



- *Assistant Professor*
- *Division of Gastroenterology*
- *Department of Medicine*

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#### Conditions Treated:

- *Colon Polyps and Cancer*
- *Eosinophilic Esophagitis*
- *Gastroesophageal Reflux Disease (GERD)*
- *Irritable Bowel Syndrome (IBS)*
- *Inflammatory Bowel Disease (IBD)*
- *Diarrhea*
- *Esophageal Dysmotility*
- *Abdominal Pain*
- *Constipation*

#### Research Areas:

- *Colon Cancer*
- *Pancreatic Cancer*
- *GI Dysmotility*
- *Quality Indicators*

#### Programs & Services:

- *Department of Medicine*
- *Colon Cancer Screening Program*
- *Division of Gastroenterology*

Motility of the GI tract, Integrative Medicine and Women's Health.

#### Board Certification

2019: Internal Medicine

2009: Gastroenterology Board Certification (Brazilian Federation of Gastroenterology)

2008: Digestive Endoscopy Certification (Brazilian Society of Digestive Endoscopy)

#### Education

1996 - 2001 State University of Campinas, Brazil (UNICAMP), MD

2008 - 2011 Clinics Hospital, Brazil, Master of Science Degree

#### Residency

2002 - 2004 State University of Campinas, Brazil (UNICAMP)

2016 - 2018 Mount Sinai Medical Center, Miami, FL, Internal Medicine

#### Fellowship

2005 - 2006 Federal University of Sao Paulo, Brazil, Endoscopy Training

2018 - 2021 Carilion Clinic/Virginia Tech Univ; Roanoke, VA, GI

2003 - 2005 State University of Campinas, Brazil (UNICAMP), Fellowship

#### Teaching or Professional Positions

Attending GI Physician in Brazil

Clinical Instructor at University of Denver

## **Affiliations with the University of Colorado Denver**

2014: Affiliation with UC Denver

## **Professional Memberships**

ACG, AMA, ASGE, ANMS, AASLD

## **Awards & Recognition**

2020: Presidential Poster Award ACG, CDX2 Immunohistochemical Staining Confirms Barrett's Esophagus in the Absence of Goblet Cells and Confers Significant Risk for High-Grade Dysplasia and Esophageal Adenocarcinoma

2013: Bronze Quality Fellow Certification

## **Publications**

Stability of increased adenoma detection at colonoscopy. Follow up of an endoscopic quality improvement program - EQUIP II.. The American Journal of Gastroenterology. 2015, Apr; 110(4): 489-496. Cited in PubMed; PMID: 25267326.

Use of endoscopic distal attachment cap to enhance image stabilization in probe-based confocal laser endomicroscopy in colorectal lesions.. Endoscopy International Open. 2015, Oct; 3(5): E516-522. Cited in PubMed; PMID: 26528511

Diagnosis Through Endoscopic Images - Disease of the Gastrointestinal Tract/Nutrition and Nutritional Disorders (pages 573-594). Sao Paulo, SP; Brazil

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