

**MEDICAL UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH CAROLINA
COLLEGE OF MEDICINE
CURRICULUM VITAE**

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EDUCATION:

1967-1970	B.A.	College of Charleston Charleston, South Carolina
1970-1974	M.D.	Medical University of South Carolina Charleston, South Carolina
1974-1975	Internship	Department of Internal Medicine Hospital of St. Raphael / Yale University New Haven, Connecticut
1977-1981	Residency	Department of Anatomic and Clinical Pathology Brown University Providence, Rhode Island
2007-present	Fellowship	AMA-Medical College of Wisconsin On-line Fellowship in Physician Ethics & Professionalism, Milwaukee, WI

SPECIALTY CERTIFICATIONS:

1986, 1996, 2006	Diplomate	American Board of Emergency Medicine No. 840682
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LICENSURE:

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FACULTY APPOINTMENTS:

2005-present	Assistant Professor	Department of Medicine Division of Emergency Medicine Medical University of South Carolina Charleston, SC
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2001 - 2005	Assistant Professor	Department of Anesthesia & Perioperative Medicine Division of Emergency Medicine Medical University of South Carolina
2000 - 2001	Instructor	Department of Anesthesia & Perioperative Medicine Division of Emergency Medicine Medical University of South Carolina Charleston, South Carolina
1997-2000	Clinical Instructor	Department of Emergency Medicine Medical University of South Carolina Charleston, South Carolina
1978-1981	Teaching Fellow Dept of Pathology	Brown University Providence, Rhode Island

HOSPITAL APPOINTMENTS:

1975-1977	General Medical Officer	U.S. Public Health Service Wilkes General Hospital North Wilkesboro, North Carolina
1981	Emergency Physician	National Emergency Services Douglas General Hospital Douglasville, Georgia
1981-1989	Emergency Physician	Clayton General Hospital Southern Regional Medical Center Riverdale, Georgia
1989-1995	Emergency Physician	Gwinnett Hospital System Lawrenceville, Georgia
1989-1995	Emergency Physician	Columbia-Parkway Medical Center Lithia Springs, Georgia
1990-1995	Emergency Physician	South Fulton Medical Center East Point, Georgia
1990-1995	Emergency Physician	Columbia-Eastside Medical Center Snellville, Georgia

1995-1997	Emergency Physician	EMSA / InPhyNet Charleston Naval Hospital Charleston, South Carolina
1997-Present	Emergency Physician	Department of Emergency Medicine Medical University of South Carolina & Charleston Memorial Hospital Charleston, South Carolina

ADMINISTRATIVE APPOINTMENTS:

1977 - 1981	Pathology Resident Conference Coordinator	Brown University Providence, Rhode Island
1981	Director CME Program	Brown University/Harvard School of Public Health Providence, Rhode Island
1980-1981	Assistant Medical Examiner	State of Rhode Island
1982	Medical Examiner	Cobb and DeKalb Counties, Georgia
1987-1989	Physician QA Coordinator	Emergency Department Clayton General Hospital Riverdale, Georgia
1987-1989	Assistant Medical Director	Clayton County EMS, Georgia
1992-1994	Medical Director	Atlanta South Ambulance Service East Point, Georgia

AWARDS, HONORS, MEMBERSHIP IN HONORARY SOCIETIES:

1974	Alpha Omega Alpha, honor medical fraternity
1980, 1983, 1987, 1990, 1994, 1997	Physician Recognition Awards, American Medical Association
1989-1993	Certificate of Completion, Education for Ministry, University of the South, Sewanee, Tennessee by extension to Episcopal Diocese of Atlanta
1999-2000	ACEP Teaching Fellowship, Dallas, Tx
2006	Nominee, Earl B. Higgins Diversity Award
2007	ACEP Advanced Teaching Fellowship, Albuquerque, NM

MEMBERSHIPS IN PROFESSIONAL /SCIENTIFIC SOCIETIES (INCLUDING OFFICES HELD):

1982-Present	Member, American College of Emergency Physicians,
1987-Present	Fellow, American College of Emergency Physicians,
2007-Present	Member, ACEP Ethics Committee
1998	Education Committee, South Carolina College of Emergency Physicians
1986-1993	Board of Directors, Georgia College of Emergency Physicians
	Immediate Past-President, 1991-1993
	President 1990-1991
	President-Elect 1989-1990
	Vice President 1988-1989
	Secretary-Treasurer 1987-1988
2003-Present	Society for Academic Emergency Medicine
2003-Present	South Carolina Medical Association
2007-Present	Member, SCMA Ethics Committee
2003-2007	National Association for Poetry Therapy
2003-Present	American Society for Bioethics and Humanities
2008	Society for Simulation in Healthcare

EDITORIAL POSITIONS:

1987-1988	Editor of EPIC, Georgia College of Emergency Physicians
1989-1992	
2007	Reviewer, American Journal of the Medical Sciences

ACADEMIC COMMITTEE ACTIVITIES:

