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Educational Qualifications

Certificate Obtained	Date/Year	Institution/University
B.D.S.	Nov. 2001	Tamil Nadu Dr. M.G.R. Medical University. Chennai, INDIA
M.D.S. (Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery)	Sept. 2006	
MFDS RCPS (Glasg.)	Mar. 2008	Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Glasgow. UK
Fellowship in Cleft Lip and Palate Surgery	Jul. 2008	Cleft Children International, Zurich. & Meenakshi Cleft and Craniofacial Centre, INDIA.
FFDRCSI (Ire.)	Nov. 2011	Royal College of Surgeons in Ireland. Dublin, IRELAND.

Speciality Training in Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery

Training Post	Period of Training	Institution
Senior House Officer	Jan. 2002 – Jan. 2003	Best Hospital, Chennai, INDIA.
Post Graduate Trainee (Residency Program)	Oct. 2003 – Oct. 2006	Meenakshi Ammal Dental College and Hospital, Chennai, INDIA.
Special Training in Head and Neck Surgical Oncology	Sep. 2005 – Oct. 2005	Regional Cancer Centre, Trivandrum, INDIA.
Fellowship Program in Cleft and Craniofacial Surgery	Jan. 2008 – Jul. 2006	Meenakshi Cleft and Craniofacial Centre, Chennai, INDIA. (In partnership with Cleft Children International, Zurich)

Professional Experience

Employer	Period of Employment	Job Designation	Work Specialization
Dental Resident	Dec. 2001 – Dec. 2002	Internship	All Branches of Dentistry
Private Dental Practitioner	Jan. 2003 – Dec. 2008	Dental and Oral Surgeon	General Dentistry, Oral Surgery and Implantology
Meenakshi Ammal Dental College, Chennai	Nov. 2006 - Dec. 2008	Senior Lecturer	Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery
Ministry of Health, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia	Dec. 2008 – Nov. 2010	Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery Specialist	Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery
King Saud University College of Dentistry	Dec. 2010 – To Date	Faculty in Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery	Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery

Professional Accreditations

1. Member – **Association of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeons of India**
2. Registered with **Saudi Council for Health Specialities**

Academic Awards and Achievements

1. **“Overall College First”** in the University Examinations held in 1998 and 2001.
2. **“College First”** in Anatomy (1st B.D.S.), General Medicine and General Surgery (3rd B.D.S.) and Oral Surgery and Orthodontics (4th B.D.S.)
3. **“IDA – Colgate Scholarship”** for Overall College First in the University Examinations held in November 2001.
4. **Second Best Poster Award** – 2nd AOMSI Tamil Nadu & Pondy Chapter(TOMA) Conference, Chennai, Feb 2006
5. **“First Rank in Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery”** in the M.D.S. University examinations conducted by T.N. Dr. M.G.R. Medical University in September 2006.

Research Activities Until December 2010

(Prior to Joining College of Dentistry, King Saud University)

Dissertations / Research Projects

1. Original Clinical Research on **“Comparative evaluation of Clinical assessment, Ultrasonography and Computed Tomography for detecting cervical lymph node metastasis in oral carcinoma”**. Submitted to T.N. Dr. M.G.R. Medical University.
2. Non clinical research on - **Evaluation of “Maxillofacial Injury Severity Score (MFISS)” in assessing Maxillofacial injury severity**. Submitted to Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery, Meenakshi Ammal Dental College and Hospital.

Scientific Publications

1. Research Paper titled **“Evaluation of Clinical assessment, Ultrasonography and CT for detecting cervical lymph node metastasis in oral carcinoma”** published in Journal of Maxillofacial and Oral Surgery, Vol.6, No. 4, 2007.
2. Research Abstract titled **“Role of Contrast Enhanced Computed Tomography in Detecting Cervical Lymph Node Metastasis”** published in International Journal of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery, 18th ICOMS Special Supplement Issue.

Activities and Achievements from December 2010 – till date (After Joining College of Dentistry, King Saud University)

Achievements

1. In December 2011, I was awarded the **“Fellowship of the Faculty of Dentistry”** in oral surgery and oral medicine by **the Royal College of Surgeons in Ireland**, Dublin, Republic of Ireland.

Academic activities

1. **Academic year 2010 – 2011 (1431 – 1432H)**
 - ✓ **Clinical instructor** for courses **311 MDS, 411 MDS** and **491 DEN**
 - ✓ **Course contributor** for **“Summer course” 211 MFS**
 - ✓ **Clinical supervisor for interns** in oral surgery
2. **Academic year 2011 – 2012 (1432 – 1433H)**
 - ✓ **Course contributor** for courses **211 MFS** and **312 MFS**
 - ✓ **Clinical instructor** for courses **311/312 MFS, 411 MDS** and **491 DEN**
 - ✓ **Course coordinator in MUC** for course **411 MDS**
 - ✓ **Clinical supervisor for interns** in oral surgery
3. **Academic year 2012 – 2013 (1433 – 1434H)**
 - ✓ **Course director** for course **411 MFS**
 - ✓ **Clinical instructor** for courses **311/312 MFS** and **413 MFS**
 - ✓ **Clinical supervisor for interns** in oral surgery

Clinical activities

1. I have my **specialist clinic scheduled once every week**. In addition I take part in the **“In house oral surgery clinic”** supervising the residents and interns.
2. I have been assigned **“on call duties”** covering the maxillofacial surgery wards at **King Khalid and King Abdulaziz University hospitals (KKUH/KAUH)**.

3. I have my **OR (Operating room) schedule** for major maxillofacial surgery cases at KKHU on **Monday, every week**. In addition I join the OR for emergency surgeries during my “on call rota”.
4. I have carried out “**Summer on call duties**” during the annual vacations for **academic years 2010-2011 and 2011-2012**. In addition to covering for the emergency oral and maxillofacial surgery cases at KKHU, I was involved in intern clinic and University staff clinic (USC) supervision at the College of Dentistry.

Administrative activities

1. During the **academic years 2010-2011 (1431-1432H) and 2011-2012 (1432-1433H)**, I was a **member of the “Quality development and Accreditation committee”** working under the Vice-deanship for Quality and Development at College of Dentistry, King Saud University.
2. I was actively **involved in the accreditation committee** during the **ADEE (Association for Dental Education in Europe) and NCAAA (National Commission for Academic Accreditation and Assessment) accreditation visits**.

Research projects

1. **Co-investigator in animal research using goat model** to study the **effect of different hemostatic agents (Surgicel, Bonewax) on healing of critical sized bone defects** of metatarsal bone.
2. **Co-investigator in animal research using goat model** to study the **bone regenerative capacity following sagittal split osteotomy and distraction osteogenesis of the mandible**.
3. **Co-investigator in animal research using rat model** to study the **bone regenerative capacity of different combinations of bone substitutes and growth factors in critical sized calvarial bone defects**.
4. **Co-investigator in animal research using rat model** to study the **bone regenerative capacity of bone substitutes used in combination with stem cells in critical sized calvarial bone defects**.

Publications

1. Manuscript titled **“The early effects of surgical and bone wax hemostatic agents in healing bone defects in goat feet”** – submitted for publication (Co-author).
2. Manuscript titled **“Evaluation of bone regenerative capacity following sagittal split osteotomy and distraction osteogenesis of goat mandibles”** – accepted for publication in Journal of Cranio Maxillofacial Surgery (Co-author).
5. Manuscript titled **“Immediate implant placement following the extraction of single rooted teeth”** – submitted for publication (Co-author).