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Education: 1984-1988 Duke University, NC
Durham, North Carolina
B.S.- Zoology

1988-1992 University of Maryland School of Medicine
Baltimore, Maryland
Doctor of Medicine

Postgraduate Training:

- 1992-1993 Internship in General Surgery, Pennsylvania Hospital, Philadelphia PA
- 1995-1996 Research Fellowship, Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine, Baltimore MD
- 1993-1998 Completion of General Surgery Residency, Pennsylvania Hospital, Philadelphia PA
- 1998-2001 Surgical Oncology Fellowship, The University of Texas M.D. Anderson Cancer Center, Houston, TX

Specialty Board: American Board of Surgery (No. 45177)
Special Certification Society of Surgical Oncology

Research Experience:

- 1986-1988 Mycology Lab, Duke University School of Medicine
- 1988-1989 Beltsville Research Center, Beltsville MD
- 1995-1996 Postdoctoral Fellowship, Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine, Baltimore MD
(Mentor: Mark A. Talamini MD)
- 1999-2001 Postdoctoral Fellowship, The University of Texas M.D. Anderson Cancer Center, Houston TX
(Mentor: Lee M. Ellis MD)

Awards:

1. Philadelphia Academy of Surgery Resident Research Award, 1995
2. Society of Laparoendoscopic Surgeons Resident Achievement Award. June, 1996.
3. Recipient, AACR Scholarship
Molecular Biology in Clinical Oncology: A Workshop
July, 1999
4. Society of Surgery of the Alimentary Tract (SSAT)/ Ross Laboratory Fellow's Research Award, May 2000
5. 2001 James Ewing Foundation, of the Society of Surgical Oncology, Harvey Baker Traveling Fellow Award, March 2001

6. The University of Texas, M. D. Anderson Cancer Center's Lotzová Memorial Research Prize, June 2001
7. Young Surgeons Leadership Conference, American College of Surgeons, June 2003 (Washington, D.C)
8. Hope Foundation/ Ortho Biotech Young Investigators Award, 2004
9. 2004 University of Cincinnati Department of Surgery Outstanding Educator Award
10. 2007 University of Cincinnati Department of Surgery Outstanding Educator Award
11. Best Doctors in America 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2014
12. Cincy Magazine Best Doctors in America 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015
13. Cincinnati Magazine Top Doctor- 2009, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015
14. 2008 University of Cincinnati Department of Surgery Outstanding Educator Award
15. 2010 University of Cincinnati Department of Surgery Outstanding Educator Award
16. 2011 University of Cincinnati Department of Surgery Outstanding Educator Award
17. Physician of the Quarter, University Hospital, Cincinnati OH, May 2012
18. Nominated for University of Cincinnati Department of Surgery Outstanding Educator Award 2009, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015
19. 2012 Joslin Haggart Yeiser Unsung Hero Award
20. 2012 Good Samaritan Hospital Resident Educator Award
21. AOA (Faculty Induction- 2012)
22. University of Cincinnati Dean's Teaching Award (2014)
23. University of Cincinnati Dean's Teaching Award (2015)

24. Castle Connolly Top Doctor 2014-2016
25. Deans Award for Faculty Excellence 2016
26. UC Health Clinical “MVP” (Most Valuable Player) 2018
27. Top 1% National Physician Rating by Press Ganey Database

Memberships in Professional Societies

1. American Association of Cancer Research
2. American College of Surgeons
3. American Society of Clinical Oncology
4. Society of Surgical Oncology
5. Society of Surgery of the Alimentary Tract
6. Member Southwest Oncology Group (SWOG)
7. The Cincinnati Surgical Society
8. The Mont Reid Surgical Society
9. Central Surgical Association
10. American Hepato-Pancreatico-Biliary Association
11. The Pancreas Club
12. Southwest Oncology Group (SWOG)
13. American Surgical Association- Inducted 2018
14. Southern Surgical Association- Inducted 2018

Local Committee Served

1. Pennsylvania Hospital General Surgery Symposium- 1998 (National Meeting).
2. Alumni Admissions Committee for Duke University- 2000- Present
3. University of Cincinnati Representative to American College of Surgeons Oncology Group (Cancer Liason)- 2001- 2003
4. University of Cincinnati Scientific Review Committee- 2002- Present
Selected as Vice-Chairman of Committee- 2003- 2005
Selected as Chairman of Committee- 2005-Present
5. University of Cincinnati Clinical Practice Committee- 2002- Present
6. General Surgery Residency Committee (University of Cincinnati)- 2003- 2013
7. PR Committee for Department of Surgery (University of Cincinnati)- 2003- 2010
8. Faculty Forum Executive Committee (University of Cincinnati)-2003-Present
9. Planning Committee Cincinnati Pancreatic Symposium- 2003-2008, 2013
10. Resident Research Competition Committee
11. Chairman of the RPT Committee (2010-Present)
12. Chairman of the Department of Surgery Faculty Workload Committee (2012)

13. Chief Resident Class Advisor 2013-Present
14. University of Cincinnati Cancer Institute Executive Committee 2013-Present
15. Associate Director Clinical Research, UCCI 2013-Present
16. Chairman Search Committee Hematology Oncology Division Director
17. Department of Surgery Finance and Compensation Committee 2015- Present,
Chairman 2018
18. University of Cincinnati Medical Center Strategy Committee 2016- Present
19. University of Cincinnati College of Medicine Admissions Committee 2016- Present

