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### PROFESSIONAL WORK HISTORY

### **Emergency Medicine Physician**

2019-Present

- A Clinical Instructor with the University of Washington Department of Emergency Medicine and the medicolegal educator for the Department's attendings and residents.
- An Emergency Medicine physician with Eastside Emergency Physicians (EEP), which services the Swedish Issaquah, Swedish Mill Creek, and Swedish Redmond Emergency Departments and Swedish Redmond Urgent Care, and the medicolegal educator for EEP physicians.

# JD MD Consulting, LLC

2021-Present

Provide medicolegal consulting services to attorneys, hospitals, and private medical groups.

# Attorney, Chicoine & Hallett, PS, Seattle, WA

1999-2009

- Practiced law with a focus on white-collar criminal defense, tax controversy, estate planning (Wills, Health Care Directives, and Durable Power of Attorneys), business litigation, family law, and dependency law.
- Represented physicians under investigation for Medicare/Medicaid billing issues or tax shelters, and individuals and corporations before the IRS and in the federal court system.
- Lectured at Continuing Legal Education seminars and presented expert opinion.

## Adjunct Professor of Law, University of Washington School of Law

2005-2009

 Developed and taught a course, Property Dispositions, titled Tax Crimes: Investigations, Prosecutions, & Penalties.

### **Pro Bono Attorney**

1999-2009

- Represented economically disadvantaged individuals and victims of domestic violence in family law matters through the King County Bar Association Family Law Mentor Program.
- Represented abused children made dependents of the state and acted as their Guardian Ad Litem for the King County Superior Court CASA Program and King County Superior Court Juvenile Division.

### **MEDICAL TRAINING**

**Resident Physician**, University of Washington Department of Emergency Medicine Residency 2015-2019

A four-year residency program that offered multi-dimensional training and exposure to several
distinct medical environments, including: Harborview Medical Center, a Level 1 adult and pediatric
trauma and burn center; University of Washington Medical Center, a tertiary/quaternary care center;
Valley Medical Center, a high-volume community hospital; and Seattle Children's Hospital, a large
pediatric hospital

### **EDUCATION**

### University of Washington School of Medicine

2010-2015

Doctor of Medicine, Graduation with Honors

### University of Washington School of Law

Juris Doctorate 1995-1999

### **University of Oregon**

1990-1994

Bachelor of Science, Cum Laude, Psychology

#### **AWARDS & HONORS**

# Nominee for the Annual Harborview Medical Center Housestaff Award for Clinical Ability and Humanitarian Concern Award

 Awarded to a model resident that has demonstrated outstanding work and dedication to Harborview and its mission.

### The University of Washington Emergency Medicine Resident Peer Recognition Award 2016, 2017

• Awarded to model residents for advancing the Emergency Medicine residency through demonstration of exceptional clinical care, professionalism or outstanding service to one's peers. Received the award twice during residency.

# Society for Academic Emergency Medicine Excellence Award

2015

2019

• Recognition for outstanding proficiency in Emergency Medicine as selected by the faculty of the University of Washington School of Medicine.

### University of Washington School of Medicine Hearst Scholar Award

2012

• Recognition for outstanding and exemplary independent investigative inquiry (III) project, community outreach, and patient education brochure that represented the goals of the program.

## Who's Who of Outstanding Professionals Honor

2006-2007

### Rising Star Honor by Washington Law & Politics Magazine

2005

### **PAPERS & PUBLICATIONS**

# **Completed Publications**

**Chicoine Mooney, N., J.D., M.D.** Emergency Medicine Physicians' MedicoLegal Knowledge: 52 Weeks of MedicoLegal Pearls. 2020, 2019, 2018, 2017.

**Chicoine Mooney, N., J.D., M.D.,** Vrablik, M., D.O. *Bedside Ultrasound Led to the Rare Diagnosis of Fetal Intracranial Hemorrhage From Maternal Trauma*. WJEM 2018.

**Chicoine Mooney, N.** *Need for Medical Imaging.* SCCA Patient Education Brochure for SCCA Patient and Family Education Department. © 2013 Seattle Cancer Care Alliance.

**Chicoine Mooney, N.** *Health Risks of Medical Imaging: Your Risks of Exposure to Radiation.* SCCA Patient Education Brochure for SCCA Patient and Family Education Department. © 2013 Seattle Cancer Care Alliance.

### **Publications In Process**

**Chicoine Mooney, N., J.D., M.D.,** Richling, S., M.D., Gallahue, F., M.D. *MedicoLegal Education: An Innovative and Effective Approach to Enhancing Emergency Medicine Residents' MedicoLegal Knowledge.* 

Kim, B. M.D., Isaksson Vogel, R. M.D., **Chicoine Mooney, N. J.D.**, Mulcahy, H. M.D., Cohen, W. M.D., Hawkins, V., Linden, H. M.D., Schmechel, S. M.D., Ph.D. *Rapid On-Site Evaluation (ROSE) of Touch Preparations from CT-Guided Bone Biopsies: Retrospective Evaluation Reveals that Cases Accompanied by ROSE Have a Higher Diagnostic Yield.* 

### **PRESENTATIONS**

Washington Section of American College of Emergency Medicine Leadership Summit. Panelists of the MedicoLegal Panel. November 2020.

Seattle Children's Hospital, Emergency Medicine Educational Conference. *Legal Issues in Medicine*. March 2020.

University of Washington School of Law, Forensics Course. Law & Medicine. January 2020.

Washington Section of American College of Emergency Medicine Leadership Summit. Moderator for *MedicoLegal Panel: Addressing your medical malpractice concerns from issues of privileged information to tips to preventing a medical malpractice lawsuit.* University of Washington Department of Emergency Medicine. November 2019.

