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EDUCATION/TRAINING			
INSTITUTION AND LOCATION	DEGREE (if applicable)	YEAR(s)	FIELD OF STUDY
Williams College, Williamstown, MA	B.A.	1991	Chemistry
Washington University, St. Louis, MO	M.D.	1995	Medicine
University of Washington, Seattle, WA	M.P.H	2001	Health Services

### A. Positions and Honors.

#### **Positions and Employment**

1995- 1998 Medical Residency, Internal Medicine, University of Washington, Seattle, WA  
1998- 1999 Chief Resident and Acting Instructor, Internal Medicine, VA Puget Sound Health Care System, Seattle, WA  
1999- 2001 Fellow, Robert Wood Johnson Clinical Scholars Program, Seattle, WA  
2000- 2003 Fellow, Pulmonary and Critical Care, University of Washington, Seattle, WA  
2005 Acting Instructor, Pulmonary and Critical Care, University of Washington, Seattle, WA  
2005- Assistant Professor, Pulmonary and Critical Care, Case Western Reserve University, Cleveland Ohio  
2005- Advisory Board, Cleveland Minority Organ Tissue Transplant Education Program (MOTTEP)

#### **Professional Memberships**

1999- Present Member, American College of Chest Physicians  
2001- Present Member, American Thoracic Society  
2002- Present Member, National Medical Association

#### **Certifications**

1998 American Board of Internal Medicine  
2003 Pulmonary Diseases  
2004 Critical Care Medicine

### B. Selected peer- reviewed publications (in chronological order).

1. Speidel C.M., Thornton JD, et al., Procoagulant activity on injured arteries and associated thrombi is mediated primarily by the complex of tissue factor and factor VIIa. Coron Artery Dis, 1996. 7(1): p. 57- 62.
2. McConnaughey D., Thornton JD, Wu D, Disorientation and vertebral fractures. Lancet, 1999. 353 (9167): p.1848.
3. Thornton JD, Curtis JR, Allen MD, Completion of Advanced Care Directives is Associated with Willingness to Donate. Journal of National Medical Association, 2006. 98: p. 897 – 904.

4. Thornton JD, Wong KA, Cardenas V, Curtis JR, Spigner C, Allen MD, Ethnic and Gender Differences in Willingness to Donate Organs Among High School Students. *Journal of Adolescent Medicine*, 2006. 39: 266- 274.

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2. Thornton JD, How to Perform Basic Procedures and Body Fluid Analysis, in *Guide to Internal Medicine*, D.S. Paauw, L.R. Burkholder, and M.B. Migeon, Editors. 1999, Mosby: St. Louis. p. 19- 22.
3. Thornton JD, in *Step 2 Exam: General Clinical Sciences*, B.J. Copland, Editor. 1999, Mosby: St. Louis.
4. Thornton JD, Adrenal Disorders in *Internal Medicine Clerkship Guide*, D.S. Paauw, L.R. Burkholder, and M.B. Migeon, Editors. 2003, Mosby: St. Louis.
5. Thornton JD, How to Perform Basic Procedures and Body Fluid Analysis, in *Internal Medicine Clerkship Guide*, D.S. Paauw, L.R. Burkholder, and M.B. Migeon, Editors. 2003, Mosby: St. Louis.

## Abstracts

1. Thornton JD, Kim C, Kwok Y, Schaad D, DeWitt D, Does Training Students in Rural Regions Increase the Likelihood of Primary Care Practice? in *Robert Wood Johnson Clinical Scholars Program National Meeting*. 2000. Fort Lauderdale, Florida: Robert Wood Johnson Foundation.
2. Thornton JD, Spigner C, Allen MD, Knowledge and opinions of African American professionals regarding organ donation. in *Robert Wood Johnson Clinical Scholars Program National Meeting*. 2001. Fort Lauderdale, Florida: Robert Wood Johnson Foundation.
3. Thornton JD, Spigner C, Allen MD, Perceptions about organ donation and transplantation among African American health care and non- health care professionals: preliminary findings from a focus group approach. *American Journal of Transplantation*, 2001. 1(S1): p.220.
4. Gore JI, Morris A, Flowers CR, Thornton JD, McCashland TM, Racial Variation in Colorectal Polyp and Tumor Location: Implications for Screening. Abstract 744: *American Journal of Gastroenterology*, 97(9), Suppl: p. S244, 2002.
5. Thornton JD, Spigner C, Allen MD, African American Health Care and Non- Health Care Professionals' Perceptions Regarding Incentives for Organ Donation. in *American Thoracic Society International Conference*. 2003. Seattle, Washington: American Thoracic Society.

## C. Research Support.

2003- 2007                      Robert Wood Johnson Foundation. Harold Amos Medical Faculty Development Award Primary Investigator. Determine facilitators and barriers to donation among African American and European American health care providers, and to determine the effects of these personal beliefs on discussing and promoting organ donation with their patients.