

CURRICULUM VITAE

07/12/2026

Maurice Marcel Garcia, M.D., MAS

CURRENT POSITIONS:

2026-present	Associate Program Director, Fellowship Training Program in Adult Transgender Medicine, Department of Urology, Cedars-Sinai
2025-present	President, LACPATH
2024-present	Professor, Department of Urology, Cedars-Sinai

PROFESSIONAL CONTACT INFORMATION

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EDUCATION:

1987-1992	Undergraduate, University of California, Berkeley, Berkeley, United States
1992-1993	Graduate in Premedical Studies, Columbia University, New York, United States
1994-1995	Graduate Degree in History and Premedical Science, Universidad Autónoma de Guadalajara, Guadalajara, Mexico
1995-1996	Experimental Scholars Program - Premedical Studies, Georgetown University, Washington D.C., United States
1996-2000	Medical School, Georgetown University School of Medicine, Washington D.C., United States
2000-2001	Surgical Internship, University of California, San Francisco, Surgery, San Francisco, United States
2001-2002	Urology Reserach Fellow, Urology Research Fellow, University of Southern California, Urology, Los Angeles, United States
2002-2003	Surgical Resident, Tulane University, Surgery, New Orleans, United States
2003-2007	Urology Residency, University of California, San Francisco, Urology, San Francisco, United States
2007-2008	Erectile Dysfunction and Neurology Fellowship, University of California, San Francisco, Urology, San Francisco, United States
2008-2010	Masters of Applied Science in Clinical Research, University of California, San Francisco, San Francisco, United States
2013-2014	Transgender Surgery Fellowship, University College London/Institute of Urology, Urology, London, United Kingdom

LICENSURE:

01/2003-	Medical Board of California, Medical Licensure, CA, #A83386
02/2011-	American Board of Urology, American Board of Urology Licensure, N/A
09/2013-	California Board of Radiology, Radiology Fluoroscopy Operator Licensure, N/A

PREVIOUS POSITIONS:

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES:

Other Committee Service:

10/2022- Chair, SMSNA : Transgender Surgery and LGBT Sexual Medicine, SMSNA

Professional Associations/Society Memberships:

01/2003- Moderator Clinical and Basic Science sessions; Contributor to AUA publications, American Urological Association

01/2003- Chair, Program Chair (Sexual Medicine and Pediatric Urology); Scientific Program Moderator, Western Section American Urologic Association

01/2007- Clinical and Translational Health Sciences Institute (CTSI), UCSF

01/2007- International Society of Sexual Medicine (ISSM)

01/2008- European Association of Urology (EAU)

01/2009- Presenter at International Meetings 2010-2012; Member of governing committee (Membership, 2011), Membership Committee; Publications Committee, American Society of Andrology (ASA)

01/2011- World Professional Association for Transgender Health (WPATH)

01/2012- UCSF Center of Excellence (COE) for Transgender Health

01/2013- Societe Internationale de Urologie (SIU)

01/2014- Sexual Medicine Society of North America (SMSNA)

01/2017- Member, American Society for Gender Surgery (ASGS)

03/2017- Member, WPATH Ethics Committee

05/2020-05/2022 Member, WPATH Standards of Care (SOC) v 8.0

05/2020-05/2025 Core Curriculum Editor, Transgender Care, American Urological Association (AUA)

01/2023- British Association of Urologic Surgeons (BAUS)

02/2025- Teaching Faculty, WPATH Global Education Initiative (GEI)

04/2025- President & Co-Founder, Latin American & Caribbean Professional Association for Transgender Health (LACPATH)

05/2025- Steering Committee Member, WPATH 2026 Biennial Meeting

05/2025- Sponsorship/Exhibitor Committee Co-Chair, WPATH 2026 Biennial Meeting

05/2025- Ethics and Finance Committee Member, WPATH 2026 Biennial Meeting

HONORS AND SPECIAL AWARDS:

Joseph F. McCarthy Residents Essay Contest, Second Place Award, American Urologic Association, Western Section Annual Meeting

2018 Recognition Award for Services Provided to LA County, Los Angeles County Board of Supervisors

2019 Physician's Essay Contest, Essay Award (Third Place), American Urologic Association Western Section Annual Meeting

2022 Joseph F. McCarthy Physicians Essay Contest; First-Place Award, American Urologic Association, Western Section Annual Meeting

2022 Joseph F. McCarthy Physicians Essay Contest, Third Place Award, American Urologic Association, Western Section Annual Meeting

2023 Best Poster Presentation Award, American Urologic Association (AUA) Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL., May 28, 2023;

RESEARCH AWARDS AND GRANTS:

Current Grants:

7/1/2025 - 6/30/2027

A Trauma informed Smoking Cessation Intervention for Gender diverse People #T35CR9544

Principal Investigator: Judy Tan

Co-Investigator: Bobbie Rimel, **Maurice Marcel Garcia, M.D., MAS**, Edward Ray, Stefany Coxe

USD 841,931

Past Grants:

7/1/2016 - 6/30/2026

Bladder Fiducial Markers and Diffusion-MRI to Optimize Bladder Chemo-Radiotherapy

National Cancer Institute #R01CA201709

Funded: **Maurice Marcel Garcia, M.D., MAS**

USD 3,465,046

7/29/2017 - 6/30/2022

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Principal Investigator: **Maurice Marcel Garcia, M.D., MAS**

7/29/2017 - 6/30/2024

Bladder Fiducial Markers and Diffusion-MRI to Optimize Bladder Chemo-Radiotherapy

National Cancer Institute #7R01CA201709-02

Principal Investigator: **Maurice Marcel Garcia, M.D., MAS**

USD 3,294,478

3/1/2018 - 2/28/2019

Mapping Erogenous Anatomy Following Pelvic and Genital Surgery

Sexual Medicine Society of North America #NONE

Co-Investigator: **Maurice Marcel Garcia, M.D., MAS**

USD 5,000

INVITED LECTURES AND PRESENTATIONS:

