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Education

Postgraduate Medical Training

Cytopathology Fellowship

University of Virginia Health System, Charlottesville, VA

Gynecologic and Breast Pathology Fellowship

University of Virginia Health System, Charlottesville, VA

Anatomic and Clinical Pathology Fellowship

Chief Resident in Anatomic Pathology

Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA

Medical Education

Doctor of Medicine, MD

Medical University of South Carolina, Charleston, South Carolina

Licenses & Certifications

Medical Licenses

Commonwealth of Virginia Medical License

Board Certifications

Diplomate of the American Board of Pathology – Cytopathology

Diplomate of the American Board of Pathology – Anatomic and Clinical Pathology

Awards

- 2026 Virginia Top Docs Pathology, Virginia Business Magazine, Richmond Virginia
- 2024 Saul Kay Faculty Teaching Award, Virginia Commonwealth University, Richmond, VA
- 2022 Faculty Teaching Award in Anatomic Pathology, University of Virginia, Charlottesville, VA
- 2019 Distinguished Contributions by a Resident, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA

Virginia Commonwealth University & Medical Center Appointments

- 2023 - present Assistant Professor, Department of Pathology, Virginia Commonwealth University Health System

VCU Service

- 2024 - present Associate Program Director, Pathology Residency Program
- 2024 - present Associate Program Director, Cytopathology Fellowship Program
- 2024 - present Pathology Residency Program Evaluation Committee
- 2024 - present Pathology Residency Clinical Competency Committee
- 2023 - present Cytopathology Fellowship Clinical Competency Committee

Professional Organizations

- Arthur Purdy Stout Society
- Richmond Academy of Medicine
- Virginia Society for Pathology
- American Society of Clinical Pathology
- American Society of Cytopathology
- College of American Pathologists
- United States and Canadian Academy of Pathology

Editorial Advisory Boards

International Journal of Surgical Pathology – Editorial Board Member

Recent Invited Presentations

- 2025 Updates in Endometrial Carcinoma. 10th Annual Surgical Pathology Update: Diagnostic Pearls for the Practicing Pathologist. Scottsdale, AZ.
- 2025 Vulvar Squamous Precursor Lesions. 10th Annual Surgical Pathology Update: Diagnostic Pearls for the Practicing Pathologist. Scottsdale, AZ.
- 2025 Uterine Mesenchymal Lesions. 10th Annual Surgical Pathology Update: Diagnostic Pearls for the Practicing Pathologist. Scottsdale, AZ.
- 2024 - 2025 Biomarkers in Squamous and Glandular Precursor Lesions of the Cervix and Vulva. Short Course presented at the United States and Canadian Academy of Pathology, Baltimore, MD.
- 2024 Gynecologic Molecular Pathology Review for Endometrial, Vulvar, and Cervical Cancers. American Society for Radiation Oncology (ASTRO) Annual Meeting. Washington, D.C.
- 2024 Squamous Precursor Lesions of the Vulva: Pitfalls and Challenges in Diagnosing HPV-associated and HPV-independent Vulvar Neoplasia. American Society of Clinical Pathology (ASCP) Annual Meeting. Chicago, IL.
- 2023 HPV-Independent Vulvar Neoplasia – Virtual Grand Rounds, Geisinger Medical Center, Geisinger, PA
- 2022 Approach to the Lymph Node FNA – American Society of Cytopathology Cyto-econference, Virtual Presentation for ASC Members
- 2021 HPV-Independent Vulvar Neoplasia – Virtual Grand Rounds, Oregon Pathologists Association, Sherwood, OR

Recent Publications

Book Chapters

Dibbern, M.E., **Jenkins, T.M.** Ovarian Brenner tumors and other rare tumors. In: Gynecologic and Obstetric Pathology. Vol 3. W. Zheng et al. (eds.) Science Press & Springer Nature Singapore Pte Ltd. In Press. 2024.

Crawford, M.P, **Jenkins, T.M.**, Mills, A.M. Chapter 7: Epithelial malignant tumors of the cervix: squamous carcinoma. In: Atlas of Diagnostic Pathology of the Cervix - A Case-Based Approach. Soslow, R.A., Park, K.J, Stolnicu, S. (eds.) Springer. 1st ed. 2021.

