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EDUCATION

MarinaRox Aesthetic Surgery Fellowship – Los Angeles, CA 2020-2021
Endorsed by The Aesthetic Society
Areas of focus include: complex breast, body, facelift, and revision rhinoplasty

UT Southwestern Medical Center – Dallas, TX 2014 – 2020
Integrated Plastic Surgery Residency
Board Certified by the American Board of Plastic Surgery
American Board of Plastic Surgery Written Boards: 94th percentile
Highest Plastic Surgery ISE Score: 94th percentile

Weill Cornell Medical College - New York, NY 2010 – 2014
Alpha Omega Alpha
USMLE Step 1 Score: 255/94
USMLE Step 2 Score: 263/92

Fordham University– Bronx, NY 2006- 2010
Major: Biological Sciences; Minor: Spanish Language and Literature
Summa Cum Laude, Phi Beta Kappa

LEADERSHIP

Chief Medical Officer, Marina Plastic Surgery- Current

MarinaRox Aesthetic Fellowship Faculty - Current

Keck School of Medicine USC Division of Plastic & Reconstructive Surgery Faculty - Current

Kalon Aesthetics Institute Clinical Advisory Board Member - Current

Aesthetic Society Application Reviewer (Southern California) - Current

ASPS Aesthetic Sub-Committee Vice Chair 2024

Quantiface Study Investigator (Revance Therapeutics) 2024

NC8 Cellulite Device Study Sub-Investigator 2020

The Aesthetic Society, Strategic Planning Committee 2019

ASPS Education Network, Curriculum Committee 2019

PUBLICATIONS AND MANUSCRIPTS

Stevens WG, Perez J, Pham L, Lozano J. Expression of HSP70 in Human Skin After Cryolipolysis Treatment. *Aesthetic Surgery Journal* 43(11): 910-915 (2023)

Perez J, Amirlak BA. ASPS Education Network Facelift and Necklift Module (2020, 2021)

Mohanty, A, **Perez J,** Hembd A, Rozen S. Orbicularis Oculi Muscle Reinnervation Confers Corneal Protective Advantages over Static Interventions Alone in the Subacute Facial Palsy Patient. *Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery* 145(3): 791-801 (2020)

Perez JL, Mohan R, Rohrich RJ. Recognizing Racial Heterogeneity in the Latino Nose – Aesthetic Concepts for an Individualized Approach. *Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery* 144 (4): 857-867 (2019)

Lorenzo AR, Tolley P, Thrikutam N, **Perez J,** Rozen SR. Relational Anatomy of the Mimetic Muscles and its Implications on Free Functional Muscle Inset in Facial Reanimation. *Annals of Plastic Surgery* 81(2):203-207 (2018)

Perez JL, Rohrich RJ. Optimizing Your Post-Surgical Scars: A Systematic Review on Best Practices in Preventative Scar Management. *Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery* 140 (6):782e-793e (2017)

Hembd A, Nagarkar P, **Perez JL,** Gassman A, Tolley P, Reisch J, White CL, Rozen S. Correlation between Facial Nerve Axonal Load and Age and its Relevance to Facial Reanimation. *Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery* 139(6):1459-1464 (2017)

Sawh-Martinez, **Perez JL,** Mohan R. “Learning from the Masters.” Web blog post. *PRS Resident Chronicles.* Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery, Mar 2016. Web.

Perez JL. “Help a Sub-I, Pay it Forward.” Web blog post. *PRS Resident Chronicles.* Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery, Oct 2015. Web.

Perez JL. “Living the Gen Surg Life.” Web blog post. *PRS Resident Chronicles.* Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery, Feb 2015. Web.

Perez JL. “Some Graduation Gratitude” Web blog post. *PRS Resident Chronicles.* Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery, June 2014. Web.

Perez JL. “Surviving ‘The Trail’ – Tips from A Med Student Vagabond” Web blog post. *PRS Resident Chronicles.* Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery, Jan 2014. Web.

Perez JL. “The PRS App: How I’ve Used It” Web blog post. *PRS Resident Chronicles.* Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery, Sept 2014. Web.

