



## **ACTIVITIES**

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American Academy of Ophthalmology - July 2006 to Present, member  
American Society of Ophthalmic Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery – July 2009 to Present, fellow  
Tennessee Academy of Ophthalmology- July 2009 to Present, member  
Ophthalmic Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery Journal- April 2011 to Present, Peer Review  
Association for Research in Vision and Ophthalmology – May 2009 to Present, member

- Moderator – 2010 Annual Meeting, Optic Nerve and Brain Trauma Session

Memphis Grizzlies Team Physician – October 2009 to April 2010

- Served as team ophthalmologist for the Memphis Grizzlies of the National Basketball Association

Medical College of Georgia Ophthalmology Lecture Series – July 2008 to June 2009

- Created and delivered lecture series to promote ophthalmic knowledge in medical students, technicians and other specialties such as Emergency Medicine, Neurology, and Otolaryngology

American Medical Association – Medical Student Section – August 2001 to 2005

- Voting Delegate – Represented MCG at the AMA national convention in Chicago to discuss and formulate policy on issues facing medical students throughout the country

Oxford University Study Abroad Program – Oxford, England May 2000 to August 2000

- Traveled to various European cities including Moscow, St. Petersburg, Budapest, Prague, Berlin, and London to explore subjects varying from Medieval English history to Cold War Politics

The Fraternity of Phi Gamma Delta, September 1998 to Present

- Pledge Class Treasurer – Arranged for fundraising activities and allocated funds
- Risk Management Chair – Responsible for the safety and well-being of one hundred and ten brothers
- Medicine Interest Group Founder/Coordinator – advised undergraduate brothers on subjects ranging from preparation for the MCAT to applying to medical school
- Alumni Association – raised funds to help support undergraduate activities

Georgia Tech Alumni Association, August 2001 to Present  
National Society of Collegiate Scholars, August 1999 to Present  
Golden Key Society, March 2000 to Present

## **HONORS**

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2007 and 2008 Johnny Gayton Award Winner for Highest Resident OKAP Score  
Georgia Tech President's Scholarship winner  
Governor's Scholarship winner  
Hope Scholarship recipient  
Phi Gamma Delta Academic Scholarship winner  
Fleet's Study Abroad Scholarship winner  
1999 Chemical Rubber Company Award for Most Outstanding Freshmen Chemist  
Faculty Honors at Georgia Tech (One quarter)  
Dean's List at Georgia Tech (Two quarters and six semesters)

## **PUBLICATIONS**

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Oester A, Baffi J, Ambati B. *Focal Points* module: “Retinal Pharmacotherapy: Targeting Ocular Neovascularization.” American Academy of Ophthalmology 2008.

Williams Z, Oester A, Stinnett S, Morris C, Woodward J. “Cosmetic Surgery Survey of American Society of Oculoplastic and Reconstructive Surgery Members and a 6-year Comparison.” *Ophthalmic Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery*. 2010 Mar-Apr; 26(2): 95-9.

Oester A, Sahu P, Fowler B, Fleming J. “Radiographic Predictors of Visual Outcome in Orbital Compartment Syndrome.” *Ophthalmic Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery*. (Accepted)

Oester A, Fowler B, Fleming J. “Inferior Orbital Septum Release Compared to Lateral Canthotomy and Cantholysis in the Management of Orbital Compartment Syndrome.” *Ophthalmic Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery*. (Accepted)

## **POSTERS AND PRESENTATIONS**

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Williams Z, Oester A, Stinnett S, Morris C, Woodward J. “Cosmetic Surgery Survey of ASOPRS Members and a Six-Year Comparison.” 2008 ASOPRS Annual Fall Scientific Symposium Poster Presentation.

Oester A, Saul A, Oghi M, Caldwell W. “Potential for Central Retinal Artery Occlusion with the use of Triesence versus Kenalog.” 2009 Medical College of Georgia Scientific Update Course Presentation.

Oester A, Sahu P, Fleming J. “Radiographic Predictors of Visual Outcome in Orbital Compartment Syndrome.” 2010 ARVO Annual Meeting Poster Presentation.

Oester A, Ditta L, Fleming J. “Severe Sclerosing Lipogranulomatosis of the Face Following Self-Injection of Vitamin E Oil.” 2010 ASOPRS Spring Meeting Presentation.

Nix T, Oester A, Fleming J. “Malignant Fibrous Histiocytoma of the Orbit Masquerading as a Blind Painful Eye.” 2010 UT-Memphis Department of Ophthalmology Research Day Presentation.

Oester A, Sahu P, Fowler B, Fleming J. “Radiographic Predictors of Visual Outcome in Orbital Compartment Syndrome.” 2010 ASOPRS Annual Fall Scientific Symposium Poster Presentation.

Oester A, Fowler B, Fleming J. “Inferior Orbital Septum Release Compared to Lateral Canthotomy and Cantholysis in the Management of Orbital Compartment Syndrome.” 2010 ASOPRS Annual Fall Scientific Symposium Poster Presentation.

Fowler B, Oester A, Fleming J. “A Novel Use of Punctal Plugs in Patients with Haemolacria.” 2011 ARVO Annual Meeting Poster Presentation.

## **EXTRACURRICULAR**

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Family – enjoy all my adventures with my wife and son

Running – participate in road races up to half-marathon distance

Travel – both domestic and international including such cities as New York City, San Francisco, Moscow, St. Petersburg, Budapest, Prague, Vienna, Berlin, London, etc

Intramural Sports – participate and coach multiple sports including basketball and flag football

Snow Skiing – avid skier with trips to some of North America’s top resorts such as Whistler-  
Blackcomb, Park City, and Vail  
Outdoor Sports Enthusiast – golf, wake boarding, water skiing, hiking  
Georgia Tech Athletics – passionate fan