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Education

2023 Fellowship, Genitourinary Pathology
University of Michigan, Michigan Medicine

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2019 - 2022 Residency, Anatomic Pathology
National Institutes of Health, National Cancer Institute
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2007 - 2013 Bachelor of Medicine, Bachelor of Surgery
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Licenses & Certifications

The American Board of Pathology-Anatomic Pathology

Selected Publications

Peer Reviewed Papers

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Abstracts/Meeting Presentations

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Desar S, Giubellino A, Lee CC. "Report of a new Family with BAP1 Cancer Syndrome and Review of the Literature". American Society of Dermatopathology, 2020, dual presentation.

Desar S, Sargen M, Cowen EW, Lee CC, "Intradermal nevus with extensive neurotization and neurofibroma-like changes in a patient with BAP-1 Tumor Predisposition Syndrome." American Society of Dermatopathology, 2021, Poster Session 2, #251.

Desar S, Cowen E, Blau J, Lee CC. "Clear Cell Angiofibroma with Granular Cell Variant feature, A Rare Histologic Finding in a Patient with Multiple Endocrine Neoplasia 1" American Society of Dermatopathology, 2020, Poster Session 2, #539.

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Chapter

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