International Presentations

1. European Professional Association for Transgender Health (EPATH) international meeting; 2 podium & 3 Moderated Poster presentations related to proposed transgender surgical techniques, surgical devices and clinical outcomes. March 5-9, 2017; Belgrade, SERBIA, 3/2017
2. Sociedad Mexicana de Urologia (SMU); "Review of Innovations and Basic Research in Reconstructive Urology"; June 11, 2017; Mexico City, MEXICO, 6/2017
3. Invitation from the Secretary of Health, State of Jalisco, Jalisco, Mexico Transgender surgery and health care: Strategies for program design and implementation; August 11, 2017; Guadalajara, MEXICO, 8/2017
4. Pfizer Rising Stars Research and Education Lecture Series; Lecture to Urology and ObGyn Faculty from Cairo University and Alexandria University: "How to generate and publish real world data"; October 15, 2017; Cairo, EGYPT, 10/2017
5. Colegio Mexicano de Urologia (CMU); Podium presentation : Translating transgender surgery expertise to create novel reconstructive surgical options for both cis-gender urologic patients; November 10, 2017; Mexico City, MEXICO, 11/2017

6. Sociedad Mexicana de Urologia; Annual Meeting; Invitation to present lecture to residents: “How to start a career in clinical research and to publish scientific literature” November 16-18, 2017; Acapulco, MEXICO, 11/2017
7. International Society of Sexual Medicine; Invitation to present research re. transgender surgery, surgical techniques and clinical outcomes; Lisbon, PORTUGAL; March 2, 2018, 3/2018
8. Collegio Mexicano de Urologia Nacional (Mexican National College of Urology): Course Director and Faculty: Gender Affirming Genital Surgery for the Transgender Patient: Building an Academic Center Program; Annual Meeting April 17-21, 2018; Guadalajara, MEXICO, 4/2018
9. WSAUA Prep C Course Director and Faculty: Transgender health and surgery for the general urologist and specialized gender surgeon (Annual meeting, Vancouver, B.C., August 6-10, 2018; Vancouver, CANADA, 8/2018
10. World Professional Association for Transgender Health (WPATH); Plenary Presentation; Biannual Meeting, Montreal, Canada; How genital gender affirming surgery (gGAS) improves the quality of care we offer all patients seeking genital reconstructive surgery: Physician qualities, surgical and technologic innovations; September 17, 2022, 9/2022
11. WPATH Scientific Symposium; From non-standard to standard ? Why vulvoplasty and phallourethroplasty without urethral lengthening (P-UL) options should be offered side by side with vaginoplasty and P+UL surgeries; Biannual Meeting, Montreal, Canada, 9/2022
12. SIU (Societe Internationale de Urologie) / GURS (Society of Genitourinary Surgeons) Reconstructive Surgery Symposium: Plenary Presentation: Genital Gender-Affirming Surgery Innovations: Lowering Complication Risk Potential Without Compromising Appearance and Function; Annual Meeting; Montreal, November 12, 2022, 11/2022
13. SIU (Societe Internationale de Urologie) Scientific Symposium; Podium Presentation; Simultaneous Use of Urethral and Suprapubic Catheters: Which Drains More Completely and Why?; Annual Meeting; Montreal Canada, November 18, 2022, 11/2022
14. SIU (Societe Internationale de Urologie) Scientific Symposium, Podium Presentation: Comparison of Permanent Hair Removal Procedures Before Gender-Affirming Vaginoplasty: Why We Should Consider Laser Hair Removal as a First-Line Treatment for Patients Who Meet Criteria; Annual Meeting; Montreal, November 19, 2022, 11/2022
15. SIU (Societe Internationale de Urologie) Scientific Symposium; Podium Presentation; Erogenous Zones of the Vagina: An Anatomy Based Study; Annual Meeting; Montreal, Canada; November 18, 2022, 11/2022
16. Comparison of Permanent Hair Removal Procedures Before Gender-Affirming Vaginoplasty: Why We Should Consider Laser Hair Removal as a First-Line Treatment for Patients Who Meet Criteria, 42nd Congress of the Société Internationale d'Urologie, Société Internationale d'Urologie, Montreal, Canada, 11/2022
17. Simultaneous Use of Urethral and Suprapubic Catheters: Which Drains More Completely and Why, 42nd Congress of the Société Internationale d'Urologie (SIU), Société Internationale d'Urologie, Montreal, Canada, 11/2022
18. British Association of Urologic Surgeons, Annual Meeting; A Novel Technique to Create a Natural-Appearing Recessed Vaginal Introitus With Gender-Affirming Vulvoplasty (“Shallow-Depth Vaginoplasty”); Manchester, England, June 21, 2023, 6/2023
19. British Association of Urologic Surgeons, Annual Meeting; Podium Presentation: Use of Audio Recordings in the Consultation of Patients Seeking Genital Gender-Affirming Surgery: An Opportunity for Broader Application Throughout Urology, and Development of a Novel Smartphone App; Manchester, England, June 21, 2023, 6/2023
20. British Association of Urologic Surgeons, Annual Meeting; Podium presentation; A Protocol for Placement of 24K Gold Fiducial Markers in the Bladder to Optimize Targeting and Decrease Collateral Radiation with Bladder Preserving Multi-Modal Therapy, and Strategies to Optimize Inter- Disciplinary Collaboration; Manchester, England; June 20, 2023, 6/2023

