
- **European Academy of Cosmetic Surgery - London, England** **1999 - 2002**
  - Hair Transplantation for Beginners
- **CME – AA (Merck)** **3/1998**
  - D Hair Institute – Athens, Greece **1998**
    - Future of Hair Transplantation Video Microscope, Graftcyte
  - Hair Transplant Forum – Presentation **4/1998**
    - GraftCyte
- **Anti-Aging Conference – Las Vegas, NV** **1998**
  - Advances in Rejuvenation
- **American Academy of Cosmetic Surgery** **1998**
  - Global Convocation in Hair Restoration
  - Essentials in Hair Restoration
- **International Journal of Cosmetic Surgery** **1998**
  - “Technological Advances In Hair Restoration: An Examination of the Role of the Video Microscope”
  - “Clinical Evaluation of GraftCyte Moist Dressings on Hair Graft Viability and Quality of Healing”
- **The American Academy of Aesthetic and Restorative Surgery** **11/1997**
  - Presentation on Hair Restoration
- **Alopecia** **3/1996**
- **The D.O, Orlando, Florida – Article** **2/1996**
- **CME Program** **1996**
  - Florida Hospital Resident Program

- Pigmented Lesion
- International Journal of Aesthetic and Restorative Surgery, Vol. 3, Number 2 **1996**
- **New Image – International Hair Replacement Conference** **11/1995**
  - Presentation
- **American Academy of Aesthetic and Restorative Surgery – Presentation** **11/1995**
  - Essentials of Starting a Hair Transplant Practice
- **American Academy of Aesthetic and Restorative Surgery – Presentation** **11/1995**
  - Scalp Reduction Presentation
- **Heath & Fitness, The Grand Rapids Press, Michigan – Article** **6/1995**
  - Mirror Reveals the Bald Truth About Hairline
- **Essentials of Establishing Hair Transplantation Practice** **5/1995**
  - Cosmetic Dermatology
- **American Association of Hair Restoration Surgery - Los Angeles, CA** **1995**
  - Women in Hair Loss
- **International Journal of Aesthetic and Restorative Surgery**
  - “Scalp Reductions”, A Moderate Approach to Obtain **1995**
  - Consistent Success”.
  - “Essentials in Establishing Hair Restoration Cosmetic Dermatology
- **CME Vail – ORMC** **1995**
  - Hair Loss
- **CME - Florida Hospital** **1995**
- **World Congress on Hair Restoration** **1994**
  - San Salvador
- **JAOA**
  - “Cutaneous Immunopathology of Androgenetic **1991**
  - Alopecia”
  - “Local Anesthetics.” **1990**
  - “A Review of Systemic Antipruritic Medication.” **1990**
  - “Immunologic Spectrum of Vasculitis.” **1989**
  - “Gram Negative Infections in Dermatology.” **1989**
  - “Androgenetic Alopecia: A Review of the Literature.” **1989**
  - “Systemic and Topical Corticosteroids in Dermatology.” **1989**
  - “Glycogen Metabolism of the Skin.” **1988**
  - “Genodermatosis: Tumors, Cysts and Nevi.” **1988**
  - “A Selective Review of Xanthomas and their Relationship to Dyslipoproteinemias.” **1988**
  - “Isolation of Basic Myelin Protein and its Biochemical Reactivity.” **1981**
  - “Sarcoidosis: A Selective Review.” **1981**
- **Dermatology Times of Canada** **1994**
  - Article on presentation, “Essentials of Setting up a Hair Transplant Practice”
  - How to set up a practice

- **Live Workshop, Program Chair** **1995-2002**
  - Establishing/Marketing a Practice **2000**
  - Setting up a Hair Restoration Practice **1999**
  - Essentials of Setting up a Practice for Hair Restoration Surgery **1998**
  - Corrective Surgery **1997**
  - Clinical Evaluation of GraftCyte Moist Dressings in **1997**
  - Hair Transplant Surgery: Effects of Treatment of Telogen
  - Effluvium and Health
  - Scalp Reductions **1996**
  - Scalp Reductions, Extensions, Flaps **1995**
  
- **International Society of Hair Restoration Surgery Presentations** **2000 - 2005**
  - Marketing/Practice Management (USA) **2000**
  - Establishing a Practice & Marketing **1999**
  - Setting up a Practice – Things You Need to Know **1998**
  - Setting up the Practice – What You Need to know **1997**
  - Should Alopecia Reductions be Closed to the Midline? **1996**

