

# Mohamad A. Eloubeidi

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#### **PERSONAL INFORMATION**

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Associate Chair for clinical Affairs

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Gastroenterology and Advanced Endoscopy of NEAL  
716 Leighton Avenue  
Anniston Alabama 36207  
From 7/1/2014 till 11/30/2014

#### **HOSPITAL AND OTHER (NON ACADEMIC) APPOINTMENTS**

Regional Medical Center of Northeast Alabama  
July 2013 till present

American University of Beirut Medical Center  
Professor of Medicine, Division of Gastroenterology 2010 till June 2013

University of Alabama at Birmingham Hospital  
Gastroenterology / Hepatology Attending Physician, July 2000 to 2010

Birmingham VA Hospital  
Courtesy Staff Position, July 2000 to 2010

Medical University of South Carolina  
Internal Medicine Instructor, July 1999 to June 2000

Durham VA Medical Center  
Internal Medicine Resident and Fellow August 1993 to June 1999

Duke University Medical Center

Internal Medicine Resident and Fellow August 1993 to June 1999

## **EDUCATION**

<u>Institution</u>	<u>Degree</u>	<u>Year</u>
American University of Beirut	Doctorate in Medicine with Distinction	1993
Duke University Medical Center	Master of health sciences in clinical research	1998
American University of Beirut	Bachelor of Science in Biology	1989

## **LICENSURE**

Alabama Medical Board, Medical License (23315)	2000-Present
South Carolina Medical License (20932)	1999-2000
North Carolina Medical License (96-00829), 1993-1999- Active since 2007	
Lebanese Order of Physician (1346/O)	2010-present

## **BOARD CERTIFICATION**

Diplomat, American Board of Internal Medicine	1996
Diplomat, Certified in Subspecialty of Gastroenterology	2000
Diplomat, American Board of Internal Medicine recertification GI	2011-2021
Diplomat, American Board of Internal Medicine recertification	2006-2016

## **POSTDOCTORAL TRAINING**

<u>Year</u>	<u>Rank/Title</u>	<u>Institution</u>
11/07-1/08	Advanced biliary Endoscopy	Duke University Medical Center
7/99-6/00	Fellowship (Endoscopic Ultrasound)	Medical University of South Carolina
7/96-6/99	Fellow in Gastroenterology	Duke University Medical center
7/96-6/98	Fellow in Health Services Research	Durham VA Medical Center
7/94-6/96	Internal Medicine Residency	Duke University Medical center
7/93-6-94	Internal Medicine Intern	Duke University Medical Center

## **ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS**

<u>Year</u>	<u>Rank/Title</u>	<u>Institution</u>
2012-2013	Associate chair for clinical affairs	American University of Beirut
2010-2013	Professor of Medicine	American University of Beirut
2004-2010	Associate Professor with tenure	University of Alabama
2000-2004	Assistant Professor of Medicine	University of Alabama
2000-2010	Director, Endoscopic Ultrasound Program	University of Alabama
2000-2010	Associate Scholar, Lister Hill Center for Health Policy	University of Alabama
2000-2010	Scientist, Center for Outcomes and Effectiveness research and education	University of Alabama
2000-2010	Associate Scientist, Experimental Therapeutics Committee Comprehensive Cancer Center	University of Alabama
2002-2010	Assistant Professor of Anatomic pathology	University of Alabama
2002-2010	Co-Director, Pancreaticobiliary center	University of Alabama