21. Vietnamese Society for Sexual Medicine; Annual Meeting; Plenary Presentation: How Modern Gender Affirming Genital Reconstructive Surgery Can Increase the Number and Quality of Surgery Options We Can Offer Vietnamese Cis-gender Patients with Genital Anomalies from Congenital, Cancer, and Trauma Conditions; July 21, 2023, Da Nang, Vietnam, 7/2023
22. How modern gender affirming genital reconstructive surgery can increase the number and quality of surgical options that we can offer both trans-gender and cis-gender Vietnamese adult and adolescent patients with urologic congenital, cancer, and trauma-history conditions, 2023 Scientific Conference Vietnamese Society for Sexual Medicine, Vietnamese Society for Sexual Medicine, Da Nang, Vietnam, 7/2023
23. Erogenous Sensation and Partnered Sexual Function after Phalloplasty and Vaginoplasty, 2023 Scientific Conference 2023 Scientific Conference Vietnamese Society for Sexual Medicine, 2023 Scientific Conference Vietnamese Society for Sexual Medicine, Da Nang, Vietnam, 7/2023
24. Valued expertise that Vietnamese general urologists and sexual medicine healthcare providers can provide to patients undergoing major genital reconstructive surgery, 2023 Scientific Conference Vietnamese Society for Sexual Medicine, Vietnamese Society for Sexual Medicine, Da Nang, Vietnam, 7/2023
25. D. Debate: Restoring Function in Patients Following Penile Cancer Amputation, 43rd Congress of the Societe Internationale d' Urologie, SIU, Istanbul, Turkey, 10/2023
26. Single port gender reassignment surgery : Is it a reality, 43rd Congress of the Societe Internationale d' Urologie, SIU, Istanbul, Turkey, 10/2023
27. Advances in Reconstructive Surgery including Transgender Surgery, Urinary Diversion and Urethroplasty, 43rd Congress of the Societe Internationale d' Urologie, SIU, Istanbul, Turkey, 10/2023
28. Erogenous and Aversive Sensation Throughout the Vulva, Vagina, and Breasts in Cis-Gender Women: Anatomic “Heat-Maps” to Assess Effect of Treatment on Erogenous Sensation, EAU, Paris, France, 4/2024
29. Fused Double-Cylinder Penile Prosthesis Placement After Phalloplasty Without Urethral Lengthening: A Novel Technique Using A 2-Piece IPP, EAU, Paris, France, 4/2024
30. Use of a Novel Smartphone App for Audio Recording Consultations of Patients Seeking Genital Gender-Affirming Surgery: An Opportunity for Broader Application Throughout Urology, EAU, Paris, France, 4/2024
31. A SURGICAL TECHNIQUE TO CREATE A NATURAL-APPEARING RECESSED VAGINAL INTROITUS WITH GENDER-AFFIRMING VULVOPLASTY ("SHALLOW-DEPTH VAGINOPLASTY") UTILIZING A PEDICLED SCROTAL ADVANCEMENT FLAP, WPATH 28th Scientific Symposium, WPATH 28th Scientific Symposium, Lisbon, Portugal, 9/2024
32. FUSED DOUBLE-CYLINDER PENILE PROSTHESIS PLACEMENT AFTER PHALLOPLASTY WITHOUT URETHRAL LENGTHENING: A NOVEL TECHNIQUE USING A 2-PIECE IPP, WPATH 28th Scientific Symposium, WPATH 28th Scientific Symposium, Lisbon, Portugal, 9/2024
33. HOW MUCH OF THE GENITAL AREA CAN PEOPLE ACTUALLY SEE DIRECTLY WITH THEIR OWN EYES? AN ASSESSMENT OF GENITAL VISUAL FIELDS IMPORTANT FOR CISGENDER AND TRANSGENDER PEOPLE, WPAHT 28th Scientific Symposium, WPAHT 28th Scientific Symposium, Lisbon, Portugal, 9/2024
34. SALVAGE VAGINOPLASTY WITH SINGLE-PORT ROBOT ASSISTED URACHUS PERITONEAL HINGE FLAP: TECHNIQUE HIGHLIGHTS, OUTCOMES, AND AN EVIDENCE-BASED ARGUMENT FOR WHEN TO USE PERITONEUM, WPATH 28th Scientific Symposium, WPATH 28th Scientific Symposium, Lisbon, Portugal, 9/2024
35. SIGNIFICANT REDUCTION IN NEOURETHRA STRUCTURE AND FISTULA INCIDENCE AMONG TRANSGENDER MEN AFTER PHALLOPLASTY WITH URETHRAL LENGTHENING - A REVIEW OF OUTCOMES AND PREVENTION STRATEGIES, WPATH 28th Scientific Symposium, WPATH 28th Scientific Symposium, Lisbon, Portugal, 9/2024