National Committees Served

1. Central Surgical Association- Program Committee- 2006-2009
2. Central Surgical Association- Chair Planning Committee- 2008 Meeting
3. Society of Surgical Oncology- Clinical Affairs Committee- 2006-2009
Chair of Clinical Affairs Committee (SSO)- 2008-2009
4. Gastrointestinal Intergroup Hepatobiliary Task Force (2008-Present)
 - a. State of the Science- Hepatocellular Cancer Meeting- Washington D.C,
2008
5. Surgical Chair SWOG Hepatobiliary subcommittee
6. AHPBA Publications Committee- 2008-2010
7. SSO Disease Site Workgroup (Pancreas) 2011-Present
8. SSAT Membership Committee (2011-Present)
9. SSAT Representative for Midwest 2012-Present
10. SSAT Pancreas Abstract Reviewer (2011)
11. Chairman- Gastrointestinal Site SOSAP Committee (SSO version of SESAP)
(2012-2016)
12. American College of Surgeons Surgical Standards Pancreas Working Group
(2012-2015)
13. SSAT Upper GI Disease Site Committee- 2012- Present
14. SSAT Pancreas Disease Site Chairman- 2013-2016
15. SSAT Program Committee- 2013-Present
16. SSAT Chair Pancreas Subcommittee- 2013- Present
17. AHPBA Program Committee- 2013-Present
18. PanCan (Pancreas Cancer Action Network) Grant Review Committee 2013-2015
19. Co Chair SSAT Postgraduate Course- 2014-16
20. IHPBA Abstract Review Committee 2016
21. American College of Surgeons Abstract Reviewer 2015-2016
22. SSAT representative for HPB curriculum to the Fellowship Council 2016-Present

Invited Moderator/ Discussant

1. The Society of Surgery for the Alimentary Tract (Digestive Disease Week).
Plenary Session. May 2004, New Orleans, LA.
2. The University of Cincinnati Pancreas Disease Center Symposium, 2005,
Cincinnati, OH (Course Director).

3. American Hepato-Pancreatico-Biliary Meeting . March 2006, Miami, FL.
4. American Hepato-Pancreatico-Biliary Meeting. March 2007, Las Vegas NV
5. The American College of Surgeons Meeting, September 2006, Chicago, IL
6. The AGA Association (DDW), March 2008, San Diego CA
7. The Society of Surgery for the Alimentary Tract (Disgestive Disease Week). Organized session on new advances for chronic pancreatitis. May 2010, New Orleans, LA.
8. American Hepato-Pancreatico-Biliary Meeting. March 2012. Miami, FL. Discussant..
9. American-Hepato-Pancreatico-Biliary Meeting. March 2012, Miami, FL. Chair Session on Total Pancreatectomy and Autologous Islet Transplantation.
10. Moderator, Plenary Session, SSAT, May 2012, San Diego CA
11. SSAT, May 2012, San Diego CA. Invited Discussant.- Plenary Session.
12. Moderator, AHPBA, Whipple versus Frey. Miami FL 2013.
13. American College of Surgeons, October 2013, Washington DC. Invited Discussant- Surgical Forum.
14. American College of Surgeons, October 2013, Washington DC. Invited Discussant- Surgical Forum II.
15. Society of Surgery of the Alimentary Tract, May 2014, Chicago IL. Invited Discussant.
16. Moderator SSAT 2014, Current Treatment Strategies for HCC, Chicago IL.
17. Moderator SSAT 2014, Combined SSAT/ ISDS Symposium, Chicago IL.
18. Discussant- Southern Surgical Association, December 2014, West Palm Beach FL
19. Director SSAT Post Graduate Course on Minimally Invasive Approaches to Hepatobiliary and Pancreatic Surgery. Washington DC 2014
20. Moderator SSAT 2015, Plenary Session, Washington DC 2015
21. Moderator SSAT 2015. How to become a hepatobiliary surgeon, Washington DC.
22. Discussant- American College of Surgeons, October 2015, Chicago IL
23. Discussant- DDW 2016, San Diego CA
24. Discussant- SSAT 2017, Chicago IL
25. Discussant- SSAT 2017 Plenary Session, Chicago IL
26. Discussant- American College of Surgeon, 2017, San Diego CA
27. Moderator- American College of Surgeons, 2017 San Diego CA
28. Moderator- AHPBA 2018, Miami Florida
29. Moderator- SSO 2018, Chicago Illinois

Meet The Professor

1. Readmission After Cancer Surgery. Society of Surgical Oncology. Houston, TX 2015
2. Managing Readmission after Cancer Surgery. Society of Surgical Oncology. Seattle WA, 2017
3. Technical Pearls and Disasters During the Whipple Procedure. AHPBA, Miami Florida 2018

Visiting Professor

1. University of Louisville Department of Surgery, Louisville KY. October 2015
2. St. Vincent Hospital Department of Surgery, Indianapolis IN. November 2015
3. Western Michigan School of Medicine, Department of Surgery, September 2017

