

CURRICULUM VITAE

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QUALIFICATIONS

Qualifications	Date	Institution
MBBS	October 1998	Christian Medical College, Vellore, India
Board Certified - Internal Medicine	August 2005	American Board Of Internal Medicine
Board Certified - Nephrology	November 2007	American Board Of Internal Medicine

EDUCATION AND PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:

Jul 2005- June 2007: Nephrology Fellowship
New York Medical College, Metropolitan Hospital Program

Jul 2002-June 2005: Internal Medicine Residency
Our Lady of Mercy Medical Center, Bronx NY

Feb 2001- Sep 2001: Senior Resident - Surgical Intensive Care Unit.
Christian Medical College and Hospital, Vellore India.

Feb 2000- Jan 2001: Demonstrator- Department of Clinical Virology
Christian Medical College and Hospital, Vellore India.

Feb 1999- Jan 2000: Demonstrator- Department of Anatomy
Christian Medical College and Hospital, Vellore India.

Feb 1998-Jan 1999: Medical Officer- Rural Unit for Health and Social Affairs
Christian Medical College and Hospital, Vellore India

Feb 1997-Jan 1998: Rotating Internship.
Christian Medical College and Hospital, Vellore India.

Jul 1992- Jan 1997: MBBS
Christian Medical College and Hospital, Vellore India.

LABORATORY EXPERIENCE

Between February 2000 and January 2001 I worked at the Clinical Virology Laboratory- doing polymerase chain reactions (PCR) on CMV, HIV-1, and HIV-2. I was also involved in maintaining cell cultures for the diagnosis of viral infections.

VOLUNTARY SERVICE:

1. Voluntary Medical Service at Gudalur Adivasi Hospital, Gudalur, Tamil Nadu, India
May 1995-June 1995.

PUBLICATIONS / ABSTRACTS PENDING PRESENTATION/PUBLICATION:

1. **S Kuppachi**, A Guasch, CP Larsen, K Kokko. Impact of Immunosuppression Reduction in BK Viremic patients: 3 year follow up. Accepted for an Oral Presentation at the 2008 American Transplant Congress.
2. J Yoo, **S Kuppachi**, Chander P. Fever, Hematuria and Renal failure. AJKD Quiz Page. Manuscript Number AJKD- D-07-00772R1.

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1. Naina HV, Harris S, **Kuppachi S**. Vancomycin- induced immune thrombocytopenia. Letter to editor, New England Journal of Medicine, 2007 Jun 14; 356(24): 2537.
2. Harris S, Naina HV, **Kuppachi S**. Look, Feel, Listen Or Look, Listen and Feel? American Journal of Medicine, 2007 Feb; 120(2): e3
3. **Kuppachi S**, Idris N, Chander PN, Yoo J. Idiopathic Nodular Glomerulosclerosis in non-diabetic hypertensive smoker – case report and review literature. Nephrology

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4. Harris S, Naina HV, **Kuppachi S**. Clinical Examination of Abdomen- Time for a Consensus? Medical Teacher 2006 Nov; 28(7): 666.
5. Dharmarajan TS, Akula M, **Kuppachi S**, Norkus EP. Vitamin D deficiency in Community Older Adults with Falls or Gait Imbalance An Under Recognized Problem in the Inner City. Journal of Nutrition for the Elderly. 2005. 25(1): 7-19
6. Naina VK, Harris S, Bharat A, **Kuppachi S**, Siddique S. 'Bedside localization of misplaced peripherally inserted central catheter ' [E-letter], British Journal of Anesthesia. 4 May 2006.
http://bj.oxfordjournals.org/cgi/qa-display/short/brjana_forum; 1.
7. Shoby CT, Soloman R, Kuruvilla KA, Jana AK, Abraham M, Finny GJ, **Kuppachi S**, Kannangai R, Sridharan G. Human cytomegalovirus perinatal infections in a tertiary care setting. Indian Pediatrics 39 (6) 561-4, June 2002.

