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### **Education**

1986-1991	B.A., Summa cum Laude, Music (Double Specialization: History/Literature &
	Performance), School of Fine Arts, University of California at Los Angeles
	(UCLA), U.S.A.
1991-1996	M.D., School of Medicine, University of California at San Francisco (UCSF),
	U.S.A.

# Research and Professional Positions Held in Chronological Sequence

1993-1994	Post-Sophomore Fellow, Dept. of Pathology, UCLA
1996-1997	Resident/Post-Graduate Year (PGY) 1, Dept. of Obstetrics/Gynecology
	(ObGyn), UCLA
1998-2001	Resident/PGY 2, PGY3, & Chief Resident, Dept. of ObGyn, National Taiwan
	University-En Chu Kong Hospital Joint Program
2002-2005	Postdoctoral Fellow, Stem Cell Research Center, National Health Research
	Institutes (NHRI), Taiwan
2003/3	Visiting Scientist, Embryonic Stem Cell Research Center, UCSF
2005-2009	Assistant Investigator & Attending Physician, Regenerative Medicine Research
	Group (RMRG—formerly Stem Cell Research Center), Institute of Cellular and
	System Medicine (ISCM), NHRI
2009-2014	Associate Investigator & Attending Physician, RMRG, ISCM, NHRI
2017/9-23/8	Deputy Director, ISCM, NHRI *Hiatus: 2019/8~20/7 due to sabbatical leave
2014-	Investigator & Attending Physician, RMRG, ISCM, NHRI
present	

### **Research Interests**

Human mesenchymal stem/stromal cell (MSC) biology & immunobiology, induced pluripotent stem cell (iPSC) biology, cell therapy, women's health

## **Major Honors and Awards**

1989	Distinguished Scholar Award, UCLA
1991	Induction into Phi Beta Kappa National Honor Society, USA
1991	Outstanding Graduating Senior Award, UCLA
1992	UCSF/University of Heidelberg, Exchange Student Scholarship
1996	UCSF/Peking Union Medical College, Exchange Student Scholarship
1997	Best Resident Award, Department of ObGyn, UCLA
2009	Wu Ta-You Young Scientist Award, National Science Council, Taiwan

2010	Junior Researcher Award, Academia Sinica, Taiwan
2010	Young Researcher Achievement Award, NHRI
2013	10 <sup>th</sup> National Innovation Award—Academic Research Category, Institute for
	Biotechnology & Medicine Industry (IBMI), Taiwan
2015	Outstanding Research Achievement Award, NHRI