Residents Mentored For Research

1. Joespeh Kim MD, Professor and Chief of Surgical Oncology, University of Kentucky
2. Curtis J. Wray MD, Associate Professor Department of Surgery, University of Texas Houston
3. Rebecca McClain MD, Private Practice Pennsylvania
4. Raji Nair MD, Assistant Professor of Surgery Department of Surgery, Scott and White Clinic
5. Ryan M. Thomas MD, Assistant Professor Department of Surgery, University of Florida
6. Mohammad Al-Zahrani MD, Attending Surgeon King Fahad Hospital, Riyadh Saudi Arabia
7. Callisia Clarke MD, Assistant Professor of Surgery, Medical College of Wisconsin
8. Heather Lewis MD, Assistant Professor of Surgery, University of Colorado School of Medicine.
9. Shrawan Gaitonde MD, Attending Surgeon, Baylor Medical Center, Dallas TX
10. Jeffrey Sutton MD, Surgical Oncology Fellow, University of Pittsburgh Department of Surgery
11. Gregory Wilson MD, Surgical Oncology Fellow, University of Pittsburgh Department of Surgery
12. Vikrom Dhar MD, Resident Department of Surgery, University of Cincinnati
13. Brent Xia MD, Resident Department of Surgery, University of Cincinnati
14. Nic Levinsky MD, Resident Department of Surgery, University of Cincinnati
15. Megan Stevenson MD, Surgical Oncology Fellow, University of Louisville Department of Surgery
16. Leah Winer, Resident Department of Surgery, University of Cincinnati

Journals**Associate Editor**

Journal of Gastrointestinal Cancers
Journal of Gastrointestinal Surgery

Editorial Board

Journal of Gastrointestinal Surgery
Annals of Surgical Oncology
BMC Cancer

Journal of Surgical Oncology

Ad Hoc Reviewer

American Journal of Surgery
Annals of Surgical Oncology
Annals of Surgery
Expert Opinion on Investigational Drugs
Cancer
Journal of Surgical Oncology
Clinical Cancer Research
World Journal of Surgery
Archives of Surgery
Surgery
Journal of the American College of Surgeons
Journal of Gastrointestinal Surgery
Journal of Pancreas
JAMA Surgery
British Journal of surgery

Examiner American Board of Surgery

1. Associate Examiner for Certifying Examination- April 2012, Chicago, IL
2. Associate Examiner for Certifying Examination- March 2017, Philadelphia, PA

Principal Investigator Clinical Research Trials:

1. **National Principal Investigator:** Southwest Oncology Group (SWOG) 0425: Neoadjuvant Chemoradiation therapy with Oxaliplatin and Capecitabine for Patients with Surgically Resectable Gastric Cancer: A Pilot Phase II Trial with Molecular Correlates.
2. **Principal Investigator:** Selective COX-2 Inhibition As Adjuvant Treatment after Resection of Colorectal Liver Metastases.
3. **Principal Investigator:** A Phase II Study Evaluating the Role of Epidermal Growth Factor Receptor Inhibition Utilizing ZD1849 (Iressa) in Combination with Gemcitabine (Gemzar) as Adjuvant Treatment for Pancreatic Cancer.
4. **National Principal Investigator:** Intergroup Study (SWOG, Alliance, ECOG): Neoadjuvant FOLFIRINOX and chemoradiation for patients with borderline resectable pancreatic adenocarcinoma (Alliance A021101)
5. **National Principal Investigator:** FOLFIRINOX versus Gemcitabine/ nab-Paclitaxel as neoadjuvant therapy for resectable pancreatic adenocarcinoma: A randomized Phase II Study. (SWOG S1505)

6. **National Principal Investigator:** Preoperative Extended Chemotherapy vs. Chemotherapy Plus Hypofractionated Radiation Therapy for Borderline Resectable Adenocarcinoma of the Head of the Pancreas (Alliance A021501)

Grants:

ACTIVE

6UD7HP28546-03-01(PI: Gormley, D.) 07/01/17-06/30/18 0.6 CM
 HRSA \$459,865
 “Interprofessional Rounding to Improve Interprofessional Collaboration”
 Goals: The three main aims of the grant are to institute interprofessional nurse led bedside rounds on the surgical services, institute Interprofessional Grand Rounds at UCHealth; and develop nurse leaders at the bedside
 Role: Collaborator

17-65-BOGD (co-PI: Ahmad S., Bogdanov V.) 07/01/17-06/30/19 0.6 CM
 Pancreatic Cancer Action Network \$136,364
 “Disrupting Tissue Factor-beta1 integrin axis in pancreatic cancer”
 The overall objective of our proposal is to evaluate our recently developed, fully humanized antibody targeting alternatively spliced Tissue Factor (asTF), termed RabMab1, as a new therapeutic approach in treating pancreas cancer.
 Role: Co-PI

5R01CA158439-04 (PI: Mast, D.) 08/10/12-05/31/18 0.9 CM
 NIH/NCI \$234,199
 “Real-time prediction of thermal ablation-induced cell death by echo decorrelation”
 Goals: The major goal of this project is to predict thermal ablation-induced cell death in real time using ultrasound echo decorrelation imaging, a method for mapping rapid, ablation-induced changes in tissue over millisecond time scales.
 Role: Co-Investigator

5R01 DK109124 (PI: Bellin, M.) 10/01/17-03/31/21 0.19 CM
 NIH \$5,501
 Advancing Treatment for Pancreatitis: A Prospective Observational Study of TPIAT
 Goals: To determine which patient and disease characteristics are associated with favorable resolution of pain and improved health related quality of life, and to determine optimal timing of the procedure.
 Role: Site PI

PENDING

Cancer Research Project (PI: Zavros, Y.) 01/01/18-12/31/18 0.24

CM

Elsa U. Pardee Foundation \$152,810

“Organoid Based Preclinical Models of Gastric Cancer”

The objectives of this proposal are to develop patient-derived organoid models of gastric cancer to identify the mechanisms by which cancer stem cells act as regulatory cells within the tumor microenvironment.

