

## CURRICULUM VITAE

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Date of Graduation - 1973

University of Toronto, Toronto, Ontario Canada

Fellow of the Royal College of Surgeons 1979 F.R.C.S. (C)

Fellow of the American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgeons 1983 F.A.A.O.S.

Board Certified, American Board of Orthopaedic Surgery 1981

SIGNED: 

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## Centenary Health Centre Activities

### Medical Staff Society:

1983 -	Treasurer, Medical Staff Society
1984 -	Secretary, Medical Staff Society
1985 -	Vice President, Medical Staff Society
1986 -	President, Medical Staff Society

### Committee Activities:

1980 - 1991	Infection Control Committee
1981 - 1987	Chairman, Infection Control Committee
1992 - present	Quality Assurance Committee
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### Orthopaedic Activities:

Secretary 1981 - present - Division of Orthopaedic and Department of Surgery

Coordinator 1981 - present - Combined Orthopaedic Rounds with the Scarborough Regional Hospitals.

Served on Sub-Committees responsible for the development of the present fracture clinic.

Orthopaedic Training and Practice:

1. University of Toronto, Medical School - 1969 to 1973
2. Orthopaedic Training, University of Toronto - 1973 - 1974
3. Clinical Fellow: Mount Sinai Hospital, Toronto - 1979 to 1980

Clinical Appointments:

1. Active Staff, Division of Orthopaedic Surgery, Scarborough Centenary Hospital, 2867 Ellesmere Road, Westhill, Ontario
2. Associate Staff, Mount Sinai Hospital, Toronto - Division of Orthopaedics.
3. Associate Staff, Toronto General Hospital, Division of Orthopaedics.

Training:

<u>MONTHS</u>	<u>FROM</u>	<u>TO</u>	<u>PLACE</u>
July - June	1973	1974	Mount Sinai Hospital (Straight internship surgery)
July - June	1974	1975	Mount Sinai Hospital (Orthopaedic Clinical Research Fellow)
July -December	1975	1975	Sunnybrook Hospital, Toronto (General Surgery)
January - June	1976	1976	Toronto General Hospital (Orthopaedic Hospital)
July - December	1976	1976	Princess Margaret Hospital, Toronto (Orthopaedic Pathology)
January - June	1977	1977	Toronto East General Hospital (Plastic Surgery and Orthopaedic Surgery)
July - June	1977	1978	Toronto General Hospital (Orthopaedic Surgery)
July - December	1978	1978	Wellesley Hospital, Toronto (Orthopaedic Surgery)
January - June	1979	1979	Hospital for Sick Children (Pediatric Orthopaedics)

Professional Awards (degrees, research grants, fellowships, etc.)

1. Co-Winner Gallie-Bateman Prize for Surgical Research 1976  
"The Use of Osteochondral Allografts in Orthopaedic Surgery"
2. Winner, First Prize, Research Canadian Orthopaedic Residents Meeting,  
Kingston, 1976 – "The immunogenicity of Allograft Joint Transplants"
3. Winner, First Prize, Research Canadian Orthopaedic Residents Meeting,  
Banff, 1977 – "Etiological Factors in the Pathogenesis of Femoral Fatigue Fractures"
4. Clinical Fellow in Orthopaedic Surgery, Mount Sinai Hospital  
July 1979 – June 1980, Toronto

Publications – Clinical

1. "The 'Three Phase Bone Scan' In Assessment of Hand and Wrist Trauma:  
N.D. Grayson, E. Urovitz, A. E. Cross and F. Langer. Accepted for publication in  
the Journal of Nuclear Medicine and presented at the Canadian Association  
Surgery of Hand, Quebec 1976.
2. "Sternal Metastases and Associated Pathological Fractures". E. P. Urovitz, V.L.  
Fornasier and A. A. Czitrom, Thorax, August, 1977, Vol. 32, No. 4, p. 4.
3. Clinical Orthopaedics and Related Research, Cumulative Index: Numbers 37  
through 121. Prepared by E. P. Urovitz, A. Aberman and D. Erbeck.  
J. B. Lippincott Company, 1977.
4. Tuberculous Dactylitis – Canadian Journal of Surgery, Vol. 25, No. 6, Nov. 1982.
5. "Anterior Cruciate Reconstruction in using the MacIntosh Lateral-Substitution over-  
the-Top Repair". J.T. Bertola, E. P. Urovitz, R. R. Richards, A.E. Gross  
J.B.J.S. October, 1985, Vol. 67-A, No. 8.
6. Endoscopic Plantar Fasciotomy in the Treatment of Chronic Heel Pain", Edwin P.  
Urovitz, M.D., Alexandra Birk-Urovitz, Elizabeth Birk-Urovitz, Canadian Journal of  
Surgery, August 2008, Vol. 51, No. 4.

Publications - Research:

1. "Etiological Factors in the Pathogenesis of Femoral Irabecular Fatigue Fractures": E.P. Urovitz, V.L. Fornasier, M.J. Risen, I. MacNab. Clinical Orthopaedics and Related Research, 127, September 1977. P. 275.
2. "Immunotherapy of a Virus Induced Experimental Osteosarcoma": A.A. Czitron, F. Langer, A. Gross, K. Pritzker, M. West and E.P. Urovitz, Orthop. Trans. 1:30, May 1977.
3. "Immunogenicity of Allograft Joint Transplants": F. Langer, A.E. Gross, M. West, E. P. Urovitz, Clinical Orthopaedics 132: 155, 1978.
4. "Immunogenicity of Virus-Induced Osteosarcoma": E.P. Urovitz, A.A. Czitrom, F. Langer, A.E. Gross, K. P. Pritzker, J.B.J.S. 58-A, April 1976, p. 308 - 311.
5. Autoimmunity of Degenerative Disc Disease - "A Histopathological Study": E.P. Urovitz and V.L. Fornasier, Clinical Orthopaedics 142: 215, 1979.

Books

"Whiplash" - The Complete Guide to Living with the Pain of Neck Injury.  
Seal Bantam Publications, February 1988.

Involvement with Medical Organizations Including Offices Held

- Alpha Omega Alpha Honour Medical Society, Toronto
- Academy of Medicine, Toronto
- Ontario Medical Association
- Ontario Association of Orthopaedic Surgeons
- Medico-Legal Society of Toronto



### Medical Legal Experience

I have been a past member of the Council of the Toronto Medical Legal Society and thus I have had extensive experience in dealing with plaintiff and defence attorneys with regard to medical legal litigation and personal injury claims. I was co-director of the Personal Injury Clinic with Dr. Hamilton Hall and in addition, I am the principal orthopaedic consultant at the Toronto Orthopaedic and Rehabilitative Associates Clinic which also specializes in evaluation of medical legal cases both with regard to plaintiff and defence cases. Over the last twenty years I have been asked to perform consultant work for numerous insurance companies within the Province of Ontario. As a result of this experience I have co-authored a book on whiplash injuries published by Seal Books in 1988, "Whiplash" - The Complete Guide to Living with the Pain of Neck Injury.

I have lectured on the topics disability evaluation and chronic pain syndrome to various insurance companies most recently to the Canadian Insurance Institute in March 1993.