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ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

Assistant Professor of Surgery	2021-Present
<ul style="list-style-type: none">University of Utah Division of Urology, Salt Lake City, UTGenitourinary Reconstruction, Robotics, Gender Affirming Surgery	

EDUCATION

University of Utah , Salt Lake City, UT	2020-2021
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Genitourinary Reconstruction Fellowship, Division of Urology	
University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill , Chapel Hill, NC	2016-2020
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Urology Residency, Department of Urology	
University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill , Chapel Hill, NC	2015-2016
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Surgical Internship, Department of Surgery	
Vanderbilt University School of Medicine , Nashville, TN	2011-2015
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Doctor of Medicine	
West Virginia University , Morgantown, WV	2006-2010
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Bachelor of Science in Biological Sciences, <i>Summa Cum Laude</i>Honors Thesis: Vertical Transmission of the Obligate Mutualist, <i>Wigglesworthia glossinidia</i>, in the female Tsetse Fly.	

HONORS AND AWARDS

Outstanding Medical Student Teaching Award	2020
SES AUA International Volunteerism Award	2020
North Carolina Urologic Association, 2nd Place Clinical Research Presentation	2017
Sheldon Research Symposium, 2nd Place Clinical Research Presentation	2017
Robert C. Cephalo House Officer Award	2016
Overall Global Health Research Scholar	2015
Dr. Robert L. Rosenfeld and Ms. Rebecca Lynch Rosenfeld Scholarship	2011-2015
Dr. Jack Martin and Mrs. Ann Inman Martin Scholarship	2011-2015
Simon Collier Award for Medical Research in South America	2012
Phi Beta Kappa Society	2010
West Virginia University Honors Scholar	2010

PUBLICATIONS AND PRESENTATIONS

Peer-Reviewed Journal Publications:

Hebert K, Matta R, Horns J, Das R, Paudel N, **McCormick B**, Myers J, Hotaling J. "Prior COVID-19 Infection Associated With Increased Risk of Newly Diagnosed Erectile Dysfunction." International Journal of Impotence Research. February 2023.

Hebert K, Matta R, Horns J, Pastuszak A, **McCormick B**, Hotaling J, Myers J. "Risk of Postoperative Thromboembolism in Men Undergoing Urological Prosthetic Surgery: An Assessment of 21,413 Men." Journal of Urology. June 2022.

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Fendereski K, **McCormick B**, Keihani S, Hagedorn J, Voelzke B, Selph P, Figler B, Johnsen N, Donalisio da Silva R, Broghammer J, Gupta S, Miller M, Burks F, Eswara J, Osterberg III E, Carney K, Erickson B, Myers J. "The Outcomes of Pelvic Fracture Urethral Injuries Stratified by Urethral Injury Severity: A Prospective Multi-institutional Genitourinary Trauma Study (MiGUTS)." Urology. September 2022.

McCormick B, Keihani S, Hagedorn J, Voelzke B, Selph P, Figler B, Johnsen N, Donalisio da Silva R, Broghammer J, Gupta S, Miller M, Burks F, Eswara J, Osterberg III E, Carney K, Erickson B, Myers J. "A Multi-center Prospective Cohort Study of Endoscopic Urethral Realignment Versus Suprapubic Cystostomy after Complete Pelvic Fracture Urethral Injury: Comparison of EUR versus SPT after PFUI." Journal of Trauma and Acute Care Surgery. September 2022.

McCormick B, Horns J, Das R, Hanson H, Paudel N, Nirula R, McCrum M, Myers J. "Nephrectomy Is Not Associated With Increased Risk of Mortality or Acute Kidney Injury After High-Grade Renal Trauma: A Propensity Score Analysis of the Trauma Quality Improvement Program (TQIP)." Journal of Urology. February 2022

Heiner M, Keihani S, **McCormick B**, Myers B et al. "Nephrectomy after High-Grade Renal Trauma is Associated with Higher Mortality: Results from the Multi-institutional Genitourinary Trauma Study (MiGUTS)." Urology. August 2021.

Ehlers M, Mohan C, McGowan M, Akerman J, **McCormick B**, Hacker K, Coward R, Figler B. "Factors Impacting Postoperative Opioid Use among Patients Undergoing Implantation of Inflatable Penile Prosthesis." Journal of Sexual Medicine. October 2021.

Hamad J, **McCormick B**, Sayed C, Paci K, Overton M, Daubert T, Figler B. "Multidisciplinary Update on Genital Hidradenitis Suppurativa: A Review." JAMA Surgery. October 2020.

Abu-Sahla Y, Rose T, Wobker S, **McCormick B**, Bjurlin M. "The Surgical Treatment and Genomic Analysis of a Rare Case of Oligometastatic Renal Cell Carcinoma of the Prostate." Urology. August 2020.