36. WITH GENDER AFFIRMING VAGINOPLASTY, DO WE PLACE THE NEOCLITORIS IN THE CORRECT ANATOMIC LOCATION? RESULTS OF ANATOMIC AND MRI-BASED STUDIES, AND, A NOVEL SURGICAL TECHNIQUE FOR CORRECT PLACEMENT, WPATH 28th Scientific Symposium, WPATH 28th Scientific Symposium, Lisbon, Portugal, 9/2024
37. ERECTION FUNCTION AND BOTHER IN TRANSGENDER WOMEN TAKING GENDER AFFIRMING HORMONE THERAPY AND AFTER PRE-VAGINOPLASTY BILATERAL ORCHIECTOMY, WPATH 28th Scientific Symposium, WPAHT 28th Scientific Symposium, Lisbon, Portugal, 9/2024
38. Do transgender women taking gender-affirming hormone therapy, and with or without bilateral orchiectomy, experience penile erection, and do all, or only some, report bother from erections?, GURS, Antwerp, Belgium, 10/2024
39. Why do neourethral strictures commonly occur at the proximal neourethra? A novel theory, and significant reduction in stricture incidence after initiating use of a new post-surgery device, GURS, Antwerp, Belgium, 10/2024
40. A novel surgical technique to eliminate penile erections in transgender women - bilateral crural dissection, incision and cavernosal artery and crural ligation, GURS, Antwerp, Belgium, 10/2024
41. Does Pre-Vaginoplasty Bilateral Orchiectomy Compromise Scrotal Skin Length Using A Single Median Raphe Incision? Description of Our Surgical Technique and Intra- and Postoperative Outcomes, GURS, Antwerp, Belgium, 10/2024
42. With “standard” vaginoplasty technique, are surgeons positioning the neoclitoris in the same location in the vulva as in a cisgender woman? Results of anatomic and MRIbased studies and, a novel surgical technique for orthotopic placement, GURS, Antwerp, Belgium, 10/2024
43. Erection function and bother in transgender women taking gender affirming hormone therapy and after pre-vaginoplasty bilateral orchiectomy, SIU, New Delhi, India, 10/2024
44. Salvage vaginoplasty with single-port robot assisted tubularized urachus peritoneal hinge flap: technique highlights, outcomes, and an evidence-based proposal for how and when to use (and not use!) peritoneum with vaginoplasty, SIU, New Delhi, India, 10/2024
45. Positioning the elusive clitoris – novel technique to properly position the neoclitoris in transgender women undergoing vaginoplasty, SIU, New Delhi, India, 10/2024
46. Bilateral Orchiectomy Using a Single Median-Raphe Incision: Technical Highlights and Medical Benefits for Transgender Women Awaiting Gender-Affirming Vaginoplasty Surgery, SIU, New Delhi, India, 10/2024
47. Fused double-cylinder penile prosthesis placement after phalloplasty without urethral lengthening: a novel technique using a 2-piece IPP, SIU, New Delhi, India, 10/2024
48. How much of the genital area can people actually see directly with their own eyes? An assessment of genital visual fields important for cisgender and transgender people, SIU, New Delhi, India, 10/2024
49. Use of audio recordings in the consultation of patients seeking genital gender-affirming surgery: An opportunity for broader application throughout urology, and development of a novel smartphone app, SIU, New Delhi, India, 10/2024
50. Gender-Affirming Vaginectomy By Vaginal Introitus Excision and Vaginal Canal Vaporization: Surgical Technique and Technical Pearls, WMSM Annual Meeting 2026, WMSM Annual Meeting 2026, Porto, Portugal, 2/2025
51. A Simple, Safe, Anatomy-Based Surgical Technique for Dissection of the Vaginal Canal Space During Full-Depth Vaginoplasty, and, a Novel Surgical Instrument To Increase Safety, EAU, Madrid, Spain, 3/2025
52. A proposed Urachus-Based Peritoneal Hinge-Flap for Bladder Augmentation: Illustrated Surgical Technique and Fresh-Cadaver Based Surgical Video, GURS Annual Meeting 2025, GURS Annual Meeting 2025, Minneapolis, United States, 9/2025

53. A Proposed Urachus-Based Peritoneal Hinge-Flap for Repair of Genitourinary, Rectovesical, Urethral and Vaginal Fistulae in Men and Women, GURS Annual Meeting 2025, GURS Annual Meeting 2025, Minneapolis, United States, 9/2025
54. A Simple, Safe, Anatomy-Based Surgical Technique for Dissection of the Vaginal Canal Space During Full- Depth Vaginoplasty and a Novel Surgical Instrument To Increase Safety, GURS Annual Meeting 2025, GURS Annual Meeting 2025, Minneapolis, United States, 9/2025
55. Assisting Patients with Treatment Decision-Making: Evolution from a Conjoint Analysis Approach, to a Novel Decision Aid, GURS Annual Meeting 2025, GURS Annual Meeting 2025, Minneapolis, United States, 9/2025
56. Fused Double-Cylinder Penile Prosthesis Placement After Phalloplasty Without Urethral Lengthening: A Novel Technique Using A 2- Piece IPP, GURS Annual Meeting 2025, GURS Annual Meeting 2025, Minneapolis, United States, 9/2025
57. Gender Affirming Vaginectomy By Vaginal Introitus Excision and Vaginal Canal Vaporization: Surgical Technique and Technical Pearls, GURS Annual Meeting 2025, GURS Annual Meeting 2025, Minneapolis, United States, 9/2025
58. Reduction of Dysphoria- Causing Erections in Transgender Women- A Novel Surgical Technique to Gender Dysphoria Caused by Penile Erection: Bilateral Crural Artery Ligation and Transection, GURS Annual Meeting 2025, GURS Annual Meeting 2025, Minneapolis, United States, 9/2025
59. Salvage Vaginoplasty with Single-Port Robot Assisted Tubularized Urachus Peritoneal Hinge Flap: Technique Highlights, Outcomes, and an Evidence- Based Proposal fo How and When to Use (and Not to Use!)Peritoneum With Vaginoplasty, GURS Annual Meeting 2025, GURS Annual Meeting 2025, Minneapolis, United States, 9/2025
60. Shallow-Depth Vaginoplasty/Vulvoplasty: Patient Discussion, Surgical Options, and Surgical Technique, GURS Annual Meeting 2025, GURS Annual Meeting 2025, Minneapolis, United States, 9/2025
61. Significant Reduction in Neourethra Stricture and Fistula Incidence Among Transgender Men After Phalloplasty with Urethral Lengthening- A Review of Outcomes, Prevention Strategies and a New Device, GURS Annual Meeting 2025, GURS Annual Meeting 2025, Minneapolis, United States, 9/2025
62. With Gender Affirming Vaginoplasty, Are We Placing The Neoclitoris In The Correct Anatomic Location? Results of Anatomic And MRI-Based Studies, And A Novel Surgical Technique For True Orthotopic Placement, GURS Annual Meeting 2025, GURS Annual Meeting 2025, Minneapolis, United States, 9/2025
63. Fused Double-Cylinder Penile Prosthesis Placement After Phalloplasty Without Urethral Lengthening: A Novel Tchnique Using A 2 Piece IPP, USPATH Biannual Meeting 2025, USPATH, Santa Ana, New Mexico, 9/2025
64. Gender Afforming Vaginectomy By Vaginal Introitus Excision and Vaginal Canal Vaporization: Surgical Technique and Technical Pearls, USPATH Biannual Meeting 2025, USPATH, Santa Ana, New Mexico, 9/2025
65. Reduction of Dysphoria-Causing Erections in Transgender Women- A Novel Surgical Technique To Gender Dysphoria Caused By Penile Erection: Bilateral Crural Artery Ligation and Transection, USPATH Biannual Meeting 2025, USPATH, Santa Ana, New Mexico, 9/2025
66. A Proposed Urachus-Based Peritoneal-Hinge Flap for Repair of Genitourinary, Rectovesical, Urethral and Vaginal Fistulae in Men and Women, SIU Annual Meeting 2025, SIU Annual Meeting 2025, Edinburgh, Scotland, 10/2025
67. A Proposed-Urachus Based Peritoneal Hinge-Flap for Bladder Augmentation: Illustrated Surgical Technique and Fresh-Cadaver Based Surgical Video, SIU Annual Meeting 2025, SIU Annual Meeting 2025, Edinburgh, Scotland, 10/2025
68. A Simple, Safe, Anatomy Based Surgical Technique for Dissection of the Vaginal Canal Space During Full Depth Vaginoplasty and a Novel Surgical Instrument To Increase Safety, SIU Annual Meeting 2025, SIU Annual Meeting 2025, Edinburgh, Scotland, 10/2025