ABSTRACTS PUBLISHED AND PRESENTED:

1. **Kuppachi S**, Annavarupu S, Alamdew S, Harris S, Naina HV. Bedside manners preferred by African American and Hispanic patients. A survey in a New York teaching hospital. Journal of General Internal Medicine 2007; 22 (suppl 1): 121.
2. **Kuppachi S**, Idris N, Walter A, Yoo J. Membranous Nephropathy associated with Thrombotic Thrombocytopenic Purpura. Abstract Presented at the Spring NKF Meeting, Orlando FL, 2006.
3. **Kuppachi S**, Idris N, Villanueva H, Yoo J. Membranous Nephropathy treated with

Anti CD 20 Antibody – 3 Cases. Abstract published in Supplement of Journal of American Society of Nephrology, 2006.

4. Jinil Yoo, **Kuppachi S**, Idris N, Pisipati S, Khashyar S. Subclinical Left Ventricular Dysfunction in End Stage Renal Disease Patients on Hemodialysis.

Abstract presented as a poster at ASN's 39th Annual Renal Week Meeting, San Diego, CA 2006.

5. **Kuppachi S**, Promod J, Alamdew Y, Corpuz M *Aeromonas hydrophilia* and *Citrobacter brakii* Septicemia from Cholecystitis/Cholangitis in a 90 Year Old Immigrant. Abstract presented at the Annual Scientific Meeting of the American College of Gastroenterology, 2006. American Journal of Gastroenterology Vol 101, No S2, 2006. Abstract 645, S267-268

6. **Kuppachi S**, Pathalapati R, Idris N, Yoo J, Tannenberg A. Celiac Sprue associated Membranoproliferative Glomerulonephritis.. Abstract presented at the Annual Scientific Meeting of the American College of Gastroenterology, 2006.

American Journal of Gastroenterology Vol 101, No S2, 2006. Abstract 843, S 341-342.

7. **Kuppachi S**, Lwin L, Idris N, Villanueva H, Yoo J. Chorea with Bilateral Basal Ganglia lesions in a Diabetic, Hypertensive Patient on Hemodialysis. American Journal of Kidney Diseases 47, (4) April 2006. Abstract 81.

8. **Kuppachi S**, M Akula, E. P. Norkus, T. S. Dharmarajan. Can Vitamin D Deficiency predispose to falls in the Elderly? A pilot study in the Bronx. Abstract published in the NYACP Upstate Scientific Meeting Poster Competition Finalists. November 2004, Saratoga Springs, New York.

9. **Kuppachi S**, Jorapur V, Swaminathan S, Lucariello R. Effect of Nesiritide on Azotemia in patients with Congestive Heart Failure. Abstract published in the NYACP Upstate Scientific Meeting Poster Competition Finalists. November 2004, Saratoga Springs, New York.
10. W Marino, **S Kuppachi**, M Akula, A Pankratov, TS Dharmarajan
The Effect of Nutritional Status on Vasomotor Stability in the Sick Elderly.
CHEST (Suppl) 126 881S-882S, 2004.
11. Hatef Massoumi, Mrlini Yeddu, **S Kuppachi**, Hilary Hertan. Penetration Of A Gastrostomy Tube into the Colon Presenting As Chronic Unexplained Hypokalemia. American Journal of Gastroenterology, Vol 99, No.10, Suppl., Abstract No.507, 2004.
12. Swaminathan S, **Kuppachi S**, Yoo J, Corpuz M, Kunthur A, Pisipathi R, Reddy R.
Profile of Dialysis Vascular Access Infections in a Tertiary Care Center.
Journal of American Society of Nephrology (Abstract Issue) Vol 14, 822A, Nov 2003.
13. Swaminathan S, Pisipati S, **Kuppachi S**, Corpuz M. Clinical Profile And Outcome Of Dialysis Arterio Venous Graft Infection in Hemodialysis patients. Infectious Diseases Society of America, Oct 2003, San Diego CA.
14. Shoby CT, Soloman R, Kuruvilla KA, Jana AK, Abraham M, Finny GJ, **Kuppachi S**, Kannangai R, Sridharan G. Human Cytomegalovirus Perinatal Infections In A Tertiary Care Setting. XXXIV National Congress of the Indian Association of Microbiologists - 2002.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE:

As a demonstrator in the Department of Anatomy I have taken lectures and daily classes in gross

and microscopic anatomy for medical and paramedical undergraduates.