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Educational Background

1989. 3 – 1995. 2: M.D. degree from The Catholic University of Korea, College of Medicine, Seoul, Korea

2000. 3 - 2004. 8: Master's degree from The Catholic University of Korea, Graduate School, Seoul, Korea

2007. 3 – 2010. 2: Ph.D. degree from The Catholic University of Korea, Graduate School, Seoul, Korea

Professional Experiences

1995. 3 - 1996. 2: Rotating Internship, Catholic Medical Center, The Catholic University of Korea, College of Medicine

1996. 3 - 2000. 2: Residency in Internal Medicine, Catholic Medical Center, The Catholic University of Korea, College of Medicine

2003. 5 – 2005. 2: Fellow in Division of Pulmonology, Department of Internal Medicine, Seoul St. Mary's Hospital, The Catholic University of Korea

2005. 3 – 2005. 8: Instructor of Division of Pulmonology, Department of Internal Medicine, St. Vincent's Hospital, The Catholic University of Korea

2005. 8 - 2006. 3: Instructor of Division of Pulmonology, Department of Internal Medicine, Bucheon St. Mary's Hospital, The Catholic University of Korea

2006. 4 – 2010. 12: Assistant Professor of Division of Pulmonology, Department of Internal Medicine, Bucheon St. Mary's Hospital, The Catholic University of Korea

2011 -2012: Overseas training after a doctor's degree in UCSF

2015. 3- 2020.03: Associate Professor of Division of Pulmonology, Department of Internal Medicine, Bucheon St. Mary's Hospital, The Catholic University of Korea

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Professional Organizations

Member, The Korean Medical Association

Member, Korean Association of Internal Medicine

Member, Korean Academy of Tuberculosis and Respiratory Disease

Member, Korean Association for the Study of Lung Cancer

Member, American College of Chest Physician

Member, European respiratory society

Member, Asian Pacific Society of Respirology

Main Scientific Publications

Interstitial lung diseases: respiratory review of 2013. Tuberc Respir Dis (Seoul). 2013 Aug;75(2):47-51.

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