Ehlers M, **McCormick B**, Coward R, Figler B. "Innovating Incrementally; Development of the Modern Penile Prosthesis." Current Urology Reports. March 2019.

McCormick B, Deal A, Borawski KM, Raynor, MC, Wallen EM, Pruthi RS. "Implementation of Medical Scribes in an Academic Urology Practice: an Analysis of Productivity, Revenue, and Satisfaction." World J Urol. April 2018.

Casilla-Lennon MM, Choi SK, Deal AM, Bensen JT, Narang G, Filippou P, **McCormick B**, Pruthi R, Wallen EM, Tan HJ, Woods M, Nielsen M, Smith AB. "Financial Toxicity in Bladder Cancer Patients- Reasons for Delay in Care and Effect on Quality of Life." J Urol. May 2017.

Owen R, **McCormick B**, Figler B, Coward R. "A Review of Varicocelectomy for Pain." Translational Andrology and Urology. May 2017.

McCormick B, Pruthi, R. "The Present and Future Challenges Facing Urology Departments at Academic Health Centers." Urology. January 2017.

Mitchell C, Kuebker J, **McCormick B**, Herral D, Miller, N. "Lubriglide Sequential Ureteral Dilators: A safe and effective method of ureteral dilation to facilitate primary ureteroscopic intervention." The Journal of Endourology. April 2017.

Gregg JR, **McCormick B**, Wang L, Cohen P, Sun D, Penson DF, Smith JA, Clark PE, Cookson MS, Barocas DA, Resnick MJ, Moses KA, Chang SS. "Short term complications from transurethral resection of bladder tumor." Can J Urol. 2016 Apr;23(2):8198-203

Osborn DJ, Dmochowski RR, Harris CJ, Danford JJ, Kaufman MR, Mock S, Kit LC, **McCormick B**, Reynolds WS. "Analysis of patient and technical factors associated with midurethral sling mesh exposure and perforation." Int J Urol. 2014. doi: 10.1111/iju.12544.

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Rio, RV, Maltz, M, **McCormick B**, Reiss A, Graf J. “Symbiont succession during embryonic development of the European medicinal leech, *Hirudo verbana*.” *Applied and Environmental Microbiology*. 2009.

Book Chapters:

McCormick B, Raynor M. Epidemiology and Pathophysiology. In: Yu H, Isaacson A, Bagla S, editors. *Prostatic Artery Embolization*. Pennsylvania (PA). Springer Nature; 2020.

McCormick B, Coward R. Varicocele and Orchialgia. In: Esteves S, Cho C, Majzoub A, Agarwal A, editors. *Varicocele and Male Infertility; A Complete Guide*. Pennsylvania (PA). Springer Nature; 2019.

Abstracts:

Hebert K, Matta R, Fendereski K, **McCormick B**, Myers J. “Colon Conduit Urinary Diversion: Considerations for the Reconstructive Urologist.” American Urological Association Annual Meeting. New Orleans, Louisiana. May 2022. Podium Presentation.

Hebert K, Raudel N, Das R, Matta R, Calvert J, **McCormick B**, Horns J, Hotaling J, Myers J. “Risk Factors Associated with Venous Thromboembolism After Artificial Urinary Sphincter Surgery? An Assessment of 4,870 Patients.” American Urological Association Annual Meeting. New Orleans, Louisiana. May 2022. Poster Presentation.

Hebert K, Horns J, Driggs N, Das R, Matta R, **McCormick B**, Hotaling J, Myers J. “Impact of High-Grade Radiation Injury Following Prostate Cancer Radiation on Healthcare Cost and Utilization.” American Urological Association Annual Meeting. New Orleans, Louisiana. May 2022. Poster Presentation.

Hebert K, Anderson R, Matta R, **McCormick B**, Myers J. “Incidence of High Grade Complications and Associated Readmission Rates Following Colon Conduit Urinary Diversion.” American Urological Association Annual Meeting. New Orleans, Louisiana. May 2022. Poster Presentation.

Swallow, M, Odinachi M, Horns J, **McCormick B**, Myers J. “Risk of Hypertension after Renal Trauma.” American Urological Association Annual Meeting. New Orleans, Louisiana. May 2022. Podium Presentation.

McCormick B, Keihani S, Myers J. “A Multi-Center Prospective Cohort Study of Endoscopic Urethral Realignment Versus Suprapubic Cystostomy After Pelvic Fracture Urethral Injury.” American Urological Association Annual Meeting, Las Vegas, Nevada. September 2021. Podium Presentation.

McCormick B, Horns J, Das R, Paudel N, Hanson H, Myers J. “Nephrectomy Is Not Associated With Increased Risk of Mortality or Acute Kidney Injury After High-Grade Renal Trauma: A Propensity Score Analysis of the Trauma Quality Improvement Program (TQIP).” American Urological Association Annual Meeting, Las Vegas, Nevada. September 2021. Podium Presentation.

