

CURRICULUM VITAE OF ASHOK J. KAR, M.D.



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CLINICAL APPOINTMENT:

Consultant Urologist, miVIP Surgery Center,
Tustin 2015 - Present

Clinical Professor of Urology
University of California, Irvine 2005

Clinical Assistant Professor of Urology,
University of California, Irvine 1987-2005

Consultant Urologist, Fairview State Hospital,
Costa Mesa 1987-1989

SELECTED TO "**AMERICA'S TOP PHYSICIANS**" FOR 2003, 2005 and 2006 BY THE CONSUMER RESEARCH COUNCIL OF AMERICA, WASHINGTON D.C.

SELECTED AS "**PHYSICIAN OF EXCELLENCE**", ORANGE COUNTY MEDICAL ASSOCIATION for 2005, 2007, 2009 and 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2015, 2016

HOSPITAL AFFILIATIONS:

Attending Urologist
St. Joseph Hospital, Orange
Western Medical Center, Santa Ana
Univ. of California Irvine Medical Center, Irvine

DEGREES:**BOARD CERTIFIED**

American Board of Urology 2/87
Recertified - American Board of Urology 2/95
Recertified American Board of Urology 11/04
Bachelor of Medicine & Surgery (MBBS)
University of Bombay, India 4/78

INTERNSHIP:

Medical College of Ohio 1/80 - 12/80

RESIDENCY:**SURGERY**

Medical College of Ohio 1/81 - 6/82

UROLOGY

Medical College of Ohio 7/82 - 6/85

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS:

Fellow, International College of Surgeons
Member, Orange County Medical Association
Member, Western Section, American Urological Association
Member, American Urological Association.
Member, Indian Association of Physicians of Southern California
Member, Orange County Urological Society
Past President, Orange County Urological Society
Secretary Treasurer, Indian American Urology Association of North America, 2007 to 2009
Vice-President, Indian American Urology Association of North America, 2009-2011
President of Indian American Urology Association of North America, 2012 to 2014

HOSPITAL COMMITTEES: (Current)

Member, Board of Trustees, St. Joseph Hospital, Orange, CA 2006 to 2010

Chief of Staff and President of Medical Staff, St. Joseph Hospital, Orange, CA Jan 2008 to 2010

Director, Robotic & Minimally Invasive Surgery, St. Joseph Hospital, Orange, CA 2006 to 2014

Vice-President of Medical Staff, St. Joseph Hospital, Orange, CA 2006 to 2008

Chairman Credentials Committee, St. Joseph Hospital, Orange, CA - 2006 to 2008

Secretary Treasurer of the Medical Staff, St. Joseph Hospital, Orange, CA 2004-2006

Chairman, Quality Assurance Committee St. Joseph Hospital, Orange CA 2004-2006

Member, Quality Council St. Joseph Hospital, Orange, CA 2004- to date

Member, Bylaws Committee, St. Joseph Hospital, Orange, CA 2005 to date

Vice Chairman: Department of Surgery, St. Joseph Hospital, Orange CA 2002-2004

Member, Medical Executive Committee, St. Joseph Hospital, Orange, CA 2002 to date

Member Cancer Committee, St. Joseph Hospital, Orange, CA 2002 to date

Chief, Robotic Surgery-Ad-Hoc Committee, St. Joseph Hospital, Orange, CA 2003 to date

Member Operating Room Committee, St. Joseph Hospital, Orange, CA 2002 to date

Member Quality Assurance Committee, St. Joseph Hospital, Orange, CA 2002 to date

St. Joseph Hospital was a Top 50 Leapfrog Hospital in the US for 2006 and was recently awarded “Magnet Status” for Nursing by the American Council of Nursing. St. Joseph Hospital is the largest Community Hospital in S. California and has over 1000 Physicians on Staff.

Past Hospital Committees:

Chairman	Department of Urology, Western Medical Center 1994-1995
Member	Medical Executive Committee, Western Medical Center 1994-1995
Vice-Chairman	Department of Urology, Western Medical Center 1991-1992
Member	Credentials Committee, Western Medical Center 1990-1992
Member	Quality Assurance Committee, Western Medical Center 1991-1992
Secretary	Department of Urology, Western Medical Center 1990-1991
Member	OR Committee, Western Medical Center
Member	Tissue & Transfusion Committee, Western Medical Center 1990-1992
Member	Quality Assurance Committee, St Joseph Hospital 1991-1992
Secretary	Orange County Urological Society 1993-1994
President	Orange County Urological Society 1995-1996

PUBLICATIONS & PRESENTATIONS:

INTERNATIONAL

Presented Potency Sparing Radical Prostatectomy –
Technique and Results at Urology Meetings locally and Overseas.
Above paper presented at The World Congress of International College of Surgeons Meeting
in **San Paulo Brazil** September 1990

Presented Anatomic Radical Retropubic Prostatectomy to
Bombay Urologic Society, **Bombay, India** June 1988

Presented ESWL - Technique and Results to
Bombay Urologic Society, **Bombay, India** June 1988

One day Vs 2 day Catheterization after TUR-P Retrospective Analysis
of 150 TUR-P's done. Presented at Western Section of
The American Urologic Association Meeting, **Vancouver BC** September 1991

Reconstruction of Ureter using Vermiform Appendix. Presented at
Western Section of The American Urologic Association Meeting
Vancouver, BC September 1991

Ultrasonography In The Care Of Infertile Male Joint paper with Ricardo H. Asch. M.D.
Presented at the International Infertility Meeting, **Bombay, India** January 1995

