

MELISSA J. PRZEKLASA AUTH, M.D.

EDUCATION

Pediatric Neurology Residency/Fellowship

UCLA, Los Angeles, California

July 2007-June 2010

Pediatric Residency/Internship

UCLA Tri-Campus Program, Los Angeles, California

June 2004-June 2007

Medical School

Keck School of Medicine at the University of Southern California, Los Angeles, California

Medical Doctoral Degree May 2004

Undergraduate University

University of California San Diego, Revelle College, La Jolla, California

Bachelor of Science in *General Biology*

Bachelor of Science in *Psychology* with Honors

Graduate - Class of 2000, Cum Laude with a Cumulative

ACADEMIC HONORS AND AFFILIATIONS

Phi Beta Kappa

Inducted 1999

Golden Key Honor Society

Inducted 1997

Revelle College UCSD Outstanding Senior Academic & Leadership Award

Spring 2000

Revelle College UCSD Ernest C. Mort Leadership Award

Spring 1998 & Spring 1999

CERTIFICATION:

American Board of Psychiatry and Neurology, Diplomate

September 2010

USMLE Step III

August 9, 2005

USMLE Step II

October 23, 2003

USMLE Step I

June 17, 2002

MEDICAL LICENSE:

Medical Board of California

Issued 2/17/2006

Drug Enforcement Administration Number

Issued 3/2006

PUBLICATIONS

Madison's Foundation Rare Disease Database

Author and Editor for the following articles: August 2004-June 2010

Alpha & Beta Thalassemia, Ambiguous Genitalia, Bell's Palsy, Cerebral Cavernous Malformations, Chagas Disease, Crigler-Naijar, Dandy Walker Syndrome, Ependymoma, Familial Adenomatous Polyposis, Hepatitis B, Kostman, Lenz Microphthalmia, Menetier's Disease, Optic Nerve Glioma, Peutz-Jeghers, Pierre Robin, Pseudotumor, Scleroderma, Syringomyelia, Usher Syndrome, Werdnig-Hoffman, Whipple Disease, Wildervanck Syndrome.

Case Report Accepted for Publication to the Journal of Child Neurology: September 2009

Multiple Sclerosis with Initial Stroke-Like Clinico-Radiologic Features: Case Report and Literature Review. Co-Authors: Dr. Bruce Ovbiagele, Dr. Alan Shewmon, and Dr. Catherine Yim

EMPLOYMENT

Adult & Child Neurology Medical Associates, Inc.

August 2010 – August 2011

On Staff at Miller Children's Hospital, Long Beach Memorial

Medical Scholars Program at Keck School of Medicine

Supervising Coordinator for the Medical Curriculum Tutoring Program May 2003 – May 2004

Coordinator for the Gross Anatomy Tutoring Program May 2002 – May 2003

Tutor for Gross Anatomy August 2001 – May 2002

Undergraduate Teaching Assistant

Dr. John Polich: Introduction to Cognitive Psychology April 2000 – June 2000

Dr. John Polich: Advanced Research Methods and Statistics Psychology Jan 2000 – March 2000

Revelle Orientation Academic Advising Assistant

Academic Advising Assistant for UCSD Class of 2003, September Orientation September 1999

Revelle Parent Orientation Leader

Revelle Parent Orientation Leader for UCSD Admits April 1998 – September 1998

RESEARCH

Undergraduate Research

March 1999 – June 2000

Honor's Thesis

Supervisor: Dr. John Polich

Assisted in research on brain waves of individuals, utilizing computer software to test participants while performing a myriad of tasks involving visuospatial recognition to investigate how the contrast luminance of various stimuli affected the P300 event related brain potential.

Undergraduate Research

March 1998 – March 1999

Supervisor: Dr. Harold Pashler

Assisted in research on memory perception and attention utilizing computer software to test subject's memory and dual task interference.

MEDICAL SCHOOL EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Class of 2004 Student Council

Class President

May 2002 – May 2003

Associated Students of the School of Medicine

President

May 2001 – May 2002

Associated Students of the School of Medicine

First Year Class Representative

August 2000 – May 2001

Neurology Student Interest Group

Member

August 2000 – May 2004

Vice-President

May 2001 – May 2002

Salerni Collegium

Member

August 2000 – May 2004

Alhambra High School, Student Mentorship Program

Mentor

August 2000 – May 2001

Keck School of Medicine, Student Admissions

Interviewer

September 2001 – May 2004

Student Tour Guide

September 2001 – May 2004

Student Host

August 2000 – May 2004

PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

American Medical Women's Association

Member

August 2000 – May 2004

Conference Coordinator for USC

May 2001 – December 2001

Los Angeles County Medical Association/American Medical Association

Member

August 2000 – May 2004