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PROFESSIONAL OBJECTIVE Practice in General Orthopedics with an emphasis on spinal surgery

CURRENT PRACTICE Thomasville Orthopedic Center
2001 to present

TRAINING Spinal Surgery Fellowship
Charlotte Spine Center
2000 to 2001

Orthopedic Surgery Residency
University of Missouri-Kansas City
1996 to 2000

General Surgery Internship
Orlando Regional Medical System
1995 to 1996

EDUCATION *Medical Doctorate*
Mercer University School of Medicine

Bachelor of Science – Biology
Valdosta State University

HONORS AND AWARDS Joe Sam Robinson, Sr., M.D. Prize in Surgery for Distinguished Performance in the Area of Surgery and the Surgical Sub-Specialties and General Excellence of Character
Joint Board of Family Practice Summer Preceptorship

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“Effects of different orientations of Smith-Robinson iliac crest grafts”
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The Cervical Spine Research Society, Atlanta, GA, December, 1998
Mid America, Bermuda, April, 1999

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