Communications Day: Ethics; Difficulty Conversations; Disclosing Errors; and Patient Satisfaction. University of Washington Department of Emergency Medicine. August 2019.

EMS Grand Rounds. *Medical Errors & Disclosure*. University of Washington Department of Emergency Medicine. January 2019. March 2020.

Grand Rounds. *Medical Errors & Disclosure*. University of Washington Department of Emergency Medicine Residency Program. October 2018.

Morbidity & Mortality Joint Presentation. University of Washington Department of Emergency Medicine Residency and Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology Residency Programs. March 2018.

Critical Care Conference: *Neurogenic Shock*. University of Washington Department of Emergency Medicine Residency Program. February 2018.

Morbidity & Mortality Presentation. University of Washington Department of Emergency Medicine Residency Program. September 2017.

Medical-Legal Day Presentations: *Medical-Legal Conference*. University of Washington Department of Emergency Medicine Residency Program and University of Washington School of Law. March 2017 and March 2019.

Core Content Presentation (Thoracorespiratory Module): *Managing the Cystic Fibrosis Patient in the Emergency Department*. University of Washington Department of Emergency Medicine Residency Program. September 2016.

CPC Presentation: Be Wary of the Anchor: The case of a unique presentation of aortic dissection. University of Washington Department of Emergency Medicine Residency Program. July 2016.

How To Be A Successful UW EM Medical Student. University of Washington School of Medicine. April 2016 and March 2017.

### RESEARCH

# Clinical Research, Seattle Cancer Care Alliance (SCCA)

September 2011 – January 2012

# Full time Research Assistant

- Performed clinical research with Dr. Hannah Linden, MD, breast oncologist, evaluating the impact of tissue confirmation via bone biopsy of metastatic disease in patients with breast cancer.
- Co-authored paper based on the study, which is in the process of being published.
- Authored two SCCA patient education brochures for breast cancer patients regarding risks and benefits of various types of medical imaging in the diagnosis and prognosis of breast cancer.

# University of Washington School of Medicine Independent Investigative Inquiry (III) Medical Student Researcher

- Researched effects of sun exposure on newborns and infants and the need for sun protection.
- Developed an educational brochure entitled *Sunburn Protection for Newborns & Infants,* for patients/parents of Odessa Brown Children's Clinic, which provides medical care to low-income pediatric patients.
- Presented prevention information at community events for new mothers.

### **EXTRACURRICULAR & VOLUNTEER ACTIVITIES**

### University of Washington Department of Emergency Medicine 52 Weeks of MedicoLegal Pearls

• **Position**: Leader.

2017-Present

2011

• **Responsibilities:** Provide weekly medicolegal education to Emergency Medicine residents, advanced practitioners, and attendings regarding various subjects, including, basic medicolegal principles; recent Emergency Medicine medical malpractice cases, verdicts or settlements; documentation tips; and medical-ethical principles.

# University of Washington Department of Emergency Medicine Radiographic Findings Committee

• **Position:** Leader.

2018-2019

• **Responsibilities:** Developed and coordinated the process in which Harborview Medical Center Emergency Medicine patients are provided written notice at time of discharge of any incidental radiographic finding that may require further evaluation and/or repeat imaging.

### University of Washington Emergency Medicine Interest Group (EMIG) Resident Liaison 2018-2019

- **Position:** EMIG Resident Liaison.
- **Responsibilities:** Facilitated and delivered high quality events and activities for University of Washington School of Medicine students; and mentored and taught those students interested in Emergency Medicine.

# **University of Washington School of Medicine Honor Council**

2011-2015

- **Position:** Honor Council Member, elected by peers.
- **Responsibilities:** Oversee medical student complaints related to UWSOM Honor Code, ethics, professionalism, and academic integrity.
- Facilitate communication between medical students, the administration, and faculty.
- Mediate concerns among medical students.

# Ronald McDonald House Seattle, WA

2011-2015

• **Position:** Volunteer.

• **Responsibilities:** Organize arts and craft nights for children and their families staying at the Ronald McDonald House while receiving long-term treatment at Seattle Children's Hospital.

# CHAP Dermatology Clinic Seattle, WA

2011-2015

- **Position:** Volunteer Medical Student Provider.
- **Responsibilities:** Provide medical care to homeless patients with dermatological concerns at a downtown Seattle emergency shelter.

## University Food Bank Seattle, WA

2011-2014

- **Position:** Volunteer.
- **Responsibilities:** Shelved donated food and toiletries and bagged selected items for recipients.

### University of Washington School of Medicine Emergency Medicine Interest Group

2010-2015

• **Position:** Member.

# University of Washington School of Medicine Pediatric Interest Group

2010-2015

• **Position:** Member.

# Seattle's Children's Hospital

2008-2010

- **Position:** Volunteer.
- **Responsibilities:** Performed baby-cuddling care for newborns and infants, transport and clerical duties, and organized arts and crafts for patients in the playroom and the teen room.

# **Washington State Bar Association Tax Section**

2007-2009

- **Position:** Executive Officer.
- **Responsibilities:** Provided current information to members on federal and state tax issues that affect Washington lawyers. Discussed mutual areas of concern with other practitioners. Assisted in proposing and commenting on legislation and administrative rules affecting federal and state tax practice.

### **PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS**

### **American Medical Association Member**

2014-Present

Attending, Resident & Medical Student Member.

## **American College of Emergency Physicians**

2014-Present

• Attending, Resident, & Medical Student Member.

# **Emergency Medicine Residents' Association**

2014-2019

• Resident Member & Medical Student Member.

### **Washington State Bar Association Member**

1999-Present

• Attorney Member.

# **PERSONAL INTERESTS**

• Running, yoga, and traveling.