## AWARDS/HONORS

- 2012 Elected to Alpha Omega Alpha Medical honor society**
- 2010 America's Top Doctors, Jan 01, 2010.
- 2010 Elected American Gastroenterological Association Fellow
- 2009 Top cancer Doctor in America
- 2009 America's Top Doctors
- 2008 America's Top Doctors For Cancer
- 2008 Elected ACG governor for the state of Alabama
- 2007 America's Top Doctors For Cancer
- 2006 Elected to fellowship of the American Society for Gastrointestinal Endoscopy
- 2006 SSAT poster of distinction
- 2005 John Hanephin Award of Research Excellence in Pancreatic Cancer
- 2005 Protective Life Clinical Initiative Award
- 2004 Research Excellence in GI and liver award program (REGAL Award)
- 2004 Elected to Fellowship of the American College of Gastroenterology
- 2003 Elected to Fellowship of the American College of Physicians
- 2002 Lawlor Resident Award for the best abstract presented by a resident in training
- 2002 Presidential Poster Award American College of Gastroenterology x 2
- 2001 ASGE/Bard outstanding manuscript award (best manuscript published in Gastrointestinal Endoscopy in 2000 by a fellow in training)
- 2000 American College of Gastroenterology / AstraZeneca Senior Gastroenterology Research Award (best abstract presented by a fellow in training)
- 2000 DDW posters of Distinction X 2
- 1998 American College of Gastroenterology / Astra Pharmaceuticals Senior Gastroenterology Fellow Research Award (best abstract presented by a fellow in training)
- 1997 American College of Gastroenterology / Astra Merck Senior Gastroenterology Fellow Research Award (best abstract presented by a fellow in training)
- 1996 The Haskel Schiff Award for Excellence in the practice of Clinical Medicine Duke University Medical Center (Best Resident Award)
- 1993 Distinction, MD degree
- 1993 Hariri Foundation Award for Outstanding Medical Students
- 1993 Dean's Honor List, MD Degree
- 1992 Hariri Foundation Award for Outstanding Medical Students
- 1992 Dean's Honor List, MD Degree
- 1989 Dean's Honor List, BS Degree
- 1988 Dean's Honor List, BS Degree

## PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES AND MEMBERSHIPS

American College of Physicians	2000-present
American Gastroenterological Association	1996-present
American College of Gastroenterology	1996-present
American Society for Gastrointestinal Endoscopy	1996-present

## PEER REVIEW

American Journal of Gastroenterology	1998
Digestive Diseases and Sciences	1999-
American Journal of Medicine	1999-
American Journal of Managed Care	1999-
Gastroenterology	1999-
Scandinavian Journal of Gastroenterology	2000-
Gastrointestinal Endoscopy	2000-
Biomed Central	2001-
Endoscopy	2004-
Alimentary Pharmacology and Therapeutics	2005
Cytopathology	2005-
American Journal of Surgery	2005-
Archives of internal Medicine	2005-
Annals of Thoracic Surgery	2005
Lung Cancer	2006
Annals, Academy of Medicine, Singapore	2006
Journal of Gastroenterology and Hepatology	2006
Nature Clinical Practice Gastroenterology & Hepatology	2006
<i>Expert Review of Gastroenterology and Hepatology</i>	2007
Chest	2007
Diseases of the esophagus	2007
Lancet-Oncology	2008
The Journal of Gastrointestinal and Liver Diseases	2008
Expert Review of Gastroenterology and Hepatology	2009
Saudi Medical Journal,	2009-
Saudi Journal of Gastroenterology	2009-
Surgical Laparoscopy, Endoscopy & Percutaneous Techniques	2009
European journal of Surgical Oncology	2010
<b>Associate Editor, Clinical Gastroenterology and Hepatology</b>	<b>2007-2012</b>
<b>Editorial Board, Arab Journal of Gastroenterology 2009</b>	
<b>Editorial Review Board Gastrointestinal Endoscopy</b>	<b>2005</b>
<b>Editorial Board- Journal of Pancreas-</b>	<b>2010</b>
<b>Editorial Board Member World Journal of Gastroenterology</b>	<b>2010-2013</b>
<b>Editorial Board Member Gastroenterology Research and Practice</b>	<b>2009</b>
<b>Associate Editor, Endoscopic Ultrasound</b>	<b>2012-</b>

## OTHER POSITIONS

**Founder of the AUB Alumni of North America -North Carolina (AANA-NC) Chapter, May 1997**  
 President, AANA-NC 1997-1999

## COUNCILS AND COMMITTEES

### National Committees

American Society for Gastrointestinal Endoscopy	2002-2006
Annual Scientific Program Committee (EUS)	2002-2006
American College of Gastroenterology	2002-2005
Member research committee	

Chair, ASGE EUS abstract selection committee	2005-2006
Chair, EUS special interest group	2005-2008
AGA research awards review panel	2008-2011
AGA Imaging and technology committee abstract review	2005-2008
ASGE Scientific Program committee	2008-2011
ASGE Nominations Committee	2009-2010
ASGE Standard of Practice Committee	2013-