Role: Co-Investigator

U01 (PI: Zavros, Y.) 07/01/18-06/30/23 1.2

CM

NIH \$610,936

“In Vitro and In Vivo Patient-Derived Models of Gastric Cancer”

The objectives of this proposal are to develop in vitro and in vivo patient derived models of gastric cancer (PDMGC) to: 1) identify the mechanisms by which gastric cancer stem cells act as regulatory cells within the tumor microenvironment, 2) establish a new method to diagnose and study people who are at risk for developing HDGC based on human induced pluripotent stem cells (iPSC) technologies, and 3) identify the initiating molecular events that trigger gastric cancer development.

Role: Co-Investigator

U10 (PI:) 03/01/19-02/28/25 1.8

CM

Oregon Health Sciences Univ. & Hospital/NIH \$37,878

SWOG Network Group Operations Center of the NCTN

Goals: SWOG's specific aims include improving efficiency and rapidly executing the clinical trial development and conduct processes; collaborating widely to reduce accrual barriers and facilitate participation in NCTN trials; maximizing potential from international partners by studying globally-significant cancers; and being active participants and leaders in NCTN management.

Role: Committee Chair

U10 (PI:) 01/01/18-02/28/19 0.36

CM

Oregon Health Sciences Univ. & Hospital/NIH \$1,250

SWOG Network Group Operations Center of the NCTN

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Role: Committee Vice Chair

Pharmaceutical Supported Trials:

Principle Investigator

2001-Pharmacia Oncology. Selective COX-2 Inhibition As Adjuvant Treatment after Resection of Colorectal Liver Metastases.

2003-Astra-Zeneca. A Phase II Study Evaluating the Role of Epidermal Growth Factor Receptor Inhibition Utilizing ZD1849 (Iressa) in Combination with Gemcitabine (Gemzar) as Adjuvant Treatment for Pancreatic Cancer. (10% Effort)

Appointments:

1. Junior Faculty Associate, The University of Texas M. D. Anderson Cancer Center, Houston, Texas.
2. Assistant Professor of Surgery, The University of Cincinnati School of Medicine, Cincinnati, Ohio.
3. Director of Pancreatic Disease Center, The University of Cincinnati School of Medicine, Cincinnati, Ohio (2007-Present)
4. Associate Professor Surgery, The University of Cincinnati School of Medicine, Cincinnati, Ohio (2008- 2013)
5. Professor of Surgery, The University of Cincinnati School of Medicine, Cincinnati, Ohio (2013- Present)
6. Associate Director and Head of Clinical Research, University of Cincinnati Cancer Institute (2013-Present)
7. Program Leader Gastrointestinal Oncology, University of Cincinnati Cancer Institute (2013-Present)
8. Division Chief Surgical Oncology, University of Cincinnati Department of Surgery (2015-Present)

Books (Primary Editor):

1. **Locally Advanced and Borderline Resectable Pancreas Cancer**. Editors: **Ahmad SA**, Katz MHL. Springer, 2015.

Chapters:

1. **Ahmad S**, Shreyaskumar P, Feig BW. Treatment of Recurrent Soft Tissue Sarcoma; in Kraybill WG (ed.): **Problems in General Surgery**. Lippincott Williams and Wilkins, Philadelphia, PA. 1999; 16: 73-83.
2. **Ahmad S**, Ross MI. Tumor Markers; in Norton, JA et als, (ed.); **Surgery: Basic Science and Clinical Evidence**. Springer-Verlag, New York, 2001, p 1619-39.
3. Saltz LB, **Ahmad SA**, Vauthey JN. Colorectal Cancer: Management of Advanced Disease; in Kelsen D, Daly J, Kern S, Levin B, Tepper J (eds.): **Principles and Practice of Gastrointestinal Oncology**. Lippincott Williams and Wilkins, Philadelphia, PA. 2002, p 825-852.
4. **Ahmad SA**, Romaguera J., Ellis LM. Lymphoma of the Small Bowel; in Bland KI, Sarr M (eds.): **The Practice of General Surgery**. W. B Saunders Company, Philadelphia, PA. In press.
5. **Ahmad SA**, Abdalla EK, Spitz FR, Bouvet M, Yahanda AM. Hepatobiliary Cancers; in Feig BW, Berger DH, Fuhrman GM (eds.): **The M. D. Anderson Surgical Oncology Handbook (3rd Ed.)**. Lippincott Williams and Wilkins, Philadelphia, PA. 2003, p 266-302.
6. Abdalla EK, **Ahmad SA**, Pearlstone DB, Staley CA. Gastric Carcinoma; in Feig BW, Berger DH, Fuhrman GM (eds.): **The M. D. Anderson Surgical Oncology Handbook (3rd Ed.)**. Lippincott Williams and Wilkins, Philadelphia, PA. 2003, p 158-193.
7. Biology of Colorectal Liver Metastases. **Ahmad SA**, Berman RS, Ellis LM. In Vauthey JN (ed.): **Surgical Oncology Clinics of North America**. WB Saunders Company, Philadelphia, PA, 2003, p 135-150.
8. Multimodality Treatment of Gastrointestinal Malignancies. Kim J, Sussman JJ, Lowy AM, **Ahmad SA**. **Surgical Oncology: The Requisites**. Mosby Elsevier, Philadelphia, PA, 2007, p 315-327.
9. Sarnaik A, Sussman JJ, **Ahmad SA**, Lowy AM. Technical aspects of intraperitoneal chemotherapy administration, a survey. In Sugarbaker PH (ed.): **Surgical Oncology Clinics of North America**. WB Saunders Company, Philadelphia, PA, 2003, p 849-863.