69. AI Med-Lit. Consult: gGAS (Oracle Bot), SIU Annual Meeting 2025, SIU Annual Meeting 2025, Edinburgh, Scotland, 10/2025
70. An MRI-based Anatomic Description of the Distance from the Urethral Meatus to the Anal Verge in Cis and Transgender Women: A cause of Higher UTI Rates in Transgender Women?, SIU Annual Meeting 2025, SIU Annual Meeting 2025, Edinburgh, Scotland, 10/2025
71. Fused Double- Cylinder Penile Prosthesis Placement After Phalloplasty Without Urethral Lengthening: A Novel Technique Using A 2-Piece IPP, SIU Annual Meeting 2025, SIU Annual Meeting 2025, Edinburgh, Scotland, 10/2025
72. Gender-Affirming Vaginectomy By Vaginal Introitus Excision and Vaginal Canal Vaporization: Surgical Technique and Technical Pearls, SIU Annual Meeting 2025, SIU Annual Meeting 2025, Edinburgh, Scotland, 10/2025
73. Reduction of Dysphoria-Causing Erections in Transgender Women: A novel Surgical Technique to Gender Dysphoria Caused by Penile Erection: Bilateral Crural Artery Ligation and Transection, SIU Annual Meeting 2025, SIU Annual Meeting 2025, Edinburgh, Scotland, 10/2025
74. Salvage Vaginoplasty with Single-Port Assisted Tubularized Urachus Peritoneal Hinge Flap: Technique Highlights, Outcomes, and an Evidence-Based Proposal for How and When to Use (and Not to Use!) Peritoneum With Vaginoplasty, SIU Annual Meeting 2025, SIU Annual Meeting 2025, Edinburgh, Scotland, 10/2025
75. Shallow-Depth Vaginoplasty/Vulvoplasty: Patient Discussion, Surgical Options and Surgical Technique, SIU Annual Meeting 2025, SIU Annual Meeting 2025, Edinburgh, Scotland, 10/2025
76. Significant Reduction in Neourethra Stricture and Fistula Incidence Among Transgender Men After Phalloplasty with Urethral Lengthening: A Review of Outcomes, Prevention Strategies and a New Device, SIU Annual Meeting 2025, SIU Annual Meeting 2025, Edinburgh, Scotland, 10/2025
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79. A Proposed Urachus- Based Peritoneal Hinge-Flap for Bladder Augmentation: Illustrated Surgical Technique and Fresh-Cadaver Based Surgical Video, WMSM Annual Meeting 2026, WMSM Annual Meeting 2026, Porto, Portugal, 2/2026
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82. Fused Double-Cylinder Penile Prosthesis Placement After Phalloplasty Without Urethral Lengthening: A novel Technique Using 2-Piece IPP, WMSM Annual Meeting 2026, WMSM Annual Meeting 2026, Porto, Portugal, 2/2026
83. Reduction of Dysphoria- Causing Erections in Transgender Women- A Novel Surgical Technique to Gender Dysphoria Caused by Penile Erection: Bilateral Crural Artery Ligation and Transection, WMSM Annual Meeting 2026, WMSM Annual Meeting 2026, Porto, Portugal, 2/2026
84. Salvage Vaginoplasty with Single Port Robot Assisted Tubularized Urachus Peritoneal Hinge Flap: Technique Highlights, Outcomes and an Evidence Based Proposal for How and When to Use (and Not to Use!) Peritoneum with Vaginoplasty, WMSM Annual Meeting 2026, WMSM Annual Meeting 2026, Porto, Portugal, 2/2026
85. Shallow-Depth Vaginoplasty/Vulvoplasty: Patient Discussion, Surgical Options, and Surgical Technique, WMSM Annual Meeting 2026, WMSM Annual Meeting 2026, Porto, Portugal, 2/2026