1997-1999	Physician Liaison for Construction Project	Department of Emergency Medicine Medical University of South Carolina Charleston, SC
1998-1999	Grand Rounds Coordinator	Department of Emergency Medicine Medical University of South Carolina Charleston, SC
2000-2005	Disaster Committee	Department of Emergency Medicine Medical University of South Carolina Charleston, SC
2003-2005	Faculty Senate Alternate Senator Governance Committee	College of Medicine Medical University of South Carolina Charleston, SC
2005-2006	Faculty Senate	College of Medicine

	Senator Executive Committee Governance Committee, Chair	Medical University of South Carolina Charleston, SC
2006-2007	Faculty Senate Senator Vice-President Governance Committee, Co-Chair	College of Medicine Medical University of South Carolina Charleston, SC
2007-2009	Faculty Senate Senator President Ex-officio member, Senate Committees Dean's Council representative President's Council representative	College of Medicine Medical University of South Carolina Charleston, SC
2009	Council of Presidents of Faculty Senates Public Colleges and Universities of South Carolina member	
2003-Present	Admissions Committee Interviewer	College of Medicine Medical University of South Carolina Charleston, SC

MAJOR TEACHING RESPONSIBILITIES:

INVITED LECTURES

May 2005	SCCEP LLSA Review Charleston, SC	"Pediatric Pneumonia" "Emergency Department Pain Management"
Nov 2005	MUSC Dermatology Charleston, SC	"Ethics Consult Service: A Case Review"
May 2006	SCCEP LLSA Review Charleston, SC	"Cellulitis" "Doctors & Drug Companies"
April 2007	SCCEP LLSA Review Charleston, SC	"Blood Cultures & Cellulitis" "MRSA in ED"
Dec 2007	MUSC Surgery Charleston SC	"Grand Rounds – Ethics Panel: Pulling the Plug When There's No One To Consent"
Apr 2008	SCHEN Conference	"Futile Treatment Policies for the Carolinas"

Columbia, SC

Jul 2008	SC DHEC Region 7 Hospital Sub-Group	“Clinical Rationing Ethical Model”
Aug 2008	MUSC Surgery Charleston SC	“Grand Rounds – Ethics Panel: Withdrawing Life-Support When Families Can’t Agree”
Oct 2008	SCCEP LLSA Review Charleston, SC	“Wait & See Prescriptions for Otitis Media” “Broslow Tape & Resuscitation”
Oct 2008	SC DHEC / SCHA Columbia, SC	“MUH Ethics Committee Disaster Triage Policy”
Feb 2009 (sched)	SCMA Bioethics Retreat Hilton Head, SC	“Disaster Triage Policy during Pandemic Influenza”
Mar 2009 (sched)	Secular Humanists of Lowcountry Charleston SC	“Medical Bioethics”
May 2009 (sched)	SCPHA (public health) 2009 Annual Meeting Myrtle Beach, SC	“Ethics Issues in Clinical Practice during Pandemic” – panel & townhall meeting

GRADUATE MEDICAL EDUCATION

1997 - Present	Bedside Teaching and Didactic Lectures	Medical University of South Carolina Charleston, South Carolina
1999-2002	Parallel Curriculum Student Examination	Medical University of South Carolina Charleston, South Carolina
2003-Present	Introduction to Clinical Ethics (MS II)	Medical University of South Carolina Charleston, South Carolina
2009	Intro to Clinical Reasoning & Evidence-Based Medicine (MS II)	Medical University of South Carolina Charleston, South Carolina
2005-2006	Physical Diagnosis (MS II)	Medical University of South Carolina Charleston, South Carolina
2007-2008	Physical Diagnosis (MS I)	Medical University of South Carolina Charleston, South Carolina
2006-Present	EmergMed Selective (MS-3)	Medical University of South Carolina Charleston, South Carolina
2004-2007	EmergMed/Critical Care	Medical University of South Carolina

	(MS IV)	Charleston, South Carolina
2007- present	EmergMed elective (MS IV)	Medical University of South Carolina Charleston, South Carolina
2007-2008	EM residency Grand Rounds Coordinator	Medical University of South Carolina Charleston, South Carolina
2008	EM Residency Simulation Lab Coordinator	Medical University of South Carolina Charleston, South Carolina
2008-present	* animal labs & TACT training	
2008	EM Residency EPEC curriculum WebCT coordination	Medical University of South Carolina Charleston, South Carolina
2006	Pitts Lectures: Religion, Cultures, East West - Bioethics session moderator	Medical University of South Carolina Charleston, South Carolina
2007	Pitts Lectures: Industry Relations with Health Professionals – session moderator	Medical University of South Carolina Charleston, South Carolina
2008	Pitts Lectures: Conundrums & Controversies in Mental Health & Illness – session moderator	Medical University of South Carolina Charleston, South Carolina
2008-present	Charleston School of Law / MUSC Healthcare and Bioethics seminar proctor for shadowing	Medical University of South Carolina Charleston, South Carolina

CONTINUING MEDICAL EDUCATION

1984-2000	ACLS Instructor
1986-1995	ACLS Affiliate Faculty (GA)
2002	AHLS, Instructor
2003-2006	ACLS, Instructor
2008-present	EPEC-EM Trainer (Feb 2008, New Orleans, LA)