10. Wray CJ, Berman RS, **Ahmad SA**. Tumor Biology of Colorectal Liver Metastases. In Lee F(ed.): *Progress in Liver Cancer Research*. Nova Science. P 43-57.
11. Schoeff JE, Lowy AM, **Ahmad SA**. Management of Gastric Carcinoid Tumors. In Curley SA, Pollack R, Ross MI, Perrier N (eds.): *Advanced Therapy in Surgical Oncology*. Decker Press. P 70-79.
12. **Ahmad SA**, Matthews JB. Treatment of Pseudocysts in Chronic Pancreatitis. In Beger HG, Buchler MW, Neoptolomos JP et al. (eds.). *The Pancreas*. Blackwell Publishing. 2009, p 495-503.
13. Al-Rafaie WB, Abdalla EK, **Ahmad SA**, Mansfield PF. Gastric Cancer. in Feig BW, Berger DH, Fuhrman GM (eds.): *The M. D. Anderson Surgical Oncology Handbook (4th Ed.)*. Lippincott Williams and Wilkins, Philadelphia, PA. 2006, p 205-240.
14. Choi EA, Rodgers SE, **Ahmad SA**, Abdalla EK. Hepatobiliary Cancers. in Feig BW, Berger DH, Fuhrman GM (eds.): *The M. D. Anderson Surgical Oncology Handbook (4th Ed.)*. Lippincott Williams and Wilkins, Philadelphia, PA. 2006, p 320-366.
15. Wray CJ, **Ahmad SA**. Controversies in the Surgical Management of Pancreatic Cancer. in Lowy AM (ed.). *Pancreas Cancer, M. D. Anderson Solid Tumor Oncology Series*. Springer, 2008. p 385-400.
16. McLaine R, **Ahmad SA**, Lowy AM. *Surgical Management of Gallbladder Cancer in Biliary Tract Cancer: A Multidisciplinary Approach*. Demos medical Publishing, in press.
17. Thomas RM, Hamed O, **Ahmad SA**. Repeat Hepatectomy for Colorectal Liver Metastases. In Wayne J, Talamonti M (eds.). *Liver Directed Therapy*. Springer Science, 2009. In Press.
18. Thomas RM, **Ahmad SA**. Current Concepts in the Surgical Management of Pancreatic Cancer. In Lowy AM (eds.). *Surgical Oncology Clinics of North America*, 2009. Elsevier. P335-358.
19. Gaitonde SG, **Ahmad SA**. Pancreatic Cancer: Principles of Pancreaticoduodenectomy and Distal Pancreatectomy. In Morita S, Balch C, Klimberg S, Pawlik T, Posner M, Tanabe K (eds.). *Textbook of Complex General Surgical Oncology*, 2017. The McGraw Hill Co.
20. Turner K, Zhai OJ, Sutton JM, **Ahmad SA**. Endocrine Tumors of the Pancreas. In *Frozen Section Library: Endocrine Organs*. Springer publishing, 2013

21. Wilson GC, **Ahmad SA**. Open Technique for Resection of Cancers in the Jejunum and Ileum. In Kim J, Aguilar JG (eds.). Surgery for Cancers of the Gastrointestinal Tract: A Step-by-Step Approach. Springer, 2014
22. Lewis H, **Ahmad SA**. Neoadjuvant Therapy for Resectable Pancreas Cancer. In Matthews JB (ed.). Difficult Decisions in Hepatobiliary and Pancreatic Surgery- An Evidence Based Approach. Springer, 2015.
23. **Ahmad SA**. Should A Periadventitial Dissection of the Superior Mesenteric Artery Be Performed at the time of Pancreaticoduodenectomy. Nelson H, Hunt KK, Veeramachaneni N, Blair S, Chang GJ, Halverson A, Katz MH, Posner MC (eds.). Operative Standards for Cancer Surgery. Wolters Kluwer 2015.
24. Dhar V, Thomas RM, **Ahmad SA**. Repeat Hepatectomy for Colorectal Liver Metastases. In Bentrem D, Benson A (ed.). GI Malignancies: Contemporary Issues. Springer 2016.
25. Stevenson M, **Ahmad SA**. Resectable and Borderline Resectable Pancreatic Cancer. In Philip P, Yalcin S (eds.). Textbook of Gastrointestinal Oncology. Springer 2016.
26. Xia B, **Ahmad SA**. How to treat advanced non-metastatic disease? In Bassel BF, Saab TB (eds.). Current and Emerging Therapies in Pancreatic Cancer. Springer 2016.
27. Wilson GC, Xia B, **Ahmad SA**. Neoadjuvant and Adjuvant therapy for pancreas cancer. In Hochwald S, Cance W (eds.). Decker Intellectual Properties 2017.
28. Xia BT, Dhar VK, **Ahmad SA**. Operative Management of Head Dominate Chronic Pancreatitis. In Chu QD, Vollmer C, Zibari Gazi, Orloff S, Williams M, Gimenez M (eds.). Hepato-Pancreato-Biliary and Transplant Surgery: Practical Management of Dilemmas. Beaux Books Publishing 2017.