Mahan C, Ehlers M, McGowan M, Akerman J, **McCormick B**, Coward R, Figler B. “Factors Impacting Postoperative Opioid Use among Patients Undergoing Implantation of Inflatable Penile Prosthesis.” *Journal of Sexual Medicine Meeting*. January 2020. Poster Presentation.

McCormick B, Macey M, Holmes M, Stitzenberg K, Tan R, Figler B. “Extra-Regional Travel for Urologic Surgery: Opportunities for Improving Access.” American Urological Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, Illinois. May 2019. Poster Presentation.

McCormick B, McMahon S, Zhou X, Baggett C, Chen R, Milowsky M, Woods M, Wallen E, Filippou P, Riggs S, Litwin M, Tan R. “Trends and Quality of Initial Testis Cancer Care in North Carolina.” *Society of Urologic Oncology Annual Meeting*, Phoenix, Arizona. November 2019. Poster Presentation.

McCormick B, Deal A, Borawski K, Raynor M, Viprakasit D, Wallen E, Woods E, Pruthi R. “Implementation of Medical Scribes in an Academic Urology Practice.” American Urological Association Annual Meeting, San Francisco, California. May 2018. Poster Presentation.

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McCormick B, Deal A, Borawski K, Raynor M, Viprakasit D, Wallen E, Woods E, Pruthi R. “Implementation of Medical Scribes in an Academic Urology Practice.” American Urologic Association Southeastern Section Annual Meeting, Orlando, Florida. March 2017. Podium Presentation.

McCormick B, Deal A, Borawski K, Raynor M, Viprakasit D, Wallen E, Woods E, Pruthi R. “Implementation of Medical Scribes in an Academic Urology Practice.” Clinical Congress of the American College of Surgeons. San Diego, California. October 2017. Poster Presentation.

McCormick B, Deal A, Borawski K, Raynor M, Viprakasit D, Wallen E, Woods E, Pruthi R. “Implementation of Medical Scribes in an Academic Urology Practice.” North Carolina Association Annual Meeting. Greensboro, North Carolina. October 2017. Podium Presentation.

McCormick B, Jaeger B, Pinheiro L, Edwards L, Reeve B, Smith A. “Changes in Health-Related Quality of Life Among Older Adults with Prostate Cancer: A Case-Control Study.” American Urological Association Annual Meeting. Boston, Massachusetts. May 2017. Poster Presentation.

Filippou P, Deal A, Narang G, **McCormick B**, Nielsen M, Pruthi R, Wallen E, Woods M, Smith A. “Patient Refusal of Neoadjuvant Chemotherapy for Muscle Invasive Bladder Cancer.” American Urological Association Annual Meeting. Boston, Massachusetts. May 2017. Podium Presentation.

Casilla-Lennon M, Cho S, Deal A, Benson J, Narang G, Filippou P, **McCormick B**, Pruthi R, Wallen E, Woods M, Nielsen ME, Smith A. “Financial Toxicity Prevalence and Delay in Care Among Bladder Cancer Patients.” American Urological Association Annual Meeting. Boston, Massachusetts. May 2017. Poster Presentation.

McCormick B, Deal A, Borawski K, Raynor M, Viprakasit D, Wallen E, Woods E, Pruthi R. “Implementation of Medical Scribes in an Academic Urology Practice.” Sheldon Research Symposium. Chapel Hill, North Carolina. April 2017. Poster Presentation.

McCormick B, Deal A, Filippou P, et al. “Trends in the Use of Chemotherapy for Treatment of Upper Tract Urothelial Carcinoma Using the National Cancer Database.” American Urologic Association Southeastern Annual Sectional Meeting, Austin, Texas. March 2017. Poster Presentation.

McCormick B, Kurpad R, Lomboy J, Fifer L, Smith A, Nielsen M, Woods M, Wallen E, Pruthi R, Raynor M. “Robot-assisted ureteral reconstruction distal to the UPJ: A single institution experience of 99 patients.” American Urologic Association Southeastern Section Annual Meeting, Austin, Texas. March 2016. Poster Presentation.

Kurpad R, Lomboy J, Fifer L, **McCormick B**, Smith A, Nielsen M, Woods M, Wallen E, Pruthi R, Raynor M. “Robot Assisted Ureteral Reconstruction After Iatrogenic Injury: A Single Institution Experience of 41 Patients.” American Urologic Association Southeastern Section Annual Meeting, Austin, Texas. March 2016. Poster Presentation.

Filippou P, Deal A, Narang G, **McCormick B**, Nielsen M, Pruthi R, Wallen E, Woods M, Smith A. “Trends in Patient Refusal of Neoadjuvant Chemotherapy for Muscle Invasive Bladder Cancer.” American Urologic Association Southeastern Annual Sectional Meeting, Austin, Texas. March 2017. Poster Presentation.