HOSPITAL COMMITTEE ACTIVITIES:

2006-present	Ethics Committee Chair	Medical University Hospital Authority Charleston, South Carolina
2006-present	Ethics Committee Policy subcommittee Chair	Medical University Hospital Authority Charleston, South Carolina

2003-2006	Ethics Committee Education Subcommittee	Medical University Hospital Authority Charleston, South Carolina
2003-Present	Ethics Consult Service Chair 2007-present	Medical University Hospital Authority Charleston, South Carolina
2002-2005	Disaster Committee	Medical University Hospital Authority Charleston, South Carolina
2005-2006	Credentials Committee	Medical University Hospital Authority Charleston, South Carolina
2008-2009	Sickle Cell Task Force	Medical University Hospital Authority Charleston, South Carolina

COMMUNITY SERVICE:

SC Pandemic Influenza Ethics Task Force DHEC, Columbia SC
Ethical Issues in Clinical Practices Workgroup, co-leader; 2008-present

Trident District CBERN team 2002-2005,
Academy of Public Health Awareness, scholar program, 2003

Coordinator, A Celebration of St Luke's Day, program on medicine and ministry, MUSC College of
Medicine and Pastoral Services, Charleston, SC (1997- 2001; 2004-2007)

Speaker, A Celebration of St Luke's Day, program on medicine and ministry,
MUSC College of Medicine and Pastoral Services, Charleston, SC (1999)

Summerville Coordinator, Summerville Chamber Music Series, Charleston Symphony
Benefit Piano Concerts for Music Scholarships, Summerville Music Club, (January 1998 and
March 1997)

Benefit Piano Concert for American Red Cross, "Music from the Heart" (December 2001)

Diocesan Coordinator, Education for Ministry, Episcopal Diocese of SC (1996-2007)
Coordinator, EfM Parishes in Diocese of South Carolina (2007-present)

Mentor, EFM, Grace Episcopal Church, Charleston, SC (1998-2006)
Sewanee on-line qualified 2007

Vestry & Choir, St. Mark's Episcopal Church, Charleston, SC (2006-2007)

Assistant Treasurer, St. Mark's Episcopal Church, Charleston (2007)

Member, Grace Episcopal Church, Charleston (1997-2006, 2008)
Lay eucharistic minister

Member, Committee to Formulate Child Abuse Protocol for Clayton County, Georgia (1988)

PUBLICATIONS:

W. Limehouse, MD. "Futility is in the Eye of the Beholder." *ACEP News*, Vol. 27, No. 6, p16: June 2008.

W. Limehouse, MD. "Medicine and Ministry: St. Luke's Day Ceremony Celebrates the Healing Connection." *AUCTUS*; Spring/Summer 1998, MUSC, p29-30.

W. Limehouse, MD. "Hospital Emergency Incident Command", in current revision of *Community Medical Disaster Planning and Evaluation Guide* by Erik Auf der Heide MD, ACEP, 2005 (submitted).

Abstracts:

ACEP Research Forum: "A Pilot Study Examining Antipsychotics and Benzodiazopines vs Benzodiazepines Alone in the Acute Reduction of Psychotic Features in the Emergency Department", B. Vesper, MD, F. Vesper, MD, W. Limehouse, MD, E. Larson, MD, F. Tunney, MD; Medical University of South Carolina, Charleston, SC, *Annals of Emergency Medicine*, Vol. 48, No 4, pp. S126-127: October 2006, abstract #422

ACEP Research Forum: "Why do People Come to the Emergency Department with Colds? Survey Result of Otherwise Healthy Subjects." S. Kini, MD, F. Vesper, MD, C. Carr, MD, B. McGary, MD, C. Carleton, W. Limehouse, MD, S. Saef, MD, L. Raney, MD; Medical University of South Carolina, Charleston, SC, *Annals of Emergency Medicine*, Vol. 48, No. 4, p. S77: October 2006, abstract #254

"Oaths, Codes, & Balancing Professionalism"

- completed for AMA-MCW fellowship, revision in progress

"Resolving Physician-Patient Conflicts by Narrative"

- completed for AMA-MCW fellowship, revision in progress

"Ethics Consultation and Medical Decision-making"

- completed for AMA-MCW fellowship, revision in progress

"On Ethics Committees, Ethics Consultants, and IRBs"

- completed for AMA-MCW fellowship, revision in progress

Research Interests:

W. Limehouse, MD., F. Vesper MD. Study of cruciate versus linear incisions in drainage of non-cosmetic, subcutaneous abscesses (IRB Application started).

W. Limehouse, MD. Neurologic Sequelae post Guillaine-Barre Syndrome (IRB Application started)

C. Queener, MD, C. Carr, MD, W. Limehouse, MD, F. Vesper, MD, R. Malcolm, MD. Tramadol vs Clonidine in the Acute Treatment of Opioid Withdrawal Symptoms (IRB Application submitted)

Case Reports

W. Limehouse, MD. Cystadenoma of Appendix with Colonic Intussusception
(Literature review in process)