Publications:

1. A Phase II Clinical Trial of Molecular Profiled Neoadjuvant Therapy for Localized Pancreatic Ductal Adenocarcinoma. Tsai S, Christians KK, George B, Riotch PS, Dua K, Khan A, Mackinnon AC, Tolat P, **Ahmad SA**, Hall WA, Erickson BA, Evans DB. Ann Surg. 2018, Aug. Epub.
2. Variability in blood transfusion after pancreaticoduodenectomy: A national analysis of the University HealthSystem Consortium. Dhar VK, Wima K, Kim Y, **Ahmad SA**, Patel SH, Shah SA. Surgery. 2018 Jul. Epub.
3. Does Surgical Margin Impact Recurrence in Noninvasive Intraductal Papillary Mucinous Neoplasms? A Multi-Institutional Study. Dhar VK, Merchant NB, Patel SH, Edwards MJ, Wima K, Imbus J, Abbott DE, Weber SM, Louie R, Kim HJ,

- Martin RCG, Scoggins CR, Bentrem DJ, LeCompte MT, Idrees K, Lopez-Agular AG, Maithel SK, Kooby DA, Franco DA, Yakoub D, **Ahmad SA**. Ann Surg 2018. Epub.
4. Readmissions after hepatopancreatic surgery: Using a yard stick to measure an inch. Patel SH, **Ahmad SA**. J Surg Oncol. 2018. Epub.
 5. Programmatic change leads to enhanced resource utilization and efficacy in port placement. Venkatesan VK, McHenry ZD, Ertel AE, **Ahmad SA**, Sussman JJ, Hanseman D, Shah SA, Abbott DE. J Surg Oncol. 2018. Epub.
 6. Perioperative Net Fluid Balance Predicts Pancreatic Fistula After Pancreaticoduodenectomy. Winer LK, Dhar VK, Wima K, Lee TC, Morris MC, Shah SA, **Ahmad SA**, Patel SH. J Gastrointest Surg 2018. Epub.
 7. Tube Feed Necrosis after Major Gastrointestinal Oncologic Surgery: Institutional Lessons and a Review of the Literature. Sethuraman SA, Dhar VK, Habib DA, Sussman JE, **Ahmad SA**, Shah SA, Tsuei BJ, Sussman JJ, Abbott DE. J Gastrointest Surg. 2017 21: 2075-2082.
 8. Two Studies pave the way for preoperative therapy in pancreatic cancer patients. Katz MH, **Ahmad SA**, Boughey JC. Bull Am Coll Surg. 2016 101: 57-60.
 9. Equivalent Treatment and Survival after Resection of Pancreatic Cancer at Safety Net Hospitals. Dhar VK, Hoehn RS, Kim Y, Xia BT, Jung AD, Hanseman DJ, **Ahmad SA**, Shah SA. J Gastrointest Surg. 2017 21: 2110-2118.
 10. Alliance for clinical trial in oncology (ALLIANCE) trial A021501: preoperative extended chemotherapy vs. chemotherapy plus hypofractionated radiation therapy for borderline resectable adenocarcinoma of the head of the pancreas. Katz MHG, Ou FS, Herman JM, **Ahmad SA**, Wolpin B, Marsh R, Behr S, Shi Q, Chuong M, Schwartz LH, Frankel W, Collison E, Koay EJ, Hubbard JM, Leenstra JL, Meyerhardt J, O'Reilly E. Alliance for Clinical Trials in Oncology. BMC Cancer. 2017; 17(1):505.
 11. Improvement and persistent disparities in completion lymph node dissection: Lessons from the National Cancer Database. Chu BS, Koffi W, Hoehn RS, Ertel A, Shah SA, **Ahmad SA**, Sussman JJ, Neuman HB, Abbott DE. J Surg Oncol. 2017. (Epub ahead of print).
 12. Time to Initiation of Adjuvant Chemotherapy in Pancreas Cancer: A Multi-Institutional Experience. Xia BT, **Ahmad SA**, Al Humaidi AH, Hanseman DJ, Ethun CG, Maithel SK, Kooby DA, Salem A, Cho CS, Weber SM, Stocker SJ, Talamonti MS, Bentrem DJ, Abbott DE. Ann Surg Oncol. 2017.