86. Significant Reduction In Neourethra Stricture and Fistula Incidence Among Transgender Men After Phalloplasty with Urethral Lengthening- A Review of Outcomes, Prevention Strategies, and a New Device, WMSM Annual Meeting 2026, WMSM Annual Meeting 2026, Porto, Portugal, 2/2026
87. With Gender Affirming Vaginoplasty, Are We Placing the Neoclitoris in the Correct Anatomic Location? Results of Anatomic and MRI-based Studies, And A Novel Surgical Technique For True Orthotopic Placement, WMSM Annual Meeting 2026, WMSM Annual Meeting 2026, Porto, Portugal, 2/2026
88. Could A Urachus Based Peritoneal Hinge-Flap be Used for Bladder Augmentation? Illustrated Porposed Technique and a Fresh Cadaver- Based Surgical Video, EAU Annual Meeting 2026, EAU Annual Meeting 2026, London, England, 3/2026
89. Feasibility Study: Use of the Symani™ Microsurgical robot with a 4K 3D Video-Exoscope to Perform Vaso-Vasostomy Using Fresh Human Tissues, EAU Annual Meeting 2026, EAU Annual Meeting 2026, London, England, 3/2026
90. Re-do Salvage Colon Vaginoplasty After Vaginal Canal Stenosis, EAU Annual Meeting 2026, EAU Annual Meeting 2026, London, England, 3/2026
91. Reduction Dysphoria-Causing Erections in Transgender Women- A Novel Surgical Technique to Gender Dysphoria Caused by Penile Erection: Bilateral Crural Artery Ligation and Transection, EAU Annual Meeting 2026, EAU Annual Meeting 2026, London, England, 3/2026

National Presentations

1. World Professional Association for Transgender Health (WPATH) Inaugural U.S. national meeting: 5 podium presentations related to transgender surgery techniques, novel surgical devices and outcomes; January 5, 2017; Los Angeles, CA., 1/2017
2. American Urologic Association (AUA) Annual Meeting. Podium presentation; Pre-vaginoplasty bilateral orchiectomy for transgender women: an efficient surgical technique that preserves collateral tissues and sensation. May 12, 2017; Boston, MA., 5/2017
3. American Society of Plastic Surgery (ASPS): Vaginoplasty and Phalloplasty: Optimizing Sexual Function Post-Operatively; October 10, 2017; Miami, FL., 10/2017
4. Society for Government Service Urologists (SGSU) Annual Meeting: Transgender Genital Surgery and Active Duty: Overview of Surgeries, Hospital Pathway, Duty Limitations During Recovery, and Anticipated Time to Full Recovery; January 13, 2018 Scottsdale Arizona, 1/2018
5. World Professional Association for Transgender Health (WPATH) Global Education Initiative; Transgender Gender Affirming Genital Surgery: A Live Surgery Course (Philadelphia, PA., April 26-28, 2018), 4/2018
6. American Urologic Association (AUA) Annual Meeting Course Director: Hands-On Cadaver Based Approaches to MtoF and FtoM Genital Gender Affirming Surgeries (offered in collaboration with the UCSF Department of Anatomy; Annual Meeting in San Francisco, May 17, 2018, 5/2018
7. Western Section of the American Urologic Association (WSAUA) Annual Meeting. Three Podium presentations related to transgender surgery and basic research. October 23-29, 2018; Kauai, HI., 10/2018
8. UC San Diego Symposium: Transgender Care; Lecturer; January 2019, 1/2019
9. Health Quality Institute Annual Conference: Improving the Care of the Transgender Patient: Strategies and Program Building; February 2019, 2/2019
10. Sexual Medicine society of North America; Annual Meeting Program Chair (Transgender Surgery and Care); February 2019, 2/2019
11. TransWellness Annual Conference, Philadelphia PA., Podium Lecture: Transgender Surgery: Surgical Options and Patient Decision Making; July 2019, 7/2019
12. Gender Odyssey (Child & Adolescent Transgender Care) Annual Conference; Podium Presentations & Panelist: Transgender Surgery: Surgery Options, Decision Making and Supportive Care; (presentations in English and in Spanish); San Diego, CA., August 2-3, 2019, 8/2019