## **UNIVERSITY ACTIVITIES**

<b>Team Leader Collaborative practice committee Surgical/medical units</b>	<b>2013</b>
Morbidity and Mortality committee	2012-present
Patient Safety Committee	2012-present
Medical Board Committee -Committee of Peers	2010-2012
Biomedical Institutional Board (IRB)	2010-2013
Intern Selection Committee	2000-present
GI Cancer working group committee	2000-present

## **EDITORIAL BOARD MEMBERSHIP**

Gastrointestinal Endoscopy (Endoscopy around the world)	2002-2003
World Journal of Gastroenterology	2004-2006
Editorial Board review member Gastrointestinal Endoscopy	2005-

## **MAJOR RESEARCH INTERESTS**

My major area of research is gastrointestinal pre-malignant and malignant conditions such as Barrett's esophagus, esophageal cancer, colon cancer and polyps, and pancreatic cancer. More specifically, I focus on the role and impact of endoscopic ultrasonography in the evaluation of these conditions. In addition, the evaluation of the role of fine needle aspiration biopsy in diagnosing these conditions as a minimally invasive technique is currently the main focus of my research activities.

## **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

### **University of Alabama at Birmingham**

Teaching fellows endoscopy-consult service 2 months/year	2000-present
Teaching resident and fellows ward rotation 1 month/year	2001-present

### **Mentorship and Preceptorship for Residents and Fellows**

Victor K. Chen, M.D.	2001-2005
Tupper Iseman, M.D.	2001-2003
Carter Balart, M.D.	2002-2003
Murat Akdamar, M.D., M.P.H.	2002-2004
Pavan Manchikalapati, M.D.	2003-2005
Residency program, UAB Montgomery	

### **Medical University of South Carolina**

Organizer, Journal Club monthly conference	1999-2000
Organizer, Morbidity & Mortality conference	1999-2000

Hands on Teaching EUS for practicing physicians 1999-2000

### **Duke University Medical Center**

Instructor, Introduction to Clinical Practice course 1998-1998

Instructor, Physician Assistant Program, patient assessment course 1997-1998

Lecturer, Physician Assistant Program 1998-1999

## **MAJOR LECTURES AND VISITING PROFESSORSHIPS**

- **04/13 EUS-FNA beyond the GI tract Dubai, Endoscopy Summit**
- **01/13 EUS in the staging of GI and lung Malignancy. Medicine Grand rounds, Makassed hospital Beirut Lebanon**
- **11/12 Stenting in the GI tract, Lebanese society of Gastroenterology**
- **10/12 Role of EUS in pancreatobiliary disorders, Tehran Iran**
- **09/12 New EUS imaging techniques. State of the art lecture, 18<sup>th</sup> international EUS meeting, ST Petersburg, Russia**
- **07/12 Diagnostic and therapeutic applications of EUS, GI Grand rounds, Wayne State University, Detroit, Michigan**
- **5/12 EUS-AID aspiration, injection, drainage New Horizons. Imola, Italy**
- **5/12 EUS Video case demonstrations Imola, Italy**
- 03/11 Current advances and future development in EUS
- 02/11 Meet the professor: how to perform pancreatobiliary EUS, Riyadh, Saudi Arabia
- 02/11 EUS, CT or MRCP for the evaluation of pancreatobiliary malignancy, Riyadh, Saudi Arabia
- 11/10 EUS Guided FNA state of the Art lecture, 16<sup>th</sup> International EUS meeting Shanghai, China
- 10/10 EUS in Lung Cancer, Surgery Grand Round, American University of Beirut Medical Center
- 10/10 EUS in Lung Cancer, Internal Medicine Core Curriculum, American University of Beirut Medical Center
- 9/10 EUS in GI and lung cancer Lung Cancer, GI grand rounds American University of Beirut
- 6/10 EUS in Lung Cancer Staging and Diagnosis, CHUM, Montreal Canada
- 6/10 Esophageal Stenting in Benign Disease CHUM, Montreal Canada
- 6/10 Endoscopic Management of Complications after Esophageal Surgery and perforation, Montreal
- 5/10 State of the art Lecture DDW: Advancing EUS horizons
- 5/10 EUS A to Z ASGE postgraduate course New Orleans, LA
- 4/10 EUS in GI and Mediastinal malignancy GI grand rounds, Brookwood hospital
- 4/10 Stents in the UGI tract, GI grand rounds, UAB hospital
- 3/10 EUS in the evaluation of GI and Mediastinal malignancy GI grand rounds, UTSW
- 1/10 Evaluation of cystic lesions of the pancreas. ASGE/ACG course Las Vegas, Nevada
- 9/09 Endoscopic Ultrasound: Friend or foe for the surgeon? Surgery grand rounds UAB
- 6/09 EUS in GI and lung cancer Arkansas/Oklahoma endoscopic society meeting Dallas, Texas
- 2/09 Removable Esophageal stents, Beirut Governmental Hospital, GI grand rounds
- 2/09 EUS in GI and lung cancer Beirut Governmental Hospital, Medicine grand rounds
- 2/09 Removable Esophageal stents King Fahad Hospital Madinah Al Munawwarrah
- 2/09 EUS in the evaluation of GI malignancies, King Fahad Hospital Madinah Al Munawwarrah
- 12/08 EUS in the evaluation of EUS in pancreatobiliary disorders, UT Houston GI Grand rounds
- 12/08 Thoracic surgery Grand Rounds, EUS and EBUS in staging lung cancer, UT Houston
- 10/08 EUS in staging GI and lung cancer, St Joseph Hospital, Atlanta Georgia
- 2/08 Esophageal stents techniques and outcomes University of Alabama in Birmingham

