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Education: University of Western Ontario
London, Ontario
B.A.- 1992

University of Toronto
Toronto, Ontario
M.D. – 1996

Honors: Ontario Scholar- 1989
University of Western Ontario Scholar – 1990-92
Edna Jeffrey Scholarship- 1992
Mary L. Cassidy –University of Toronto medical award- 1994
Gordon Cressy Student Leadership Award- 1995
Medical Society Honor Award- 1996
University of Toronto Lange Medical Publication Award-1996
Mayo Clinic Department of Ophthalmology Award- 2001
Eye Care and Medical Leadership Award- 2014- Cabinet Minister
Tracy MacCharles

Postgraduate Training:

Internship: Internal Medicine
Mayo Graduate School of Medicine
Rochester, Minnesota 1996-7

Residency: Ophthalmology
Mayo Graduate School of Medicine
Rochester, Minnesota 1997-2001

Fellowship: Vitreoretinal Surgery
 University of Toronto
 Toronto, Ontario 2001-2

Certification:

Diplomate, LMCC parts I and II – 1996, 1997
 Completed, American Board of Ophthalmology written exam- April 2001
 Completed, Royal College of Physicians of Surgeons Ophthalmology fellowship exams – June 2001
 Diplomate, American Board of Ophthalmology- June 2002

Licensure:

Minnesota #40449 1998
 College of Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario #76720 2001
 Canadian Medical Protective Association # 1005051

Hospital Appointments:

1. Rouge Valley Hospital - Chief Of Ophthalmology from 2005-15
 -Active Staff since January 2002
2. The Scarborough Hospital- Associate Staff July 2002
3. The Scarborough-Rouge Hospital Active Staff- 2016

University Appointments:

1. University of Toronto- Lecturer and Surgical Instructor- Department of Ophthalmology
2. University of Waterloo- Clinical Instructor- School of Optometry

Positions:

1. Eye Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario-Ontario Medical Association- President (2017-8)
2. Eye Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario- Ontario Medical Association- Tariff Chair (2016)
3. Chief of Ophthalmology Rouge Valley Hospital (2005-16)
4. Rouge Valley Hospital Treasurer of the Medical Staff Society (2014)
5. President of the Ontario Medical Association Branch society Rouge Valley Hospital (2014)
6. Rouge Valley Hospital Vice President of Medical Staff Society (2012-2013)
7. Vice President of the Ontario Medical Association Branch society Rouge Valley Hospital (2012-2013)

Committees:

1. Rouge Valley Hospital Board (2012-4)

2. Rouge Valley Hospital Medical Advisory Committee (2012-5)
3. Rouge Valley Medical Staff Society Executive (2012-6)
4. District 11 Ontario Medical Association
5. Rouge Valley Surgical Program Executive
6. Integration Leadership Committee- Central East LHIN, Rouge Valley Hospital, The Scarborough Hospital
7. Joint Hospital Bylaw Committee (2015-6)
8. Rouge Valley Audit and Finance Committee (2012-4)
9. Province of Ontario Quality Based Procedure (QBP) Committee for Medical and Surgical Retina
10. Central East Local Health Integration Vision Task Force
11. College of Physician and Surgeons of Ontario clinical assessor (2011-2018)
12. Eye Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario Executive (2016-8)
13. Ontario Medical Association Council (2013-present)
14. Eye Health Council of Ontario- (2016-8)

Publications:

1. Cheskes, JW; Buettner, H: Ocular Manifestations of Alkaptonuric Ochronosis. *Arch Oph* 118(5), 218-0, 2000.
2. Ophthalmology in Ontario—2017. A report for the Ontario Medical Association mediation and negotiations. Circulated to mediator, MOHLTC and OMA.
3. Rebuttal of Ministry of Health positions-2018. A negotiations document for the Ontario Medical Association.
4. Ensuring Excellence and Access to Cataract Surgery in Ontario- February 2018. A report studying the wait times of cataract surgery for Ontario residents and the difficulty for new ophthalmology surgeons to access public hospitals. Report given to MOHLTC, Provincial Vision Care Strategy and Ontario Medical Association.
5. Ontario Hansard –The committee on General Governance—November 2017. Presentation to ban eye tattoos in Ontario.

Laws Created:

1. Bill 160 Ontario- Strengthening Quality and Accountability for Patients—Ban of eye tattoos and eye jewelry for the public. The act of tattooing of an eye is only to be done by a medical practitioner.

Research Projects:

1. Cheskes, JW; Herman, DC: A case series of 8 patients with tubulo-interstitial nephritis uveitis syndrome.
2. Cheskes, JW; Devenyi, R; Lam, WC; Berger, A: Accommodative Amplitudes in Patients with Scleral Buckles.

Abstracts:

1. Cheskes, JW; Devenyi, R; Lam, WC; Berger, A: Accommodative Amplitudes in Patients with Scleral Buckles. University of Toronto Annual Research Day.

2. Guan, K; Flanagan, JG; Lam, WC; Denenyi, R; Mandelcorn, M; Lim, J; Cheskes, J; Hudson, C: A Cross-Sectional Comparison of the Heidelberg Retina Tomograph and the Retinal Thickness Analyzer in the Assessment of Diabetic Macular Edema: Agreement with Clinical Observation.