## INTERVIEWS/MEDIA

LA Times (2/12)  
 “Healthy Hair”

Fox News Website (10-10)  
 “Benefits and Risks of Finasteride in Balding Men”

Reuters News Wire (10-10)  
 “Benefits and Risks of Finasteride in Balding Men”

Baruch University Article (10-10)  
 “Dermagenoma: Acne Dx, Hair Dx, Psoriasis Dx, Cellulite Dx”

Hairline Spa (10-10)  
 “Balding Patterns Characterized in the Norwood Classification”

Orlando Business Journal (9-10)  
 “Business Fights Proposed Increase in Capital Gains”

Cosmetic Dermatology (6/2009)  
 “Effective Therapeutic Options in Treatment of Androgenetic Alopecia”

Delicious Living Magazine (6/2009)  
 “Natural Hair Loss Remedies”

Clinical Drug Investigations (4/2009)  
 “Double-Blind Efficacy Trial of HairMax LaserComb Laser Phototherapy Device in Treatment of Male Androgenetic Alopecia”

New Beauty Magazine (3/09)



Men's Health section

New Beauty Magazine (Summer 09)  
Men's Health Section

Orlando Sentinel (5/2008)  
"Sun's Kiss Isn't Always Sweet"

Fox News Orlando 35  
"Old Makeup Bad Makeup" (2/2008)

Today's Black Woman  
"Hair I Am" (9/2007)

National Geographic Society Magazine  
Hairmax LaserComb (8/2007)

NBC I Village (5/2007)  
Adult Acne

Orlando Business Journal (5/4-10/07)  
Hard to Part With

Lasercomb Press Reception / Spokesperson (3/2007)  
New York, New York

Orlando Business Journal (4/27-5/3/07)  
Leavitt Cos. Unveils Prototype

Newsday (3/2007)  
Lasercomb

WebMD (3/2007)  
Women and Thinning Hair

CBS News (3/2007)  
[Lasercomb / Hair Loss solutions](#)

Hamptons.com (3/2007)  
[Lasercomb / Hair Loss solutions](#)

WENN New York (3/2007)  
[Lasercomb / Hair Loss solutions](#)

Washington Post (2/2007)  
Laser Comb, FDA Clearance

Associated Press (2/2007)  
HairMax LaserComb

USA Today (2/2007)

Lasers for hair loss

Healthy Aging Magazine (July/August 2007)  
“Hair Loss Treatments: Follicles, Facts, Figures, Frauds”

Orlando Sentinel (11/7/06)  
On Alert for Shingles

Dallas KRLD interview (11/2/06)  
Texas Rangers

Interview with Real Radio 104.1 (10/30/06)  
Hair Loss

Fox 35 Interview (7/18/06)  
Lift Fusion vs. Fillers/Botox

Vogue for Men (March/April 2006)  
“New Innovations on Hair Loss”

First for Women (3/20096)  
“Benefits of Honey for Skin and Hair”

OTC Magazine (2/2006)  
The Effect of Birth Control and Menopause on Hair Loss

Men’s Vogue – Interview (1/2006)

Broad-based Interview (11/2005)  
Home Remedy/Beauty and Skin Care Corrections

New York Times Interview (11/2005)  
Propecia vs. Proscar

Baltimore Sun Interview (11/2005)  
Quotes from Dr. Leavitt and patient on giving gift certificates for cosmetic procedures

SpaTalk L.A. Interview (11/2005)  
Women and Hair Loss

OTC Beauty Interview (w/Jennifer Maciejewski) (11/2005)  
Multicultural focus on beauty

New York Times Interview (10/2005)

Beautiful Magazine  
Advanced Board (10/2005)

H Magazine – The Pulse of Today’s Health  
Hair Today, Gone Tomorrow (8/2005)

Penn & Teller -- Season Three -- "Hair" July 2005

CFN 13 -- Feb. 16, 2005 -- To Your Health -- "Female Hair Transplants"

Ladies Home Journal Online -- April 25, 2005 -- "Solutions for Women's Hair Loss"

More Magazine Online -- April 25, 2005 -- "Solutions for Women's Hair Loss"

Bay News Nine (Tampa) -- March 28, 2005 -- Health Team 9 -- "Female Hair Loss"

Dermatology Times -- March 2005 -- "Derm Writes Book on Hair Transplantation"

Daytona Beach News Journal -- May 8, 2005 -- Front Page Business Section -- "Dermatological Divide"

