

CURRICULUM VITAE

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BIRTH: September 28, 1958
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EDUCATION

Undergraduate:

University of the Philippines
Bachelor of Science, major in Zoology,
summa cum laude 1979

Medical School:

University of the Philippines
Doctor of Medicine 1983

Post-Doctoral Training:

Rotating Internship:
Philippine General Hospital
Manila, Philippines 1983-84

Resident in Pediatrics:
State University of New York
Health Sciences Center, Brooklyn, New York
Kings County Hospital/University Hospital 1985-88

Chief Resident in Pediatrics:
State University of New York
Health Sciences Center, Brooklyn, New York
Kings County Hospital/University Hospital 1988-89

Fellow in Pediatric Gastroenterology and
Nutrition:
Children's Hospital Medical Center
University of Cincinnati College of Medicine
Department of Pediatrics
Cincinnati, Ohio 1989-92

Pediatric Research Scholar
William Cooper Procter Research Program and
NIH Program of Excellence
Children's Hospital Research Foundation
Division of Basic Science Research
University of Cincinnati College of Medicine
Department of Molecular Genetics and
Biochemistry, Cincinnati, Ohio 1992-95

FACULTY APPOINTMENTS

Research Instructor
Department of Pediatrics
University of Cincinnati College of Medicine
Cincinnati, Ohio 1992-95

Assistant Professor
Department of Pediatrics
University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences
Little Rock, Arkansas 1995-98

Assistant Professor
Department of Pediatrics
University of Texas - Houston Medical School
Houston, Texas 1999-3/01

HOSPITAL APPOINTMENTS

Attending Physician, Pediatric Gastroenterology
Children's Hospital Medical Center
Cincinnati, Ohio 1993-95

Attending Physician, Pediatric Gastroenterology
Arkansas Children's Hospital
Little Rock, Arkansas 1995-98

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| Attending Physician, Pediatric Gastroenterology Hermann Children's Hospital Houston, Texas | 1999-3/01 |
| Staff Physician, Pediatric Gastroenterology Medical City Dallas, Texas | 4/01-present |

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

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| Safety Committee member | 1996-97 |
| Safety Committee chairman Arkansas Children's Hospital | 1997-98 |
| Pediatric Representative to Medical Staff Executive Committee Arkansas Children's Hospital | 1997-98 |
| Regional Clinics Committee Arkansas Children's Hospital | 1998 |
| Pediatric Liaison Central Arkansas Gut Club | 1997-98 |
| Director of GI Endoscopy Arkansas Children's Hospital | 1997-98 |
| Director of Clinical Affairs Division of Gastroenterology and Nutrition Arkansas Children's Hospital | 1997-98 |
| Director of GI Endoscopy Hermann Children's Hospital, Houston | 1999-3/01 |
| Director of Clinical Affairs Division of Gastroenterology and Nutrition Hermann Children's Hospital, Houston | 1999-3/01 |
| Medical Advisory Board American Liver Foundation South Texas Chapter | 08/00-3/01 |

EXAMINATIONS PASSED

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| Philippine Medical Board | 1984 |
| ECFMG 361-050-8 | 1984 |
| FLEX, North Carolina 580928006 | 1985 |
| American Board of Pediatrics | 1989-96 |
| American Board of Pediatrics Subboard of Pediatric Gastroenterology and Nutrition | 1992-99 |
| Recertification Exam, Gastroenterology and Nutrition | 2000-06 |

LICENSURES

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| New York, # 174960 | 07/01/88 |
| Ohio, # 58927 | 10/13/89 |
| Arkansas, # E-0340 | 03/10/95 |
| Texas, # K7239 | 04/10/99 |

PUBLICATIONS

Abstracts:

Argao EA, Heubi JE, Hollis BW. D-alpha-tocopheryl polyethylene glycol-1000 succinate (TPGS) enhances absorption of vitamin D in infants and children with chronic cholestasis. *Hepatology* 1990; 12:886 and *Pediatric Research* 1991; 29:98A.

Argao EA, Bucuvalas JC, Ball WJ Jr. α - and β -subunit expression regulates hepatic Na⁺,K⁺-ATPase activity in rat during development. *Gastroenterology* 1992; 102:A776.

Argao EA, Heubi JE, Balistreri WF. Bone mineral content (BMC) and serum 25(OH)-vitamin D [25(OH)D] following orthotopic liver transplantation (OLT) in infants and children with chronic cholestatic liver disease. *Hepatology* 1993; 18:69A.

Higgins JV, **Argao EA**, Sierra RI, Tsang RC, Heubi JE. Magnesium deficiency in chronic childhood cholestatic liver disease. *Pediatric Research* 1994; 35:128A.

Original Articles:

Argao EA, Heubi JE, Hollis BW, Tsang RC. *d*- α -Tocopheryl polyethylene glycol-1000 succinate enhances the absorption of vitamin D in chronic cholestatic liver disease of infancy and childhood. *Pediatric Research* 1992; 31:146-150.

Argao EA, Specker BL, Heubi JE. Bone mineral content in infants and children with chronic cholestatic liver disease. *Pediatrics* 1993; 91:1151-1154.