- 2/08 EUS in staging GI and lung cancer, Medicine Grand rounds, Brody school of medicine ECU
- 1/08 EUS in GI and lung cancer Nursing grand round Duke University Medical Center
- 1/08 Esophageal stents techniques and outcomes GI grand round Duke University Medical Center
- 11/07 EUS devices for EUS-FNA Harvard Medical school
- 11/07 EUS in the mediastinum Harvard Medical School
- 9/07 EUS in lung cancer Beth Israel Deaconess hospital
- 9/07 EUS in GI and lung cancer Baylor college of Medicine, GI grand rounds
- 9/07 EUS in pancreaticobiliary disorders, ST Louis University, Fellows grand rounds Missouri
- 9/07 Case presentations with the fellows, ST Louis University, Missouri
- 9/07 EUS in lung cancer, 6<sup>th</sup> GI cancer symposium, ST Louis Missouri
- 3/07 EUS for pancreaticobiliary disorders, Riyadh Military Hospital, Saudi Arabia
- 3/07 EUS for GI malignancies, Riyadh Military Hospital, Saudi Arabia
- 3/07 EUS for the evaluation of gastrointestinal and lung disorders, Regional medical center Anniston,
- 2/07 EUS for the evaluation of gastrointestinal and lung disorders, Baptist Hospital Memphis, Tennessee
- 1/07 EUS for the evaluation of gastrointestinal and lung disorders, Medicine grand rounds, Caraway hospital, Birmingham, Alabama
- 12/06 EUS for the evaluation of GI and lung malignancies, Chattanooga Tennessee
- 11/06 Minimally invasive staging of lung cancer with EUS-FNA and EBUS- FNA Medicine Grand Round University of Alabama at Birmingham
- 10/06 The role of EUS in pancreatico-biliary disorders, UTSW visiting professorship, Dallas, Texas.
- 9/06 EUS-FNA in lung cancer staging: techniques and results Beth Israel deaconess hospital, Boston
- 8/06 Endoscopic Ultrasound in Lung cancer staging: new methods, AACP/STS course Chicago
- 8/06 EUS-FNA of solid pancreatic masses Mayo clinic, Rochester, Minnesota
- 8/06 EUS in mediastinal indications, Mayo clinic, Rochester, Minnesota
- 7/06 Endoscopic Ultrasound: Columbus Georgia
- 6/06 EUS-guided FNA in lymphoma of the GI Tract, The 6<sup>th</sup> Pan-Arab Congress of Gastroenterology, Beirut, Lebanon
- 3/06 The role of EUS in Pancreatico-biliary disorders, Surgery grand rounds, The university of Alabama at Birmingham
- 3/06 The Management of Submucosal Lesions in the GI Tract: All that is Submucosal is Not a Lipoma; 3<sup>rd</sup> International Workshop on Therapeutic Endoscopy with GI/Hepatology Update, Galveston, Texas,
- 3/06 Endoscopic Video Case Presentation; The 3<sup>rd</sup> International Workshop on Therapeutic Endoscopy GI/Hepatology Update, Galveston, Texas
- 3/06 Endoscopic Ultrasound in Esophageal Cancer Staging; The Stowe Conference on Digestive Diseases, Stowe, Vermont, University of Vermont
- 2/06 The role of EUS in staging GI malignancies and lung cancer, visiting Professorship, Medicine Grand rounds, University of Missouri-Columbia
- 2/06 Role of EUS in evaluating mediastinal disease and staging lung cancer, invited speaker National STS meeting, Chicago Illinois
- 11/05 Applications of EUS, Southeast Gastroenterology, Dothan, Alabama
- 11/05 Role of EUS and EUS-FNA in the evaluation of patients with pancreatic cancer, Pancreatic cancer research event, Birmingham, Alabama
- 10/05 "Pancreatico-biliary EUS: State of the Art", Pancreatic cancer SPORE research conference UAB