13. American Urologic Association Western Section, Annual Meeting, November, 2019: Course Director—Transgender Surgery and Care, 11/2019
14. Seventh Annual Women’s Heart Symposium; Hormones and Heart Disease: Fact versus Fiction; Santa Monica, CA., February 8, 2020, 2/2020
15. American Urologic Association Annual Meeting (Washington DC, May 8, 2020): Moderated Poster: Effects of feminizing hormone therapy on sexual function of transgender women, 5/2020
16. American Urologic Association Annual Meeting (Washington DC, May 8, 2020): Podium Presentation: Which U.S. states’ Medicaid programs provide coverage for genital gender affirming surgery for transgender patients? A state-by-state review, and a study detailing the patient experience to confirm coverage of services, 5/2020
17. American Society for Plastic Surgery; Scientific Symposium; Modified Phallourethroplasty’ as a Surgical Alternative to Phalloplasty with Urethral Lengthening: Technique, How We Present this Option to Patients, and Clinical Outcomes; Annual Meeting, Boston, MA. October 2022, 10/2022
18. Panel Discussion: What are the Essential Elements to Consider in Developing Questionnaires for Sexual Wellness in Sexual Minority Groups? - Transgender Persons, Annual Meeting of the International Society for Sexual Medicine (ISSM) and the Sexual Medicine Society of North America (SMSNA, ISSM/SMSNA, Miami, FL, 10/2022
19. Transgender IPP - A 40000 Foot Overview, SMSNA/SUPS Resident's Education Course Didactics, SMSNA, Miami, FL, 10/2022
20. Transgender Wellness, Joint ISSM/SMSNA 2022, Miami, FL, 10/2022
21. American Urologic Association, Western Section; Podium Presentation: Comparison of Permanent Hair Removal Procedures before Gender-Affirming Vaginoplasty: Why We Should Consider Laser Hair Removal as a First-Line Treatment; Annual Meeting, Kauai, HI., November 3, 2022, 11/2022
22. American Urologic Association, Western Section; Podium Presentation: Mission First, People Always”: A History of Transgender Service and Genital Gender Affirming Surgery in the United States and United Kingdom Militaries; Annual Meeting, Kauai, HI, November 4, 2022, 11/2022
23. American Urologic Association, Western Section; Podium Presentation: Shallow-Depth Vaginoplasty: Patient Demographics, Pre-Operative Goals, and Post-Operative Satisfaction; Annual Meeting, Kauai, HI.; November 2, 2022, 11/2022
24. Fused Double-Cylinder Penile Prosthesis Placement After Phalloplasty Without Urethral Lengthening: A Novel Technique Using A 2-Piece IPP, American Urological Association, San Antonio, TX, 5/2024
25. What penis glans and shape do men and women most like? A study of preferences, and, the development of a novel approach using “penis stencils” for phalloplasty surgery, American Urological Association, San Antonio, TX, 5/2024
26. Does Pre-vaginoplasty Bilateral Orchiectomy Compromise Scrotal Skin Length Using a Single Median Raphe Incision? Description of Our Surgical Technique and Intra & Post-op Outcomes (#180, Sexual Medicine Society of North America, Scottsdale, AZ, 10/2024
27. Fused Double-Cylinder Penile Prosthesis Placement After Phalloplasty Without Urethral Lengthening: A Novel Technique Using a 2-Piece IPP (#177), Sexual Medicine Society of North America, Scottsdale, AZ, 10/2024
28. How Much of the Genital Area Can People Actually See Directly With Their Own Eyes? An Assessment of Genital Visual Fields Important for Cisgender and Transgender People (#193), Sexual Medicine Society of North America, Scottsdale, AZ, 10/2024
29. A Proposed Surgical Technique to Create a Natural-Appearing Recessed Vaginal Introitus With Gender-Affirming “Shallow-Depth Vaginoplasty” (Vulvoplasty) Utilizing a Pedicled Advancement Flap, Sexual Medicine Society of North America, Scottsdale, AZ, 10/2024
30. Do Transgender Women Taking Gender-Affirming Hormone Therapy, and With or Without Bilateral Orchiectomy, Experience Penile Erection, and Do All, or Only Some, Report Bother From Erections, Sexual Medicine Society of North America, Scottsdale, AZ, 10/2024

31. Salvage Vaginoplasty With Single-Port Robot Assisted Tubularized Urachus Peritoneal Hinge Flap: Technique Highlights, Outcomes, and an Evidence-Based Proposal for How and When to Use (And Not Use!) Peritoneum With Vaginoplasty, Sexual Medicine Society of North America, Scottsdale, AZ, 10/2024
32. Why Do Neourethral Strictures Commonly Occur at the Proximal Neourethra? A Novel Theory, and Significant Reduction in Stricture Incidence After Initiating Use of a New Post-surgery Device, Sexual Medicine Society of North America, Scottsdale, AZ, 10/2024
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34. Exploring The Intersection of Congenital Genital Surgery And Gender Affirming Surgery For Transgender Individuals: A Journey of Reconstruction, American Urological Association, Western Section, Kauai, HI, 10/2024
35. How Much Of The Genital Area Can People Actually See, Directly With Their Own Eyes? An Assessment Of Cisgender And Transgender Patient's Genital Visual Fields, American Urological Association, Western Section, Kauai, HI, 10/2024
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37. With "Standard" Vaginoplasty Technique, Are Surgeons Positioning The Neoclitoris In The Same Location On The Vulva As In Cisgender Women? Results of Anatomic And MRI-Based Studies And, A Novel Surgical Technique For Orthotopic Placement., American Urological Association, Western Section, Kauai, HI, 10/2024
38. Does Pre-Vaginoplasty Bilateral Orchiectomy Compromise Scrotal Skin Length Using A Single Median Raphe Incision? Description Of Our Surgical Technique And Intra And Postoperative Outcomes, American Urological Association, Western Section, Kauai, HI, 10/2024
39. Salvage Vaginoplasty With Single-Port Robot-Assisted Tubularized Urachus Peritoneal Hinge Flap: Technique Highlights, Outcomes, And An Evidence-Based Proposal For How And When To Use (And Not Use!) Peritoneum With Vaginoplasty, American Urological Association, Kauai, HI, 10/2024
40. Are Microplastics Present In Human Testicle Tissue? Analysis Using Infrared Spectroscopy, American Urological Association, Western Section, Kauai, HI, 10/2024
41. When Total Erectile Dysfunction Is The ... GOAL !!, American Urological Association, Western Section, Kauai, HI, 11/2024
42. Improving Informed Consent and Reducing Malpractice Risk Through Shared Audio-Recorded Surgical Consultations, American Urological Association, Western Section, Napa Valley, CA, 11/2024
43. Increased Invasive Complications with Accuryn Catheters Compared to Standard Foley Catheters in the ICU: A Quality Improvement Study, American Urological Association, Western Section, Napa Valley, CA, 11/2024
44. Navigating Choices In Phalloplasty: A Conjoint Analysis Approach To Aid Patient Decision-Making, American Urological Association, Western Section, Napa Valley, CA, 11/2024
45. Urethral Stricture and Fistula Rates in Transgender Men Undergoing Phalloplasty With Urethral Lengthening – Our Counselling and Strategies to Optimize Outcomes, American Urological Association, Western Section, Napa Valley, CA, 11/2024
46. A Proposed Urachus-Based Peritoneal Hinge-Flap for Bladder Augmentation: Illustrated Surgical Technique and Fresh-Cadaver Based Surgical Video 3, American Urological Association, Western Section, Napa Valley, CA, 11/2024
47. Reduction of Dysphoria-Causing Erections in Transgender Women – A Novel Surgical Technique Utilizing Crural Artery Ligation, American Urological Association, Western Section, Napa Valley, CA, 11/2024

