

# Curriculum Vitae

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## Education

1978 M.B.B.S. from Kakatiya University, Warangal, Andhra Pradesh, India  
1983 D.A. in Anesthesiology from Osmania University, Hyderabad, India  
1984 M.D. in Anesthesiology from Osmania Medical College, Hyderabad, India  
06/1981 - 06/1984 Postgraduate in Anesthesiology from Osmania General Hospital, Hyderabad, India

## Training

06/1978 - 06/1979 Internship from M.G.M Hospital, Warangal, A.P. India  
07/1993 - 06/1994 Residency in Anesthesiology from Vanderbilt University Medical Center, Nashville, TN  
07/1994 - 06/1995 Internship in General Surgery from Vanderbilt University Medical Center, Nashville, TN

## Licensure and Certification

N/A Medical, Diplomat, American Board of Anesthesiology  
N/A Medical, Medical Licensure – Tennessee, , South Carolina

## Academic Appointments

07/1997 - 07/1998 Instructor, Vanderbilt University (Nashville, Tennessee)  
07/1997 - 07/1998 Clinical Instructor, Anesthesiology, Vanderbilt University Medical Center (Nashville, Tennessee)  
07/1998 - 06/1999 Instructor, Vanderbilt University (Nashville, Tennessee)  
07/1998 - 06/2006 Assistant Professor, Anesthesiology, Vanderbilt University Medical Center (Nashville, Tennessee)  
07/1999 - 02/2006 Assistant Professor, Vanderbilt University (Nashville, Tennessee)  
03/2006 - 06/2008 Associate Professor of Clinical, Vanderbilt University (Nashville, Tennessee)  
07/2006 - Present Associate Professor, Anesthesiology, Vanderbilt University Medical Center (Nashville, Tennessee)  
07/2008 - 06/2016 Associate Professor of Clinical Anesthesiology, Vanderbilt University (Nashville, Tennessee)  
07/2016 - Present Associate Clinical Professor of Anesthesiology, Vanderbilt University (Nashville, Tennessee)

## Hospital Appointments

06/1984 - 03/1993 Consultant Anesthesiologist, Shenoy Hospital (Secunderabad APIndia)  
06/1984 - 03/1993 Consultant Anesthesiologist, Kodali Hospital (Balanagar Hyderabad APIndia)  
07/1997 - Present Staff Anesthesiologist, V.A. Medical Center (Nashville, Tennessee)  
07/1997 - Present Attending Anesthesiologist, Anesthesiology, Vanderbilt University Medical Center (Nashville, Tennessee)

## Other Work Experience

03/2001 - Present Medical Director, Operating Room Suites, V.A. Medical Center (Nashville, Tennessee)  
03/2001 - Present Assistant Chief, Anesthesiology, V.A. Medical Center (Nashville, Tennessee)  
07/2004 - 06/2005 Section Chief, Sectional Vascular Anesthesia/Department of Anesthesiology, Vanderbilt University Medical Center (Nashville, Tennessee)

## Professional Organizations

American Society of Anesthesiologists  
Indian Society of Anesthesiologists  
Indian Medical Association

## Professional Activities

### Intramural

07/1997 - 06/2003 Tissue and transfusion Committee, VA Medical Center, Member  
07/2000 - Present Resident Clinical Competency Evaluation Committee, Department of Anesthesiology, Vanderbilt University Medical Center, Member  
06/2003 - Present Pharmacy and Therapeutics Committee, VA Medical Center, Alternate Member  
06/2004 - Present Medical education Sub-Committee, Department of Anesthesiology, Vanderbilt University Medical Center, Member

### Extramural

07/2011 - 06/2012 OR utilisation committee, Veterans Administration medical center Nashville campus, To monitor optimal utilisation of allotted OR time slots by all services in the OR, Chairperson

## Teaching Activities

07/1997 - Present Resident teaching in General surgical, hepato-biliary and Cardio-thoracic anesthesia and mock oral boards training  
07/1997 - Present VMSIII rotation in Anesthesiology, Course Director  
07/1997 - Present Summer Internship VMSII in Anesthesiology, Course Director  
07/1997 - 2003 VMSIV Anesthesiology rotation, Preceptor, VA Medical Center, Nashville  
07/2006 - Present Critical Care Skills course for VMSIII: VMSIII, Course lecturer  
01/2013 - 01/2013 1/24/13: written board review board review, VA CONFERENCE ROOM

## Other Significant Activities

N/A Intense oral board prep for junior attendings: Currently Dr Hemachandra and Dr Kevin Preece who are appearing in April 2013 and later Dr Brockway who appears in Ser 2013

## Honors / Awards

2008 Golden Apple Award for Excellence in Teaching  
2009 Golden Apple Award for Excellence in Teaching  
06/2011 Volker Striepe Award for excellence in teaching, anesthesiology

## Publications

### Non-Peer Reviewed Publications

#### Research Articles

1. Janicki PK, **Pai R**, Kelly Wright J, Chapman WC, Wright Pinson C. Ischemic optic neuropathy after liver transplantation. *Anesthesiology* 2001 Feb;94(2):361-3. PMID: 11176105.
2. Janicki PK, Stoica C, Chapman WC, Wright JK, Walker G, **Pai R**, Walia A, Pretorius M, Pinson CW. Water warming garment versus forced air warming system in prevention of intraoperative hypothermia during liver transplantation: a randomized controlled trial [ISRCTN32154832]. *BMC anesthesiology* 2002 Nov;2(1):7. PMID: 12441007 PMCID: PMC137608.
3. Walia A, Mandell MS, Mercaldo N, Michaels D, Robertson A, Banerjee A, **Pai R**, Klinck J, Weinger M, Pandharipande P, Schumann R. Anesthesia for liver transplantation in US academic centers: institutional structure and perioperative care. *Liver transplantation : official publication of the American Association for the Study of Liver Diseases and the International Liver Transplantation Society* 2012 Jun;18(6):737-43. PMID: 22407934.