

FELLOWSHIP

Voice and Swallowing Disorders 2002-2003
University of Pittsburgh
Pittsburgh, PA

CURRENT FACULTY APPOINTMENT

Clinical Assistant Professor, Baylor College of Medicine, Houston, Texas (Pending)
Clinical Assistant Professor, Weill Medical College of Cornell University, Houston (Pending)

PREVIOUS FACULTY APPOINTMENTS

2004-2008: Assistant Professor, Division of Otolaryngology-Head and Neck Surgery,
University of California, San Diego

2002-2003: Clinical Instructor, Department of Otolaryngology, University of Pittsburgh,
Pittsburgh, PA

BOARD CERTIFICATION

2004: American Board of Otolaryngology

LICENSURE

Medical Board of Texas, M9050
Medical Board of California
Medical Board of Pennsylvania

AWARDS AND HONORS

1988: National Merit Scholar
1988: Edward Wharton Scholarship for Academic Achievement
1992: Phi Beta Kappa, Northwestern University

HOSPITAL AFFILIATIONS

Current:

2008 Pending The Methodist Hospital, Houston, Texas

Past: 2006-2008: Active, Scripps Memorial Hospital La Jolla, La Jolla, CA
2005-2008: Attending, Veterans Administration Medical Center, La Jolla, CA
2004-2008: Attending, Thornton Hospital, La Jolla, CA
2004-2008: Attending, UCSD Medical Center, Hillcrest, San Diego, CA
2004-2008: Active, Green Hospital of Scripps Clinic, La Jolla, CA
2003-2005: Kindred Hospital of San Diego
2003-2004: Sharp Grossmont Hospital
2003-2004: Alvarado Hospital
2003-2004: Sharp Chula Vista Hospital

PREVIOUS UNIVERSITY COMMITTEES

- 2006-2008: Appointed member, UCSD Credentialing Committee
2005-2008: Member, Head and Neck Cancer Committee, VASDHS Cancer Center

ORGANIZATIONS

American Academy of Otolaryngology – Head and Neck Surgery
San Diego County Medical Society
San Diego Academy of Otolaryngology – President (2007)

PUBLICATIONS

CHAPTERS:

1. Nance M., Carrau RL, Thekdi AA. Surgical Management of Laryngeal Fractures. In: Ortega del Alamo P, Vidal JM, Nieto CS (eds): Estenosis Laringotraqueales. Euromedice, Badalona, Spain, 2005, Chapter 13, pp. 239-245.
2. Thekdi AA. Dysphagia. In: Harris JP, Weisman, MW (eds.) Head and Neck Manifestations of Systemic Disease. New York: Informa Healthcare. **(In press.)**

ARTICLES:

1. Thekdi AA, Ferris RL. Diagnostic assessment of laryngeal cancer. *Otolaryngologic Clinics of North America*. 2002 Oct: 35(5): 953-69.
2. Thekdi AA, Rosen CA. Surgical treatment of benign vocal fold lesions. *Current Opinion in Otolaryngology - Head and Neck Surgery* 2002 10: 492-496.
3. Tellis CM, Rosen C, Thekdi AA, Sciote JJ. Anatomy and fiber type composition of human interarytenoid muscle. *Annals of Otology, Rhinology and Laryngology*. 2004 Feb: 113(2): 97-107.
4. Groblewski JC, Thekdi AA, Carrau RL. Secreting vagal paraganglioma. *American Journal of Otolaryngology*, 2004 July-Aug: 25(4): 295-300.
5. Rosen CA, Thekdi AA. Vocal fold augmentation with injectable calcium hydroxylapatite: short-term results. *Journal of Voice*, 2004 Sept: 18(3): 387-91.
6. Richmon J, Thekdi AA. Otolaryngologic Manifestations of Ehlers-Danlos Syndrome. *Ear, Nose and Throat Journal*. *Accepted for publication*.
7. Hayden MG, Tornabene SV, Nguyen A, Thekdi AA, Alksne JF. Cerebellopontine Angle Cyst Compressing the Vagus Nerve: A Case Study. *Neurosurgery*. *Accepted for publication*.

PRESENTATIONS:

“Surgery of the Vocal Folds”

Guest Lecturer, San Diego State University, San Diego, CA, July 28, 2005

“Vocal Fold Injection Techniques: Where, Why and When”

Loma Linda University Department of Otolaryngology Grand Rounds,
Loma Linda, CA, August 23, 2005

“Instrumental Evaluation of Swallowing Disorders”

Contemporary Voice Care, Los Angeles, CA, September 29, 2005

“Trans-Nasal Esophagoscopy”

Contemporary Voice Care, Los Angeles, CA, September 29, 2005

“In-Office Laryngology Procedures”

UCSD Division of Head and Neck Surgery Grand Rounds, October 7, 2005

“Office-Based Laryngology”

UCSD Department of Surgery Grand Rounds, La Jolla, CA, January 11, 2006

“Trans-Nasal Esophagoscopy: Technique”

TNE for Otolaryngologists, Las Vegas, NV, February 25, 2006.

“Controversies in LPR Diagnosis and Management”

Voice and Swallowing Update, Pittsburgh, PA, March 31, 2006

“The Role of Trans-Nasal Esophagoscopy for the Otolaryngologist”

Voice and Swallowing Update, Pittsburgh, PA, March 31, 2006

“Management of Difficult Voice Disorders”

Voice and Swallowing Update, Pittsburgh, PA, April 1, 2006

“Laryngopharyngeal Reflux”

San Diego Speech Pathology Guest Lecturer,
Pomerado Hospital, Poway, CA, May 24, 2006

“Spasmodic Dysphonia Update”

Scripps Memorial Hospital Swallowing Grand Rounds, La Jolla, CA, June 7, 2006

“The Changing etiology of Vocal Fold Paralysis”

Annual Post-graduate Conference, Loma Linda, CA March 4, 2007

COMMUNITY SERVICE / EDUCATION

KUSI News Report: “Vocal Abuse” September 21, 2006, San Diego, CA