48. Salvage Vaginoplasty with Single-Port Robot Assisted Tubularized Urachus Peritoneal Hinge Flap: Technique Highlights, Outcomes, and an Evidence-Based Proposal for How and When to Use (and Not Use!) Peritoneum With Vaginoplasty, American Urological Association, Western Section, Napa Valley, CA, 11/2024
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50. Significant Reduction in Neourethra Stricture and Fistula Incidence Among Transgender Men After Phalloplasty With Urethral Lengthening — A Review of Outcomes, Prevention Strategies, and a new Device, American Urological Association, Las Vegas, NV, 4/2025
51. Why is incidence of UTI higher in transgender versus cis-gender women? Radiographic-MRI measurement of the distance from the neo-vagina urethral meatus to the anal verge, and a review of recommended post-vaginoplasty UTI-prevention strategies, American Urological Association, Las Vegas, NV, 4/2025
52. Erection Function and Bother in Transgender Women Taking Gender Affirming Hormone Therapy and After Pre-Vaginoplasty Bilateral Orchiectomy, American Urological Association, Las Vegas, NV, 4/2025
53. Salvage Vaginoplasty with Single-Port Robot Assisted Tubularized Urachus Peritoneal Hinge Flap: Technique Highlights and Outcomes for How and When to Use (and Not to Use!) Peritoneum with Vaginoplasty, USPATH Biannual Meeting 2025, USPATH, Santa Ana, New Mexico, 9/2025

Regional and Extramural Local Presentations

1. UCSF Mini-Medical School program course lecture: Sexual function after surgery and medical treatment among men, women, and transgender people; July 12, 2016; UCSF Campus, 7/2016
2. Stanford University Department of Urology Grand Rounds: Transgender Surgery and Care: An Overview and Discussion about Program Building and Lessons Learned; October 18, 2016; Stanford, CA., 10/2016
3. UCSF Mini-Medical School Course Co-Chair: LGBT Health and Transgender Surgery; Nov 2-23, 2016; UCSF Campus, 11/2016
4. Transgender Surgery: A Hands-On Cadaver-Based Course for MtoF and FtoM Genital Gender-Affirming Surgery; Course Director; Offered in collaboration with the UCSF Department of Anatomy. Held on the UC Irvine Campus; Sponsored by UCSF Department of Urology, UCSF Department of Anatomy, and the World Professional Association for Transgender Health (WPATH). January 4, 2017; Irvine, CA., 1/2017
5. Children's Hospital Los Angeles (CHLA), Departments of Endocrinology and Adolescent Medicine: Transgender Surgery Options and Care for Adolescents (March 14, 2017; Los Angeles, CA., 3/2017
6. Kaiser Permanente, Southern California: Transgender Surgery Program Building: Pitfalls and Lessons Learned; October 2017, Palm Springs, CA., 10/2017
7. San Diego VA Medical Center, Grand Rounds lecture: Transgender Surgery and Healthcare in the VA system; April 2018, 4/2018
8. UC Irvine school of Medicine Lecture Series: Transgender Surgery and the Care of the Transgender Patient, 1/2019
9. UC Irvine school of Medicine Lecture Series: Transgender Surgery and the Care of the Transgender Patient, 1/2020
10. UC Irvine school of Medicine Lecture Series: Transgender Surgery and the Care of the Transgender Patient, 1/2022

UCLA Presentations

1. UCLA / West Los Angeles VA Hospital, Department of Endocrinology, Grand Rounds lecture: Transgender Healthcare and Surgery in the VA System; February 2, 2018; Los Angeles, CA., 2/2018

Cedars-Sinai/Institutional Presentation

1. Grand Rounds, Department of Medicine, April 10, 2023, 4/2023
2. Grand Rounds Presentation, Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology, June 18, 2023, 6/2023

TEACHING ACTIVITIES:

11/2023-11/2023	Course taught, Transgender Surgery Course, SMSNA, Sexual Medicine Society of North America, Lakeville, United States
03/2026-03/2026	Course developed, EAU / ESU 2026, Course 39: Transgender Surgery Course, European Urologic Association (EAU), EAU, Annual Meeting, London, United Kingdom

Non-Clinical Teaching

02/2018-02/2018	Transgender Healthcare and Surgery in the VA System, UCLA / West Los Angeles VA Hospital, Department of Endocrinology
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1. **Gravity independent medical drainage system; US Patent #: 11376151**
Inventors: Garcia MM, Garcia M
2. **Neovaginal and Vaginal health Devices; U.S. Patent#: 11638808**
Inventors: Garcia M, Garcia MM
3. **Biological Impedance Spectroscopy Methods and Devices; USPTO Applic. # 62/347,059**
Inventors: Garcia M, Garcia MM
4. **Safety urinary catheter; U.S. Patent # 9084868**
Inventors: Garcia M, Garcia M
5. **Methods and devices for sorting cells and other biological particulates; U.S. Patent # 9,079,189**
Inventors: Garcia M, Garcia M
6. **Drainage system; U.S. Patent # 7,766,886**
Inventors: Garcia M, Garcia M
7. **Method and Apparatus for Detecting Target Objects; U.S. Patent # 6,843,158,**
Inventors: Garcia M, Garcia M
8. **Method and Apparatus for Deactivating Active Landmines; U.S. Patent # 6,382,070,**
Inventors: Garcia M, Garcia M
9. **Gravity Independent Medical Drainage Systems; USPTO Applic. # 20160135982**
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10. **Fiduciary markers and methods of placement; USPTO Applic. # 20140180065**
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11. **Image-based measurement tools; US Patent #: US 20112/061032**
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13. **Methods for deriving adipose tissue derived stem cells and therapeutic use thereof; USPTO Applic. #20090304654**
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14. **System and method for urinary tract cell collection, diagnosis and chemotherapy; USPTO Applic. #20090171241**
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