Casilla-Lennon M, Cho S, Deal A, Benson J, Narang G, Filippou P, **McCormick B**, Pruthi R, Wallen E, Woods M, Nielsen ME, Smith A. “The Relationship Between Financial Toxicity and Quality of Life Among Bladder Cancer Patients.” American Urologic Association Southeastern Annual Sectional Meeting, Austin, Texas. March 2017. Poster Presentation.

McKibben M, Filippou P, **McCormick B**, Narang G, Crowell K, Borawski K. “Use of Botulinum Toxin A in Refractory Overactive Bladder in Parkinson’s Disease: A Systematic Review.” American Urologic Association Southeastern Annual Sectional Meeting, Austin, Texas. March 2017. Poster Presentation.

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McCormick B, Deal A, Filippou P, et al. “Trends in the Use of Chemotherapy for Treatment of Upper Tract Urothelial Carcinoma Using the National Cancer Database.” Society of Urologic Oncology 17th Annual Meeting, San Antonio, Texas. November 2016. Poster Presentation.

Filippou P, Deal A, Narang G, **McCormick B**, Nielsen M, Pruthi R, Wallen E, Woods M, Smith A. “Trends in Patient Refusal of Neoadjuvant Chemotherapy for Muscle Invasive Bladder Cancer.” Society of Urologic Oncology 17th Annual Meeting. San Antonio, Texas. November 2016. Poster Presentation.

Casilla–Lennon M, Cho S, Deal A, Benson J, Narang G, Filippou P, **McCormick B**, Pruthi R, Wallen E, Woods M, Nielsen ME, Smith A. ‘Financial Toxicity Prevalence and Delays in Care Among Bladder Cancer Patients.’ Society of Urologic Oncology annual meeting, San Antonio, Texas. November 2016. Poster Presentation.

McCormick B, Mitchell C, Marian T, Miller N. “Lubriglide Sequential Ureteral Dilators: A Safe and Effective Method of Ureteral Dilation to Facilitate Primary Ureteroscopic Intervention.” American Urological Association Annual Meeting. Austin, Texas. May 2015. Poster Presentation.

McCormick B, Gregg J, Wang L, Smith J, Barocas D, Resnick M, Chang SS. “Short Term Complications Resulting from Trans-Urethral Resection of Bladder Tumor in a Contemporary Series.” Society of Urologic Oncology 16th Annual Meeting. November 2015. Poster Presentation.

McCormick, B. “The Role of IFN-alpha in Severity of Respiratory Disease in Preterm Infants.” Global Health Research Symposium. Nashville, Tennessee. March 2012. Poster Presentation.

McCormick, B. “The Role of IFN-alpha in Severity of Respiratory Disease in Preterm Infants.” Fundación Infant International Research Symposium. Buenos Aires, Argentina. July 2011. Poster Presentation.

Oral Presentations:

McCormick, B. Trans Feminine and Non-Binary Gender Affirming Surgery Options. Genderevolution. Salt Lake City, UT. October 2021

McCormick, B. Trans Masculine and Non-Binary Gender Affirming Surgery Options. Genderevolution. Salt Lake City, UT. October 2021

McCormick, B, Fowler M, Ware K. “Medical Care in the Time of the Affordable Care Act.” Lefkowitz Hour Lecture Series. Vanderbilt University. September, 2014.

McCormick, B. “Cyclical Cushing’s Disease: A Case Report.” Lefkowitz Hour Lecture Series. Vanderbilt University. March 2012.

Press Coverage and News Articles:

McCormick, B. *AUANews*

Charnow, Jody. “Chemotherapy Use for Upper Tract Urothelial Carcinoma Increasing.” *Renal and Urology News*. December, 2016.

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LEADERSHIP AND SERVICE

Data Safety Monitoring Board	2021-Present
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• A Phase I/II Clinical Trial to Determine Safety and Feasibility of Using an Acellular Amniotic Fluid Application to Expedite Healing in Chronic Wounds	
Peer Review Contributions	2021-Present
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Urology	
Urology Interest Group Leader	2013-2015
Vanderbilt School of Medicine Wellness Committee, Nashville, TN	2012-2013
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Appointed by Peers	
Shade Tree Family Clinic, Nashville, TN	2011-2013
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Patient Health Educator for fully student-run free health clinic for uninsured, Spanish-speaking patients (appointed by peers)	
American Cancer Society “Relay for Life” Regional Chairman, Morgantown, WV	2009-2010
West Virginia University Rowing Team, Captain, Morgantown, WV	2007-2009

EXTRA-ACADEMIC INTERESTS

Interests: Backpacking, Sailing, Playing Banjo, Rock Climbing, Cooking, Skiing, Travel, Science Fiction

Languages: Advanced Spanish, Beginner Portuguese