National Hair Journal (2004 – 2005)

Brandweek -- January 4, 2005 -- "Medical Hair Restoration Wants Business to Grow"

Powernomics Radio Network -- The Tom Pope Show -- Discussion on Hair Loss -- Emphasis on African-American Hair Loss

WKMG -- March 15, 2004 -- "Baldness Breakthrough"

Orlando Sentinel/South Florida Sun-Sentinel/Sun-Sentinel -- January 20, 2004 -- "NURSES PUSH TO PRESCRIBE PAINKILLERS"

Exploring Botox Neurotoxin Type A for Foc Conf Allergan (1/2004)

Cargo Magazine -- Premiere Issue -- "Turn Up the Volume" (2004)

Skin & Aging Magazine - June 2003 -- "Hair Loss Lotions & Potions"

Cosmetic Surgery Times -- June 2003 -- Profile of Dr. Leavitt

Washington Post -- June 2003 - "Consumer Activism"

South Bend Tribune (Indiana) -- February 26, 2003 -- "Growing phenomenon; As they age, 30-40 percent of women will confront hair loss and the feelings that go with it"

Skin & Aging (3/2003)

“A Word of Caution”

Fox News (2003)

Spray Tanning

Orlando Sentinel -- October 2, 2002 -- "COSMETIC SURGERY CHAIN GETS LIFT FROM BABY BOOMERS"

Ivanhoe Broadcast Show Transcript

2003

MD TV

Dr. Leavitt

2003

Fox News Victor Scott	2002
“Surgical Hair Restoration” The National Hair Journal	7/2001
“Small Incisions Make a Big Difference in Hair Restoration” Cosmetic Surgery Times	6/2001
Live Surgery Talkshop The National Hair Journal	5/2001
CBS News – Orlando Botox New Application	5/2001
CBS News – Miami Hair Transplants	5/2001
San Francisco Stanford residents, Modern Hair Loss Treatment Options UCSF, Modern Hair Loss Treatment Options	5/2001
Talk Radio – KNRV/KIEV San Francisco/San Jose	5/2001
Fox News – Orlando Tanning Beds	4/2001
GTA Today – Article “Cover Up: Lack of Hair Today can Be Gone Tomorrow	8/2000
Insidecentralflorida.com Live Chat with Dr. Leavitt	4/2000
America’s Health Network/Cable: Hair Loss in Women	1999
America’s Health Network/Cable: Hair Transplants	1999
740 WWNZ Vacation Time, The Radio Show	6/1998
ABC, Channel 9 Anna Gibbs - Interview Propecia	3/1998
CBS, The Early Show, Interview – Live Surgery Workshop	3/1998
National Association of Cosmetic Video	1998
The Orlando Sentinel, Florida – Article Cancer Survivor Celebrates Life with New Tresses	4/1997
Channel 6 – film live scalp reduction	4/1997
Parents’ Magazine (Child Health & Safety section) interview	5/1996

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Parents': "Can hairdos cause hair loss?"	5/1996
Orlando Business Journal, by Lisa Glass "More Women are Combating Thinning Hair With Transplants"	4/1996
Playboy: "Great Head"	3/1996
KRON-TV, NBC Network affiliate, San Francisco Hair Loss in Women	11/1995
International Herald Tribune: Short Takes on "American Topics"	11/1995
Forbes, Alexandra Aleger "Nipping and Tucking"	11/1995
Las Vegas Magazine, Lili Liitner "The Miracle of Hair Restoration"	9/1995
The Miami Herald Hair repair: For victims of botched transplants, every day is a bad hair day	9/1995
Las Vegas Review Journal Gone Today, Hair Tomorrow	9/1995
KVBC-TV, NBC – Las Vegas Interview, taping, on presentation on Scalp reductions, and on Mega Sessions	9/1995
American Baby Magazine: "Hair-Say: Hair, Hair and More HAIR"	Fall 1995
Today's Family Health "Hair-Say": Hair, Hair, and More Hair	Fall 1995
WFTS-TV ABC, Tampa Interview John Vincent	6/1995
Central Florida Business – Article Surgeons Share Tips on Hair Transplants	5/1995
WQEX TV interview, Pittsburgh	2/1995
KCBS Television interview, Los Angeles – Women and Hair Loss	1/1995
KTTV-TV, FOX	1/1995
WPLG-TV (ABC), Miami	1/1995
WOOD-TV, Channel 8 Grand Rapids Press, Interview	