MESA & ICSI In The Care Of Infertile Male - Roundtable Discussion at the
International Infertility Meeting, **Bombay, India** January 1995

Ultrasonography & MESA In The Management of Infertility - Presented to the Bombay
Urologic Society, **Bombay, India** January 1995

Radical Prostatectomy: Technique and Results: Presented World Congress of Urology
New Delhi, India November 2001

Ultrasound in the care of the Infertile Male: World Congress of Urology
New Delhi, India November 2001

Presented Robotic Surgery: Bombay Urological Society, Bombay Hospital
Bombay, India August 2003

Presented "Robotic Prostatectomy—A new Technology"—University of Melbourne
Melbourne, Australia January 2004

Presented "ROBOTIC Prostatectomy" in a Community Hospital
15th World Video-Urology Congress, **Busan, South Korea**, June 2004

ROBOTIC Prostatectomy-Teaching Grand Rounds, University of Bangkok
Bangkok, Thailand, August 2004

Invited Speaker-WORLD Congress of ENDOUROLOGY
Mumbai, India 2004

Moderator: Robotic and Laproscopic Surgery, WORLD Congress of ENDOUROLOGY
Mumbai, India 2004

Presented “Robotic Prostatectomy–A new Technology” St. Francis Hospital,
Berlin, Germany March 2008

Invited Faculty, USICON 2014, Annual All India Urology Meeting February 2014

PUBLICATIONS & PRESENTATIONS:

NATIONAL

Presented Anatomic Radical Prostatectomy to Toledo Surgical Society
Toledo, Ohio March 1988

ABCD’s of Prostate Cancer Grand Rounds Presentation, Western Medical Center
Santa Ana June 1991

Updates in Infertility & Vasectomy Reversal - Public Forum, Western Medical Center
Santa Ana, January 1995

Infertility Management - Recent Updates - Presented at the Grand Rounds
Western Medical Center, Anaheim, March 1995

Participant: 1st World Congress on Radical Prostatectomies, Cleveland Clinic, March 2002

Participant: 1st World Symposium on Robotic Radical Prostatectomy, Detroit November 2002

Presented “Use of Surgical Robots” to Presidential Partners and Board of Trustees
St. Joseph Hospital at Pacific Club, Newport Beach, May 1, 2003

Participant: 2nd World Symposium on Robotic Radical Prostatectomy
Detroit November 2003

Participant 3rd World Symposium on Robotic Radical Prostatectomy
Detroit November 2006

Certified: Interstitial Brachytherapy for Prostate Cancer 1997

Certified: Laproscopic Radical Prostatectomies, Computer Motion, Goleta, CA
September 2001

Certified: Laproscopic Urological Surgery, Dallas & Chicago 2001

ROBOTIC Prostatectomy-Teaching Grand Rounds- St. Joseph Hospital, Orange, CA
July 2004 and November 2005

Comparison of Open to Robotic Prostatectomy, Video Session, Western American Urology
Association Meeting, MAUI, Hawaii, October 2006

Robotic Prostatectomy in a Community Hospital, Podium Session, Western American Urology
Association Meeting, MAUI, Hawaii, October 2006

Simple Trick can Save a Practice a lot, Round Table Presentation, Western American Urology
Association Meeting, MAUI, Hawaii, October 2006

Career Highlights:

Performed 1st Laproscopic Nephrectomy at St. Joseph Hospital
March 2001

Performed 1st Laproscopic Adrenalectomy at St. Joseph Hospital
February 2002

Performed 1st Robot-Assisted Radical Prostatectomy performed at St. Joseph Hospital
April 8, 2003 using Aesop

Performed 1st Robot-Assisted Radical Prostatectomy performed at St. Joseph Hospital
July 10, 2003 using DaVinci

Presented Robotic Surgery: Bombay Urological Society, Bombay Hospital, Bombay, India
August 2003

Featured on Public Television: Robotic Surgery in 2003 Public TV Broadcast
December 2003

Performed 1st Robot-Assisted Nephrectomy at St. Joseph Hospital
June 2004

**Performed 1st HIFU Cases in Southern California at miVIP Surgery Center
December 12, 2015**

Community Service:

Provide free Urological Care to Indigent Patients via the La Amistad Clinic of St. Joseph Hospital, 1995 to date

Participated in Prostate Screenings via Western Medical Center, Santa Ana, CA and St. Joseph Hospital, Orange, CA yearly for the past 20 years

Community Screenings for general Public, Norwalk Free Health Screening
November 2006

Community Screenings for general Public, Corona-Norco Free Community Health Screening
March 2007

Visited Fort Portal, Uganda on Medical Mission to teach the doctors about common Urological conditions April 2012

SPECIAL INTERESTS:

Prior involvement in teaching of Urology Residents and Medical Students at Long Beach VA Medical Center and University of California, Irvine

Surgical interest in Radical Retropubic Prostatectomy using Nerve Saving and Potency Sparing Techniques

Also Performing Radical Cystectomies for Bladder Cancer with Continent Urinary Diversions.

TEXT BOOK CONTRIBUTIONS:

1. "Ultrasonography In The Care of Infertile Male," Kar, Ashok J., & Asch, Ricardo H., Textbook of Infertility & Transvaginal Sonography, 1995
2. "MESA & ICSI In The Care of Infertile Male," Asch, Ricardo H., & Kar, Ashok J., Textbook of Infertility & Transvaginal Sonography, 1995

Disclosures:

Previous Proctor for Intuitive Surgical

National Speakers Bureau Myriad Genetics Laboratory (Prolaris)

National Speakers Bureau and Proctor Neotract (Urolift)