- 9/05 Minimally invasive staging with EUS and Endobronchial ultrasound in patients with lung cancer
- Protective life awards Ceremony, Birmingham, Alabama
- 9/05 “Pancreatico-biliary EUS: State of the Art”, GI grand rounds UAB
- 9/05 Developing an academic endoscopic ultrasound program, the UAB experience
- Visiting Professorship, Emory University, Atlanta, Georgia
- 8/05 Applications and indications of Endoscopic Ultrasound- Fellows conference, UAB
- 7/05 Endoscopic Ultrasound: clinical applications relevant to coding. American Academy of Professional coders Local Chapter, Birmingham Alabama.
- 7/05 Role of EUS-FNA in tissue acquisition for translational research in pancreatic cancer: 13<sup>th</sup> annual
- SPORE meeting Washington , DC.
- 5/05 EUS: The year in review. EUS special interest group lecture, DDW 2005. Chicago Illinois
- 5/05 EUS Achievements, Challenges and Future Directions. State-of-The art lecture, Pancreatico-biliary EUS, DDW 2005.
- 4/05 The diagnosis and Management of pancreatitis, Medicine grand Rounds, Montgomery Residency program, Montgomery, Alabama.
- 3/05 The emerging role of EUS in the diagnosis and treatment of Malignancy. Montgomery Cancer Center, Montgomery, Alabama.
- 3/05 Colorectal cancer screening symposium for the primary care physician, UAB
- 12/04 Newer Techniques in staging GI and pulmonary Malignancies, Medicine Grand rounds, American University of Beirut, Beirut, Lebanon
- 9/04 Role of Endoscopic Ultrasound in the mediastinum and lung cancer, GI Grand rounds, Barnes-Jewish hospital, Washington University, St Louis Missouri- visiting professorship
- 8/04 Applications and indications of Endoscopic Ultrasound- Fellows conference, UAB
- 8/04 Colorectal cancer in primary care, Birmingham VA Medical Center
- 6/04 Colorectal cancer screening symposium for the primary care physician, UAB
- 01/04 Developing an academic endoscopic ultrasound program, the UAB experience GI grand rounds, University of Alabama at Birmingham
- 11/03 Endoscopic Ultrasound research update and highlights for the practicing gastroenterologist American College of Gastroenterology, Birmingham, Alabama
- 10/03 The evolving role of Endoscopic Ultrasound in the evaluation and treatment of pancreatic tumors, in Diseases of the liver, biliary tract and pancreas, American College of Surgeons 89<sup>th</sup> Clinical congress and Postgraduate Course, Chicago, Illinois
- 10/03 EUS within the intestinal wall. Endoscopic Ultrasound symposium American College of Gastroenterology Postgraduate Course, Baltimore, Maryland
- 10/03 EUS applications and Pitfalls Meet the Professor Luncheon, American College of Gastroenterology Postgraduate Course, Baltimore, Maryland
- 9/03 Accuracy, Outcomes, and Impact of EUS in Esophageal Cancer. In Beyond Conventional Endoscopy: Developments in Endoscopic Ultrasound (EUS) and Pancreatobiliary Therapy, course faculty Ochsner Clinic Foundation, New Orleans, Louisiana
- 9/03 Endoscopic Ultrasound Tri-state (Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana) Society of Gastroenterology Nurses and Associates Biloxi, Mississippi
- 9/03 Techniques for staging lung cancer in the third Millennium. Medicine Grand rounds, University of Alabama at Birmingham, Birmingham, Alabama
- 8/03 Endoscopic Ultrasound. Medicine Grand Rounds. University of Alabama Medical West, Birmingham, Alabama