Medical/Health Reporter	
WFTV Barbara West, two-part story Corrective Hair Restoration	1/1995
Pittsburgh Post-Gazette	1/1995
Christina Show, Univision – Miami,FL Hair Transplant Method	1/1995
Orlando Business Journal – Interview (Health Care Edition)	11/1994
Sanford Herald, Sanford, Florida: “Women learn beauty, health tips”	10/1994
Southside Business Spotlight: “Do your homework before choosing a hair transplant surgeon”, Sanford, FL	10/1994
Midwest Magazine; MuscleMag: “HAIR-SAY: Questions and Answers for the Balding Man Thinking About Hair Transplants”	9/1994
Toronto - CBLT-TV Interview with Brenda Craig, National Health/Medical Reporter	9/1994
Radio Station interview with Paul Taylor, Toronto Globe & Mail	9/1994
CITY-TV, interview with Judy Haladay, Health/Medical Editor	9/1994
Muscle Magazine Hair Say, Questions and Answers for the Balding Man	9/1994
Living in Greater Orlando Facial Rejuvenation Through Cosmetic Surgery	5/1994
Midwest Muscle Hair Say	5/1994
Midwest Muscle Magazine	4/1994
WGN Radio Spike O’Dell interview	3/1994
Americas Health Network, Ask the Family Physician	3/1994
Parillos Performance Press “Hair-Say”	1994
DeBary/Deltona Rotary Club Pigmented Lesion	1994
HRS – San	1994

## Women's Clubs, Skin/Cosmetic Surgery Care

Your Health, Tallahassee, Florida – Article

Living in Orlando Magazine

Facial Rejuvenation through Cosmetic Surgery

### **CHARITABLE ORGANIZATIONS**

Co-Sponsor of Annual Celebrity Golf Tournament with David Maus Foundation Benefitting Crohn's & Colitis Foundation, Ronald McDonald House Orlando, Florida	2006-Present
Crohn's & Colitis Foundation Chairman Take Steps Organization Committee Orlando, Florida	2009-Present
Chairman of Business, Medical and Industrial Meet & Greet Orlando, Florida	2010
Crohn's & Colitis Foundation Fishing Tournament, Islamorada, Florida	2008-Present

### **EDUCATIONAL ADDENDA I:**

*Chemical Peels, Collagen, Skin Cancer. Mark Rubin, MD; Racho Santa Fe, California.  
November 21, 1989.*

*Facelift, Blepharoplasty, Facial Liposuction, Body Liposuction, Mentoplasty, Malar Implants, Buccal Fat Pad Extraction. Harrison  
Robbins, MD; San Diego, California. November 16, 20 – 23, 1989.*

*Blepharoplasty, Liposuction. Maurice Sherman, MD; Oceanside, California. November 17, 1989.*

*Liposuction, chemical Peel, Lipo Injection, Collagen, Sclerotherapy, Facelift. Saul Asken, MD; Westport, Connecticut. June 12 – 16,  
1989.*

*Face Lift, Blepharoplasty, Rhinoplasty, Facial Liposuction, Collagen, Scar Revision, Micro-Lipo Injection, Scalp Reduction,  
Otoplasty. William Beeson, MD; Indianapolis, Indiana. June 5 – 10, 1989.*

*Hair Transplantation, Scalp Reduction, Collagen, Micro-Lipo injection. Thomas Alt, MD; Minneapolis, Minnesota. May 31, 1989 –  
June 2, 1989.*

*Blepharoplasty, Scar Revision, Dermabrasion. Gregory Roche, DO; Detroit, Michigan.  
February 27 – 28, 1989.*

*Blepharoplasty, Scar Revision, Dermabrasion. Gregory Roche, DO; Detroit, Michigan.  
February 27 – 28, 1989.*

*Hair Transplantation. Scalp Reduction. Martin Tessler, MD; Detroit, Michigan. February 24, 1989.*

*Liposuction. Joseph Stern, MD; Detroit, Michigan. February 20 – 24, 1989.*

*Face Lift, Otoplasty, Mentoplasty, Blepharoplasty, Rhinoplasty, Liposuction. John Drammis, MD; Chicago, Illinois. February 13, 1989.*

*Hair Transplantation, Scalp Reduction. Michael Elliott, MD; Chicago, Illinois. February 11 – 16, 1989.*

*Dermabrasion, Hair Transplantation. Bernard Pinski, MD; Chicago, Illinois. February 10, 1989.*