Perez JL, Cohen L, Imahiyerobo TA, Ginter PS, Otterburn DM. Let's Keep our Differential Broad: Multiple Upper Extremity Glomulovenous Malformations. *Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery* 34 (6): 991e-2e (2014)

Reiffel AJ, Kafka C, Hernandez KA, Popa S, **Perez JL,** Spector JA, et al. High-Fidelity Tissue Engineering of Patient-Specific Auricles for Reconstruction of Pediatric Microtia and Other Auricular Deformities. *PLoS ONE* 8(2): e56506 (2013)

Reiffel AJ, **Perez JL,** Hernandez KA, Fullerton N, Spector JA. Optimization of Vasculogenesis Within Naturally-Derived, Biodegradable Hybrid Hydrogel Scaffolds. *Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery* 130.5S-1 (2012)

Reiffel AJ, **Perez JL,** Jimenez N, Szeto HH, Spector JA. Pharmacologic Pre-conditioning with Novel Cytoprotective Molecules Hydrogen Sulfide and SS31 Modulates Pro- and Anti-Apoptotic Pathways. *Journal of the American College of Surgeons* 213(1): S47 (2011)

BOOK CHAPTERS

Perez JL, Kenkel JM. *Lasers and Light-Based Devices in Plastic Surgery*. Selected Readings in Plastic Surgery. Vol 12

Perez JL, Rohrich RJ. *Anatomic Considerations of The Latino Nose*. Global Masters in Rhinoplasty

Perez JL, Stevens WG. *Augmentation Mastopexy*. Plastic Surgery 5th Edition (Neligan)

ABSTRACTS & PRESENTATIONS

Perez J. “Lasers, Light & Energy Based Therapies”

Panelist: 2024 Aesthetic Innovations Summit (Vancouver, BC)

Perez J. “What’s New in Exosomes”

Panelist: 2023 Aesthetic Innovations Summit (Miami, FL)

Perez J. “Fat Reduction Technology: Where Are We Now?”

Grand Rounds: 2020 UTSW Medical Center

Lorenzo AR, Tolley P, Thrikutam N, **Perez J**, Rozen SR. Relational Anatomy of the Mimetic Muscles and its Implications on Free Functional Muscle Inset in Facial Reanimation

Oral presentations: 2020 EURAPS (Athens, Greece)

Mohanty, A, **Perez J**, Hembd A, Rozen S. “Orbicularis Oculi Muscle Reinnervation Confers Corneal Protective Advantages over Static Interventions Alone in the Subacute Facial Palsy Patient”

Oral presentations: 2019 Texas Society of Plastic Surgery Meeting (Galveston, TX)

2019 World Society of Reconstructive Microsurgery (Bologna, Italy)

Chung M, Lu K, Li X, **Perez J**, Basci D, Amirlak B. “Perception of Facial Aging with Temporal Hollowing and a Guide for Implementing Treatments”

Oral presentation: 2018 Texas Society of Plastic Surgery Meeting (San Antonio, TX)

Poster: 2018 American Society of Aesthetic Plastic Surgery (New York, NY)

Lu K, Chung M, Li X, **Perez J**, Basci D, Boyle J, Amirlak B. “Role of Layered Contouring Make-Up in an Aesthetic Surgery Clinic and Its Effects on Nasal Width”

Oral presentation: 2018 Texas society of Plastic Surgery Meeting (San Antonio, TX)

Poster: 2018 American Society of Aesthetic Plastic Surgery (New York, NY)

Perez J, Hembd A, Rozen S. “Orbicularis Oculi Muscle Re-innervation in Facial Palsy Patients after Facial Nerve Transfer Confers Complete Voluntary Eye Closure”

Oral presentation: 2018 American Society of Reconstructive Microsurgery (Phoenix, AZ)

Hembd A, Zhang S, **Perez J**, Rozen S. “Early Masseter to Facial Nerve Transfer Improves Ultimate Outcomes in Dynamic More than Static Facial Reanimation in Acute and Subacute Facial Palsy Patients”

Oral presentation: 2018 American Society of Reconstructive Microsurgery (Phoenix, AZ)

Hembd A, **Perez, J**, Rozen S. “Correlation between Facial Nerve Axonal Load and Age and Its Relevance to Facial Reanimation”

Poster: 2017 American Association of Plastic Surgery (Austin, TX)

Perez J, Haddock N. “Conversion to Pre-pectoral Pocket for Pectoralis Animation Deformity: Our Experience and a Systematic Review”