- 8/03 Endoscopic Ultrasound-Guided fine needle aspiration biopsy: new frontiers in Cytopathology. Southern Association of Cytotechnologist's, Inc. 43<sup>rd</sup> Annual Scientific meeting. Birmingham, Alabama
- 4/03 Gastrointestinal stromal tumors Pancreaticobiliary club conference (for the referring gastroenterologist) Birmingham, Alabama
- 4/03 Colon cancer prevention. Collegeville community Health Fair Bethel Baptist Church, Birmingham, Alabama
- 8/02 Endoscopic ultrasound: does it have a role in a surgeon's cosmos? Surgery grand rounds: UAB, Birmingham, Alabama
- 6/02 Staging modalities for esophageal cancer. GI grand rounds Duke University Medical center, Durham, North Carolina
- 2/02 Endoscopic Ultrasound for staging esophageal cancer in Photodynamic therapy course. University of Alabama at Birmingham, Birmingham, Alabama
- 2/02 Colorectal cancer screening in primary care, Preventive Medicine, University of Alabama at Birmingham, Birmingham, Alabama
- 1/02 Esophageal cancer. GI Grand rounds, University of Alabama at Birmingham, Birmingham, Alabama
- 10/01 Endoscopic ultrasound: Alabama Society of Gastroenterology Nurses and Associates. Gulf Shores, Alabama
- 8/01 Journal Club discussions esophageal cancer University of Alabama at Birmingham, Birmingham, Alabama
- 4/01 Pancreaticobiliary conference EUS-FNA of suspected pancreatic cancer. Birmingham, Alabama
- 4/01 Endoscopic Ultrasound: progress report to hospital administration
- 2/01 Vapreotide in upper gastrointestinal hemorrhage in cirrhosis. Jornal Club review for fellows: GI division, University of Alabama at Birmingham, Birmingham, Alabama
- 11/00 Endoscopic Ultrasound: Applications and outcomes, Research seminar: University of Alabama at Birmingham, Birmingham, Alabama
- 11/00 The role of Endoscopic Ultrasonography in the evaluation of pancreaticobiliary disorders, first pancreaticobiliary center symposium. University of Alabama at Birmingham, Birmingham, Alabama
- 11/00 Selected Presentations from the 65<sup>th</sup> Annual Scientific Meeting of the American College of Gastroenterology, Birmingham, Alabama
- 9/00 Endoscopic Ultrasound: GI Division grand rounds, University of Alabama at Birmingham, Birmingham, Alabama

### **National and International Courses Faculty**

- **10/12 International Speaker at the 6<sup>th</sup> Congress on pancreatobiliary diseases Tehran Iran**
- **9/12 Course Faculty, 18<sup>th</sup> International Symposium on Endoscopy Ultrasonography (EUS2012) lectures, St Petersburg, Russia**
- 03/11 International speaker: GO 2011, Antalya Turkey March 11-13 2011
- 02/11 International speaker: 8th pan-Arab gastroenterology conference and the 11th Saudi Gastroenterology Association. February 8th-10th 2011
- 11/10 Course Faculty, 17<sup>th</sup> International Symposium on Endoscopy Ultrasonography (EUS2010) lectures and live demonstration, Shanghai, China