13. The Surgeon's Role in Treating Chronic Pancreatitis and Incidentally Discovered Pancreatic Lesions. *Journal of Gastrointest Surg.* Dhar VD, Xia BT, **Ahmad SA**. *J Gastrointest Surg*, 2017 21: 210-2118.
14. Fistulojejunostomy versus Distal Pancreatectomy for the Management of the Disconnected Pancreas Remnant Following Necrotizing Pancreatitis. Dhar VD, Sutton JM, Xia BT, Levinsky NC, Wilson GC, Sussman JJ, Edwards MJ, Abbott DE, **Ahmad SA**. *Journal of Gastrointest Surg.* In Press.
15. The diagnosis of pancreatic mucinous cystic neoplasm and associated adenocarcinoma in males. An eight institution study of 349 patients over 15 years. Ethun CG, Postlewait LM, McInnis MR, Merchant N, Parkh A, Idrees K, Isom CA, Hawkins w, Fields RC, Strand M, Weber SM, Cho CS, Salem A, Martin RC, Scoggins CR, Bentrem D, Kim HJ, Carr J, **Ahmad SA**, Abbott DE, Wilson G, Kooby DA, Maithel SK. *J Surg Oncol.* 2017. In Press.
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16. Colon Cancer Angiogenesis: The role of VEGF and Angiopoietins. XIV Congresso Nazionale Della Societa Polispecialistica Italiana Dei Giovani Chirurghi, May 2001, Ischia, Italy (Invited Lecture)
17. Bench to Bedside: Clinical Applications of Pre-Clinical Research in Anti-Angiogenesis Therapy, November 2001, University of Cincinnati, Department of Surgery Grand Rounds, Cincinnati, Ohio (Invited Lecture)
18. Surgical Management of Pancreatic Cancer. January, 2002, Diagnosis and Management of Pancreatic Diseases in the New Millennium, Cincinnati, Ohio (Invited Lecture)
19. Surgical Management and Chemotherapeutic Options for Pancreatic Cancer. October, 2002, Management of Pancreatic Diseases and Hepatobiliary Malignancies, Cincinnati, Ohio (Invited Lecture)
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24. Management of Colorectal Cancer. November, 2002, Cancer and the Primary Care Physician, Cincinnati, Ohio (Invited Lecture)
25. Controversies in the Management of Patients with Pancreas Cancer. 48th Annual Meeting, Ohio Chapter American College of Surgeons, Cincinnati, Ohio (Invited Lecture)

26. Total Pancreatectomy and Autologous Islet Cell Transplantation as a Means to Treat Chronic Pancreatitis. October 2003, Management of Pancreatic Disease and Hepatobiliary Malignancies, Cincinnati, Ohio (Invited Lecture)
27. An Algorithm for Treating Liver Masses. October 2003, Management of Pancreatic Disease and Hepatobiliary Malignancies, Cincinnati, Ohio (Invited Lecture)
28. Gastric Cancer: An Update. October 2003, University of Cincinnati, Department of Surgery Grand Rounds (Invited Lecture).
29. Surgical Options for Chronic Pancreatitis. June 2004. University of Cincinnati, Department of Anesthesia Grand Rounds (Invited Lecture).
30. Factors Predicting Success Following Islet Auto-Transplantation in 45 Patients with Severe Chronic Pancreatitis. October, 2004, American College of Surgeons (Clinical Paper Session), New Orleans, LA.
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32. Pancreas Cancer: Is Surgery Still An Option? University of Cincinnati Pancreas Symposium, January 2005, Cincinnati, OH
33. Management of Colorectal Liver Metastases. February 2005, Wright State University, Department of Surgery Grand Rounds, Dayton, OH
34. Biology of Colorectal Liver Metastases. June 2005, M. D. Anderson Cancer Center Symposium on Hepatobiliary and Pancreatic Diseases, Cape Cod, MA
35. Is there a role for surgery in patients colorectal liver metastases? November 2005, The First Annual University of Cincinnati GI Symposium, Cincinnati, OH
36. Chronic Pancreatitis with Small Duct Disease: Medical versus Surgical Management. University of Cincinnati Pancreas Symposium, January 2006, Cincinnati, OH
37. Total Pancreatectomy and Autologous Islet Cell Transplantation for Chronic Pancreatitis: The University of Cincinnati Experience. Society of Black Academic Surgeons. March 2006, Cincinnati, OH
38. Management of Colon Cancer and Colorectal Metastases. Association of Pakistani Physicians of North America. April 2006, Cincinnati, OH

39. The Surgical Management of Chronic Pancreatitis and Total Pancreatectomy and Islet Cell Transplantation. National Pancreas Foundation Meeting. April 2006, Boston, MA
40. An Update on Gastric Cancer. Good Samaritan Hospital Surgical Grand Rounds. February 2007, Cincinnati, OH.
41. Surgical Management of Chronic Pancreatitis: When to Operate? University of Cincinnati Pancreas Symposium, February 2007, Cincinnati, OH
42. Total Pancreatectomy with Islet Autotransplantation in Painful Chronic Pancreatitis: The Experience at the University of Cincinnati. Invited Speaker for AGA symposium at DDW, May 2007, Washington D.C.
43. Borderline Resectability: Is there a chance for cure? The University of Cincinnati Pancreas Symposium, March 2008, Cincinnati, OH
44. Duodenal Preserving Head Resection: Is the Whipple standard? The University of Cincinnati Pancreas Symposium, March 2008, Cincinnati, OH
45. Total Pancreatectomy and Autologous Islet Transplantation: The UC Experience. Invitation Clinic Central Surgical Association, March 2008, Cincinnati, OH
46. Total Pancreatectomy and Autologous Islet Transplantation: The UC Experience. Mont Reid Symposium, April 2008, Cincinnati, OH
47. Modern Algorithms in the Treatment of Colorectal Liver Metastases. Baptist Saint Anthony Hospital, May 2008, Amarillo, TX
48. Total Pancreatectomy and Autologous Islet Transplantation: The UC Experience. City of Hope National Cancer Center, October 2008, Los Angeles, CA
49. Treatment of Hereditary Pancreatitis. Invited Speaker American College of Surgeons, October 2008, San Francisco, CA
50. Adjuvant and Surgical Therapy for Advanced Colorectal Cancer. Lakewood/ Cleveland Clinic Hospital, November 2008, Cleveland, OH
51. Adjuvant Therapy for Colon Cancer. Good Samaritan Hospital, January 2009, Zanesville, OH
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53. Surgical Management of Colorectal Liver Metastases. Memorial Herman- University of Texas, Houston. Houston, Texas. September, 2009.