*Blepharoplasty, Face Lift, Breast Augmentation, Breast Reduction, Breast Reconstruction, Otoplasty, Mentoplasty, Micro-Lipo Injection. Tissue Expansion, Collagen, Sclerotherapy, Body Liposuction. Richard Caleel, DO; Chicago, Illinois. February 6 – 18, 1989.*

*Chemical Peel, Collagen, Fibril, Excisional Surgery. William Elstein, MD; Sarasota, Florida. November 18 – 25, 1988.*

*Hair Transplantation. Leonard Lewis, MD; Miami, Florida. November 17, 1988.*

*Fibril, Collagen, Dermabrasion, Flap Surgery, Sclerotherapy, Chemical Peels, Hair Transplantation, Scalp Reduction. Steve Mandy, MD; Miami, Florida. November 6 – 18, 1988.*

*Face Lift, Blepharoplasty, Rhinoplasty, Facial Liposuction, Collagen Scar Revision, Micro-Lipo Injection, Scalp Reduction, Otoplasty. William Beeson, MD; Indianapolis, Indiana. July 18–29, 1988.*

*Collagen, Fibril, Punch Grafting, Chemical Peels, Excision, Sclerotherapy, Dermabrasion, Melvin Elson, MD; Nashville, Tennessee. July 6 – 17, 1988.*

*Mohs Chemosurgery, Skinflaps, Dermabrasion. H. Michael Duke, MD; Dayton, Ohio. May 1 – 31, 1988.*

*Hair Transplantation, Scalp Reduction, Collagen, Chemical Peel, Sclerotherapy. Shelly Freidman, DO; Detroit, Michigan. February 1 – 27, 1988.*

*Hair Transplantation and Scalp Reduction. Shelly Freidman, DO; Detroit Michigan. July 1986 – July 1987.*

## **EDUCATIONAL ADDENDA II:**

*Dermatologic Surgery Course. American Academy of Dermatology. December 2 – 7, 1989.*

*Sclerotherapy, Silicone. American Osteopathic College of Dermatology, Dr. David Duffy. November 12 – 16, 1989.*

*4<sup>th</sup> Annual Dermatologic Surgery Seminar. University of Miami Northwestern. November 1 – 5, 1989.*

*Skin Flaps, Grafts. Ohio Dermatologic Society. September 22 – 24, 1989.*

*Cosmetic Surgery, Facial Plastic Surgery. AAFPRS Fifth International Symposium. June 25 –29, 1989.*

*World Congress on Abdominal, Breast and Extremity Contouring. American Academy of Cosmetic Surgery. June 23 – 25, 1989.*

*Evaluation of Cosmetic Surgery Patient. Wright State University, Albert Kligman, MD. April 18, 1989.*

*Dermatologic Surgery Courses. American Osteopathic College of Dermatology. December 7 – 8, 1988.*

*Advanced Dermatologic Surgery and other courses. American Academy of Dermatology Annual Meeting. December 3 – 6, 1988.*

*Chemical Peels, Flaps. University of Miami. November 17, 1988.*

*3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Dermatologic Surgery Seminar. University of Miami Northwestern. November 2 – 6, 1988.*



*Aging Skin. Ohio Dermatologic Society. September 17 – 18, 1988.*

*Liposuction and Fat Surgery. American Academy of Cosmetic Transplant Surgery, American Society of Liposuction. August 19 – 21, 1988.*

*Flaps and Scar Revision. William Beeson, MD. July 25 – 28, 1988.*

*2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Dermatologic Surgery Seminar. Nova Southeastern University. November 1 – 15, 1987.*

**HIGHER EDUCATION:**

1987 – 1990                      **Dermatology Residency – Academic Program**  
Wright State University School of Medicine  
Grandview/Southview Hospitals - *Chief Dermatology Resident*

1986 – 1987                      **Rotating Internship**  
Pontiac Osteopathic Hospital

1982 – 1986                      **Doctor of Osteopathy**  
Michigan State University  
College of Osteopathic Medicine  
*Scored in the Top Ten Percent*

1977 – 1981                      **University of Michigan - Bachelor of Science**  
Major: Pre-Medicine, Minor: Economics  
*Class Representative of the American Osteopathic Association*  
*Top 1/5 of Graduating Class*  
*Sigma Sigma Chi Fraternity for Academic Excellence*  
*Dean's List*  
*Athlete of the Year*  
*All Sports Trophy*