Oral presentation: 2017 Texas Society of Plastic Surgeons Meeting (Fort-Worth, TX)

Perez J. “Case presentation: A Case of Extended Post-Blepharoplasty Chemosis”

Grand Rounds: UTSW Medical Center

Perez J. “Liposuction: A Comprehensive Review”

Grand Rounds: Dallas VA Medical Center

Reiffel AJ, Hernandez K, **Perez JL**, Spector JA. “Repopulation of Acellular Dermal Matrix and Synthetic Dermal Regeneration Templates with Pluripotent Embryonic Stem Cells: Endless Possibilities”

Abstract: 2013 American Society of Reconstructive Microsurgery (Naples, FL)

Reiffel AJ, **Perez JL**, Spector JA, et al. “Vascular Smooth Muscle Cell Optimization of Vasculogenesis within Naturally Derived, Biodegradable Hybrid Hydrogel Scaffolds”

Oral presentations:

2012 Plastic Surgery Research Council Meeting (Ann Arbor, MI)

2011 Northeastern Society of Plastic Surgeons Meeting (Amelia Island, FL)

2011 American Society for Reconstructive Microsurgery Meeting (Las Vegas, NV)

Reiffel AJ, Jimenez N, **Perez JL**, Spector JA. “Pharmacologic Pre-Conditioning with Hydrogen Sulfide Confers Protection Against Ischemia Reperfusion Injury via Modulation of Apoptotic Pathways”

Poster: 2011 Northeastern Society of Plastic Surgeons Meeting (Amelia Island, FL)

Perez JL, Hamaguchi M • “Is There Evidence that DBC2 is Functionally Relevant to MVB Transport?”

Poster: 2009 Fordham University’s Annual Undergraduate Research Symposium (Bronx, NY)

Perez JL, Moreira CK, Templeton TJ. “Expression of Recombinant PbTLP for Localization Studies and Testing its Candidacy for a Malaria Vaccine”

Poster: 2009 CSTEP New York Annual Conference (Lake George, NY), *First Place Presenter*

Oral presentations:

2008 Rockefeller University (New York, NY)

2008 Leadership Alliance National Symposium (Hartford, CT)

INVITED EDITORIALS

ASPS Education Network, Aesthetic Faculty Reviewer 2020 Invited ASJ Reviewer 2018-2021 Invited PRS Reviewer 2017-2021

HONORS AND AWARDS

Sherrell J. Aston Award - Best Presentation by a Resident, Fellow, or Candidate (2021)

Cronin Award Texas Society of Plastic Surgeons - Best senior resident presentation (2019)

Apex Publication Award Recipient for “Social Media - Best Blog Content” for “PRS Resident Chronicles” (2015)

Apex Publication Award Recipient for “Best Blog Content” for “PRS Resident Chronicles” (2014)

Alpha Omega Alpha (Inducted 2014)

Constable & Cramer Scholar, WCMC (2010-2013)

Frances N. and John A. Cashman Scholar, WCMC (2010-2013)

Armour-Lewis Family Foundation Scholar, WCMC (2010-2013)

John Lafarge Fellows Scholarship for Outstanding Leadership, Fordham (2010)

Thomas E. Reese Scholarship for Excellence in Biology, Fordham (2010)

William Steinbugler Prize, Fordham (2010) • Awarded to graduating senior with best record of achievement in Biology

Phi Beta Kappa (Inducted 2009)

Leadership Alliance (Inducted 2008)

PRIOR WORK EXPERIENCE

Advantage Wound Care • Los Angeles, CA 2020-2021 Home wound care

Freelance Private Tutor • New York, NY 2010 – 2014 Tutor in organic chemistry, biology, physics, MCAT

Traveler’s Summer Research Fellowship Teaching Assistant • WCMC • New York, NY 2011 Tutor, mentor, teacher for course in cardiovascular pathophysiology to college juniors

Pre-Health Advisor, Dean’s Office, Fordham University • Bronx, NY 2008-2010 Counseled pre-medical students in career planning, scheduling, personal-statement writing

SPECIAL ABILITIES & TALENTS

Languages Spoken: Spanish

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

The Aesthetic Society, Active Member

Alpha Omega Alpha – Inducted 2014