54. Modern Algorithm for the Management of Liver Metastases. St. Michael's Medical Center. Newark, NJ. September, 2009.
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58. Modern Algorithm for the Management of Colon Cancer. Island Hospital. Anacortes, WA. November, 2009.
59. Modern Algorithm for the Management of Colon Cancer. Mt. Clemmons Regional Medical Center, Mt. Clemmons, MI. January 2010.
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61. Update on the Management of Pancreatic Cancer. Good Samaritan Hospital, Cincinnati, OH, September 2010.
62. Neoadjuvant Therapy for Pancreas Cancer. Southwest Oncology Group Meeting, Chicago, IL, October 2010.
63. Modern Strategies for the Management of Colorectal Liver Metastases. University of Cincinnati Medical Center, Department of Surgery Grand Rounds, Cincinnati, OH, January 2011.
64. Readmission Following Pancreaticoduodenectomy: Multi-Institutional Analysis of 1,302 Cases. American Surgical Association, San Francisco CA, April 2012.
65. The Use of Cytoreduction and HIPEC for the Management of Colorectal Peritoneal Metastases. American College of Surgeons, Chicago IL, October 2012.
66. Predictors of Readmission and Quality Parameters in Pancreatic Surgery. Invited Speaker American Hepatobiliary Pancreatic Association, Miami FL, February 2013.
67. Neoadjuvant FOLFIRINOX and Chemoradiation followed by Surgery and Gemcitabine for patients with borderline resectable pancreas cancer: An Intergroup Phase II Study. AHPBA, Miami FL, February 2014.

68. Long-Term Outcomes following Total Pancreatectomy and Islet Cell Transplantation. Is It A Durable Operation? American Surgical Association, Boston MA, April 2014.
69. Surgical Consideration for the Management of Borderline Resectable Pancreas Cancer. SSAT 2014, Chicago IL.
70. Total Pancreatectomy and Islet Autotransplantation for the Management of Minimal Change Chronic Pancreatitis. SSAT 2014, Chicago IL.
71. Lymphadenectomy for Gastric Cancer. American College of Surgeons 2014, San Francisco, CA.
72. Should we utilize the revised Sendai Criteria for management of branch duct IPMN. Debate. AHPBA 2015, Miami FL
73. Neoadjuvant Therapy for Resectable and Borderline Resectable Pancreas Cancer. Fox Chase Cancer Center. October 2015. Philadelphia PA
74. Multimodality Treatment of Pancreas Cancer. Wayne State University, Karmanos Cancer Center. October 2015, Detroit MI.
75. Neoadjuvant Therapy for Resectable and Borderline Resectable Pancreas Cancer. University of Louisville, Department of Surgery. October 2015. Louisville KY
76. Neoadjuvant Therapy for Resectable and Borderline Resectable Pancreas Cancer. St. Vincent Hospital, Department of Surgery, November 2015, Indianapolis IN.
77. Management of Pancreas Cancer. Abbvie Inc. National Meeting. Orlando Florida, March 2016.
78. Total Pancreatectomy and Islet Autotransplantation. IHPBA, Sao Palo, Brazil, April 2016
79. The Best of DDW. DDW, San Diego CA, May 2016.
80. Total Pancreatectomy and Islet Autotransplantation: The UC Experience. Department of Internal Medicine Grand Rounds. Cincinnati OH, August 2016.
81. The Surgeons Role in Managing Patients with Pancreatitis and Incidentally Found Pancreatic Lesions. SSAT Symposium. Miami FL, December 2016.
82. Total Pancreatectomy and Islet Autotransplantation. Department of Surgery Grand Rounds. Cincinnati OH, December 2016

83. Are the Current Guidelines for the Surgical Management of Intraductal Papillary Mucinous Neoplasms (IPMN) of the Pancreas Adequate? A Multi-Institutional Study. Southern Surgical Association, West Palm Beach Florida, December 2016.
84. Total Pancreatectomy and Islet Autotransplantation for Chronic Pancreatitis. AHPBA, Miami FL, March 2017
85. S1505: A Randomized Phase III Study of Preoperative mFOLFIRINOX v. Gemcitabine/ nab-Paclitaxel as therapy for resectable pancreatic adenocarcinoma. AHPBA, Miami FL, March 2017
86. Branch Duct IPMN: Who Gets Resection? AHPBA, Miami FL, March 2017
87. Total Pancreatectomy and Islet Autotransplantation. Invited Lecture, European-AHPBA meeting. Mainz, Germany May, 2017.
88. Neoadjuvant therapy for resectable and borderline resectable pancreas cancer. Western Michigan School of Medicine. Kalamazoo, MI September 8, 2017
89. What are the right clinical trials for patients with pancreas cancer. American College of Surgeons, San Diego CA, October 2017
90. Does Surgical Margin Impact Recurrence in Non-Invasive Intraductal Papillary Mucinous Neoplasms? A Multi-Institutional Study from the Central Pancreas Consortium. American Surgical Association. Phoenix AZ, April 2018.
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Poster Presentations:

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