Matrai, C, **Jenkins, T.M.**, Baranov, E, Schwartz, L.E. Chapter 26: Ovarian mucinous tumors, Brenner tumors, and other epithelial tumors. In: Gynecologic and Obstetric Pathology. Vol 2. W. Zheng et al. (eds.) Science Press & Springer Nature Singapore Pte Ltd, 203-230. 2019.

Peer Reviewed Publications

Bear HD, Deng X, Bandyopadhyay D, Idowu W, **Jenkins TM**, Kmiecziak M, Williams M, Archer G, Gwaltney L, Dillon P, Flora D, Stover DG, Poklepovic A, Hackney M, Ross M, Vachhani H, Louie R, McGuire KP, Grover A, Rahman T, Hendrix A. T-Cell Immune Checkpoint Inhibition Plus Hypomethylation for Locally Advanced HER2-Negative Breast Cancer – A Phase 2 Neoadjuvant Window Trial of Decitabine and Pembrolizumab Followed by Standard Neoadjuvant Chemotherapy. Journal for ImmunoTherapy of Cancer. 2025 Feb 27;13(2):e010294.

Mills AM, **Jenkins TM**, Dibbern ME, Atkins KA, Ring KL. Yolk Sac Differentiation in Endometrial Carcinoma: Incidence and Clinicopathologic Features of Somatically Derived Yolk Sac Tumors Versus Carcinomas With Nonspecific Immunoexpression of Yolk Sac Markers. Am J Surg Pathol. 2024 Jul1;48(7):790-802. Epub 2024 Apr 23.

Hammer, P.M., Wang, A, Zdravkovic, S, Heilbroner, L, Ryan, E, Suarez, C.J., Ho, C, Vermij, L, **Jenkins, T.M.**, Mills, A.M., Bosse, T, Howitt, B.E. Molecular Classification Outperforms Histologic Classification in Prognostication of High-grade Endometrial Carcinomas with Undifferentiated and Sarcomatous Components Am J Surg Pathol. May 2024. Epub ahead of print.

Katsakhyan, L., Devins, K.M., **Jenkins, T.M.**, Song, S.J. Transitioning from trainee to practicing pathologist: A prospective multi-institutional survey of the challenges early career anatomic pathologist encounter when entering independent practice. Arch Pathol Lab Med. 2024 Jan 5. Epub ahead of print.

Jenkins, T.M., Mehr, C.R. Updates in the Use of Immunohistochemical Stains in Breast and Gynecologic Pathology. Arch Pathol Lab Med. 2023 Jul 6. Epub ahead of print.

Zeng, J, Alvarez-Yela, A.C., Casarez, E, Jiang, Y, Wang, L, Kelly, B.E., **Jenkins, T**, Ke, E, Atkins, K.A., Janes, K.A., Slack-Davis, J.K., Zong, H. Dichotomous Cancer-initiating Potential of Fallopian Tube Pax8+ Epithelial Cells Revealed by Clonal Analysis with a Mouse Genetic Mosaic Model. iScience. 2023 May 19;26(106742):1-22.

Jenkins, T.M., Cantrell, L.A., Stoler, M.H., Mills, A.M. HER2 Overexpression and Amplification in Uterine Carcinosarcomas with Serous Morphology. Am J Surg Pathol. 2022 Apr 1;46(4):435-442.

Mills, A.M., **Jenkins, T.M.**, Howitt, B, Fan, J, Ring, K.L., Cook, I. Mesonephric-like Endometrial Carcinoma: Results from immunohistochemical screening of 300 endometrial carcinomas and carcinosarcomas for this often overlooked and potentially aggressive entity. Am J Surg Pathol. 2022 Jul 1;46(7):921-932. Epub 2022 Feb 24.

Volaric A.K., Zadeh S.L., Dusenbery A.C., Coppock J.D., Dibbern M.E., **Jenkins T.M.**, González J.O., Rodríguez D, Burt D.R., Frierson H.F., Rodas B. Global health education in pathology residency: establishing a novel resident clinical elective in Quetzaltenango, Guatemala. Am J Clin Pathol. 2021 Apr 9;156(3):478-490.

Jenkins, T.M., Cantrell, L.A., Stoler, M.H., Mills, A.M. PD-L1 and mismatch repair status in uterine carcinosarcomas. Int J Gynecol Pathol. 2021 Nov 1;40(6):563-574.