Argao EA, Balistreri WF, Hollis BW, Ryckman FC, Heubi JE. Effect of orthotopic liver transplantation on bone mineral content and serum vitamin D metabolites in infants and children with chronic cholestasis. *Hepatology* 1994; 20:598-603.

Kern MJ, **Argao EA**, Birkenmeier EH, Rowe LB, Potter SS. Genomic organization and chromosome localization of the murine homeobox gene, *Pmx*. *Genomics* 1994; 19:334-340.

Argao EA, Kern MJ, Branford WW, Scott WJ Jr., Potter SS. Malformations of the heart, kidney, palate, and skeleton in α -MHC-*Hoxb-7* transgenic mice. *Mechanisms of Development* 1995; 52:291-303.

Heubi JE, Higgins JV, **Argao EA**, Sierra RI, Specker BL. The role of magnesium in the pathogenesis of bone disease in childhood cholestatic liver disease: a preliminary report. *Journal of Pediatric Gastroenterology and Nutrition* 1997; 25:301-306.

Lu MF, Cheng HT, Lacy AR, Kern MJ, **Argao EA**, Potter SS, Olson EN, Martin JF. Paired-related homeobox genes cooperate in handplate and hindlimb zeugopod morphogenesis. *Developmental Biology* 1999; 205:145-157.

James LP, Stowe CD, **Argao EA**. Gastric injury following copper sulfate ingestion. *Pediatric Emergency Care* 1999; 15:429-431.

James LP, Stowe CD, Farrar HC, Menendez AA, **Argao EA**. The pharmacokinetics of oral ranitidine in children and adolescents with cystic fibrosis. *Journal of Clinical Pharmacology* 1999; 39:1-6.

Review Articles:

Argao EA, Heubi JE. Fat-soluble vitamin deficiency in infants and children. *Current Opinion in Pediatrics* 1993; 5:562-566.

Kern MJ, **Argao EA**, Potter SS. Homeobox genes and heart development. *Trends in Cardiovascular Medicine* 1995; 5:47-54.

Book Chapters:

Argao EA, Balistreri WF. Bile acid physiology and alterations in the enterohepatic circulation. In: Wyllie R, Hyams J, eds. *Pediatric gastrointestinal disease: pathophysiology, diagnosis, management*. Philadelphia: WB Saunders Co., 1993, pp. 31-45.

Argao EA, Balistreri WF. Physiology of bile acid metabolism. In: Balistreri WF, Ohi R, Todani T, Tsuchida Y, eds. *Hepatobiliary, pancreatic and splenic disease in children: medical and surgical management*. Amsterdam: Elsevier Science B.V., 1997, pp. 71-87.

Submitted Articles:

Kern MJ, Potter SS, Hewett KW, Spinale FG, Grupp IL, Grupp G, Litke L, **Argao EA**. Altered cardiac function in the *Prx2 (S8)* homeobox gene targeted mutant, 2000.

AWARDS

American Liver Foundation Postdoctoral Research Fellowship: July 1, 1991 - June 30, 1992
William Cooper Procter Research Program and NIH Program of Excellence Pediatric Research Scholar: July, 1992 - April, 1995

Dean's / CUMG Research Development Award - University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences: March 1, 1996 - February 28, 1997

Deans' Excellence Award, Honors Convocation, University of Texas – Houston Health Science Center: April 26, 2000

LECTURES/PRESENTATIONS

Chronic Diarrhea and Malabsorption, Resident Lecture Series, Department of Pediatrics, University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences / Arkansas Children's Hospital, October 6, 1995

Neonatal Cholestasis, AHEC Pine Bluff Pediatric Lecture, January 17, 1996

Inflammatory Bowel Disease, Resident Lecture Series, Department of Pediatrics, University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences / Arkansas Children's Hospital, December 18, 1996

Diagnosis and Management of Neonatal Cholestasis, Grand Rounds, Department of Pediatrics, University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences / Arkansas Children's Hospital, January 7, 1997

Gastroesophageal Reflux in Infants and Children, 19th Annual Family Practice Intensive Review Course, University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences, May 31, 1997

Diagnostic Approach to the Jaundiced Infant, Resident Lecture Series, Department of Pediatrics, University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences / Arkansas Children's Hospital, October 8, 1997

Nutrition in Infants and Children with Cystic Fibrosis, Pharmathera Conference, Memphis, Tennessee, November 5, 1997

Gastrointestinal and Hepatic Complications of Cystic Fibrosis, Grand Rounds, Department of Pediatrics, University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences / Arkansas Children's Hospital, March 17, 1998

Gastroesophageal Reflux in Infants and Children, Resident Lecture Series, Department of Pediatrics, Driscoll Children's Hospital, Corpus Christi, Texas, October 9, 1998

Gastrointestinal and Hepatic Complications of Cystic Fibrosis, Grand Rounds, Department of Pediatrics, University of Texas - Houston Medical School, January 25, 2000

Multidisciplinary View of Childhood Obesity, Grand Rounds, Department of Pediatrics, University of Texas – Houston Medical School, May 16, 2000