- 9/10 Lecture, EUS in Lung Cancer, 5<sup>th</sup> National IEC Course/2<sup>nd</sup> International EGEUS Course, Turin, Italy
- 6/10 International Course faculty Diagnostic and Therapeutic Thoracic Endoscopy – 2010, Montreal, Canada
- 5/10 Course Faculty ASGE/DDW
- 1/10 Course Faculty ACG/ASGE Best Practices Course- Las Vegas Nevada
- 2/09 Course faculty, 10<sup>th</sup> International Saudi International Gastroenterology course, Medinah A-Munawarrh -Saudi Arabia- Lectures and chairperson
- 8/08 EUS 2008, Mayo clinic, Rochester, Minnesota
- 11/07 EUS live 2007, Massachusetts General Hospital, Harvard Medical school
- 9/07 Endobronchial Ultrasound, Beth Israel Deaconess Hospital, Harvard Medical School
- 9/07 Course faculty, 6<sup>th</sup> GI cancer symposium, ST Louis Missouri
- 3/07 Course faculty, 9<sup>th</sup> International Endoscopy Course and Workshop, Riyadh, Saudi Arabia- Lectures and live demonstrations
- 2/07 Course Director, EUS in the evaluation of mediastinal disease, (Symposium and Hands on Wet Lab) 43 Annual Meeting of The Society of Thoracic Surgeons, San Diego California
- 8/06 Endobronchial Ultrasound, Harvard Medical School
- 8/06 Multidisciplinary care of thoracic surgery patients, ACCP/ATS sponsored course, Chicago, Illinois
- 8/06 EUS 2006, Mayo clinic, Rochester, Minnesota
- 6/06 The 6<sup>th</sup> Pan-Arab Congress of Gastroenterology, Beirut, Lebanon
- 3/06 3<sup>rd</sup> International Workshop on Therapeutic Endoscopy with GI/Hepatology Update, Galveston, Texas,
- 3/06 Endoscopic Ultrasound in Esophageal Cancer Staging; The Stowe Conference on Digestive Diseases, Stowe, Vermont, University of Vermont
- 2/06 Course Director, EUS in the evaluation of mediastinal disease, (Symposium and Hands on Wet Lab) 42 Annual Meeting of The Society of Thoracic Surgeons, Chicago Illinois
- 1/05 Course Director, EUS in the evaluation of mediastinal disease, (Symposium and Hands on Wet Lab) 41st Annual Meeting of The Society of Thoracic Surgeons, Tampa Florida
- 12/04 International Expert in EUS: Sixth international course in therapeutic endoscopy, (ASGE sponsored), Live EUS demonstrations, Cairo, Egypt

## GRANT SUPPORT

1. **Deep South CanCors Colorectal and Lung Cancer PDCR Site U01 CA93329 Co-Investigator;** (PI-Mona Fouad, M.D., MHS) (09/28/01-08/31/06) National Cancer Institute. Bethesda, Maryland \$5,592,089 5%
2. **Training Strategy for Office-Based Sigmoidoscopy. SIP-10 -Principal Investigator** (10/01/01-10/01/03) Center for Disease Control, Atlanta, Georgia \$388,763 15%
3. **Charges and Reimbursements for Endoscopic Procedures. SIP-12 Co-Investigator;** (PI-Jeffrey Burkhart, Ph.D) (10/01/01-10/01/03) Center for Disease Control, Atlanta, Georgia \$261,394 5%
4. **Community-based, multi-pronged project to increase public awareness.** Co-PI; (PI-Shipp) (10/01/02-10/01/07) Center for Disease Control, Atlanta, Georgia and Alabama Department of Public Health \$ 510, 000 2%

5. **Pancreatic Cancer SPORE – Clinical COERE C** NIH/NCI -Co-Investigator;  
Co-Director clinical core (PI – Selwyn Vickers) (9/15/03 – 9/14/08) \$3,265,719.00 5%
6. **Community-based Strategies for colorectal cancer control** Centers for Disease  
Control (CDC) (PI – Shipp) (10/1/02 – 06/30/07) \$ 100,000 2%
7. **Perceived discrimination in colorectal cancer care National Center on Minority  
Health & Health Disparities** (PI – Shipp) (10/1/03 – 9/30/07) \$123, 231 5%
8. **Use of a community-based intervention to increase utilization of colorectal cancer screening among African  
American women and men in urban areas** (PI Holt) SIP 5 CDC 4 years \$1,465,451 (10-1-05- 9/30/09) 5%
9. **Protective Life Clinical Initiative grant award- Ambulatory Endoscopic Unit for minimally invasive staging of  
patients with lung cancer-** (PI Eloubeidi) 2 years (2005-2007) 278,000 – 0% effort

## MANUSCRIPTS

### Manuscripts already published-Original Contributions

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2. Conlon PJ, Procop GJ, Fowler VG, Eloubeidi MA, Smith SR, Sexton DJ. Predictors of  
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American Journal of Gastroenterology 1998; 93: 906-910.
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7(5): 445-51.
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Aortic Aneurysm. Digestive Diseases & Sciences. 2000; 45(10): 1977-1980.
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