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### **EDUCATION**

**Cornell University Medical College**, New York, NY  
Doctor of Medicine, May 2002

**Duke University**, Durham, NC  
B.S. in Biology, Minor in Religion, *magna cum laude*, May 1998

### **POST-GRADUATE TRAINING**

**Children's Hospital Boston**, Harvard Medical School, Boston, MA  
AAPOS Pediatric Ophthalmology Fellow, July 2006-June 2007

**New York University-Manhattan Eye, Ear & Throat Hospital**, Department of Ophthalmology, NY, NY  
Executive Chief Resident, May 2005-June 2006  
Resident, July 2003-June 2006

**New York Presbyterian Hospital**, New York, NY  
Transitional Intern, New York Hospital Medical Center of Queens, July 2002-June 2003

### **WORK EXPERIENCE**

**Associate Ophthalmologist**, Honolulu Eye Clinic, private practice, July 2008-Present

**Assistant in Ophthalmology**, Children's Hospital Boston and **Associate in Ophthalmology, Harvard Medical School**, July 2007-June 2008

- Director of Ophthalmology Resident Training, Children's Hospital Boston

**Clinical Research Assistant**, Department of Pediatric Ophthalmology, **Sankara Nethralaya Eye Institute**, Madras, India, Feb-April 2002

- Sponsor: Dr. S. Meenakshi. Assessed the efficacy of utilizing Lea Symbol vs. Snellen visual acuity testing for the measurement of the interocular differences of preliterate amblyopes.

**Clinical Research Assistant**, Department of Ophthalmology, **Cornell Medical College**, New York, NY, June-August 2001

- Sponsor: Dr. D. Jackson Coleman. Investigated very high resolution ultrasound biometry of the anterior segment for design constraints on toric intraocular lens.

**Research Fellow**, Department of Neurology, **Cornell Medical College**, NY NY, June-August 1999

- Sponsor: Dr. Norman Relkin. Assisted in developing a neuroimaging paradigm using functional MRI and verbal fluency tasks to screen for Alzheimer's Disease.

**Teaching Assistant, Duke University Talent Identification Program, Durham NC, June-August 1998**

- Taught classes in World Religions and Mathematics Problem Solving to academically gifted teenagers in the top ¼% of students in the nation

**Science Teacher and Department Chair, Summerbridge, Locust Valley, NY, June-August 1997**

- Taught sixth grade science and organized department science fair for underprivileged, highly motivated middle school children

**HONORS**

Von L. Meyer Award, Children's Hospital Boston (2006)  
Farley Fellowship Award, Children's Hospital Boston (2006)  
*Ophthalmology Times* Resident Writer's Award, Second Place (AAO, 2005)  
CLAO Young Investigators Award (2005)  
Dr. Milton B. Rosenbluth Fellowship (2002)  
John Hartford AFAR National Research Fellowship (1999)  
Duke University Undergraduate Research Fellowship (1995-96)  
B.N. Duke Leadership Scholarship (1994-98)  
National Merit Scholarship (1994)

**PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS**

American Board of Ophthalmology, Diplomate  
American Association for Pediatric Ophthalmologists and Strabismus, Candidate-in-Training  
American Academy of Ophthalmology, Fellow  
American Medical Association  
Association for Research in Vision and Ophthalmology

**COMMITTEES**

Ad-hoc Reviewer, Journal of AAPOS  
Residency Selection Committee, NYU-Manhattan Eye, Ear & Throat Hospital, 2005

**LICENSURE**

Massachusetts State Medical License, Number 227395  
Hawaii State Medical License, MD-14668

**POSTERS/ PRESENTATIONS**

“Prevalence and Etiology of Visually Significant Pediatric Cataracts” Krishnamurthy R, VanderVeen DK. Association for Research in Vision and Ophthalmology, Ft. Lauderdale, FL, May 2007

“Prevalence and Course of Strabismus in Patients After Congenital Cataract Surgery” Heidary G, Krishnamurthy R, VanderVeen D. Association for Research in Vision and Ophthalmology, Ft. Lauderdale, FL, May 2007

“Presentation and Cause of Congenital Dacryocystocele” Krishnamurthy R, Kukuyev A, VanderVeen D. AAPOS meeting, April 2007.

“Juvenile Idiopathic Arthritis and Uveitis: Screening Guidelines and Therapeutic Strategies.” Lecture at Pediatric Rheumatology Grand Rounds, Boston Children's Hospital, Sept, 2006.

“Surgical Removal of Intralenticular Ferrous Foreign Body” Krishnamurthy R, Dodick J. Presentation at AMO Resident Writer's Award Program, AAO, Chicago, October 2005.

“Initial Hyperopic and Hyperopic Astigmatism LASIK Experience with the WaveLight ALLEGRETTO WAVE Excimer Laser in 120 Consecutive Eyes”. Krishnamurthy R, Papakostas TD, Kanellopoulos AJ, Association for Research in Vision and Ophthalmology, Ft Lauderdale, FL May 2006

“Topography Guided LASIK Enhancement, Early Experience in 16 Symptomatic Eyes.” Krishnamurthy R., Kanellopoulos AJ, Pe L, Jankov M. Association for Research in Vision and Ophthalmology, Ft. Lauderdale, FL, May 2005.

“What is an Ocular Emergency?” Krishnamurthy R, Stein J, Howard D, Stenson S. Contact Lens and Eyecare Symposium, San Diego, CA, Jan 2005.

“Assessment of the Accuracy of Lea Symbols as a Vision Testing Tool in Amblyopes”. Krishnamurthy R, Meenakshi S. The Association for Research in Vision and Ophthalmology, Ft. Lauderdale, FL, April 2004.

“What is an Eye Emergency?” Stein JD, Krishnamurthy R, Howard D, et al., Contact Lens and Eyecare Symposium, Orlando, FL, Jan. 2004

“VHF Wide-angle Ultrasound Biometry of the Anterior Segment for Toric Lens Placement.” Rondeau MJ, Barcsay G, Krishnamurthy R, Du T, Silverman RH, Reinstein DZ, Coleman DJ. The Association for Research in Vision and Ophthalmology, Ft. Lauderdale, FL, May 2002

### **PUBLICATIONS**

Krishnamurthy R, Cunningham ET. Atypical presentation of syphilitic uveitis associated with keratic plaques. *British Journal of Ophthalmology*, in press

Krishnamurthy R, Vanderveen DK. Infantile cataracts. *Int Ophthalmol Clin*. 2008 Spring; 48(2): 175-92.

Rondeau MJ, Barcsay G, Silverman RH, Reinstein DZ, Krishnamurthy R, Chabi A, Du T Coleman DJ. Very high frequency ultrasound biometry of the anterior and posterior chamber diameter. *Journal of Refractive Surgery* 2004; 20(5):454-464.

Bentel GC, Marks LB, Krishnamurthy R, Prosnitz LR. Comparison of two repositioning devices used during radiation therapy for Hodgkin's Disease. *International Journal of Radiation Oncology, Biology & Physics* 1997; 38(4):791-95.

Bentel GC, Marks LB, Krishnamurthy R. Impact of cradle immobilization on setup reproducibility during external beam radiation therapy for lung cancer. *International Journal of Radiation Oncology, Biology & Physics* 1997; 38(3): 527-31.

### **LANGUAGES**

Conversational in Spanish and Tamil

### **INTERESTS**

Tennis, restoring furniture, Indian dance, salsa dancing