

Curriculum Vitae

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EDUCATION

Intern and Residency

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| 07/2003 - 06/2006 | University of North Carolina
UNC Hospitals
Chapel Hill, NC
Psychiatry |
| 07/1991 - 06/1994 | University of Maryland Hospitals
Baltimore, MD
General Surgery |
| 07/1987 - 06/1989 | Brown University
Program in Medicine
Providence, RI
General Surgery |
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| 07/1995 - 06/1996 | R. Adams Cowley Shock Trauma Center
Baltimore, MD
Senior Trauma Fellow |
| 07/1994 - 06/1995 | University of Maryland
Baltimore, MD
Surgical Critical Care |
| 07/1989 - 06/1991 | University of Maryland at Baltimore
Research Fellow
General Surgery |

Fellowship

Doctor of Medicine

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| 08/1983 - 06/1987 | Brown-Dartmouth Medical Program
Brown University
Providence, RI |
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Undergraduate

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| 09/1979 - 06/1983 | BA, English, Magna Cum Laude
College of the Holy Cross
Worcester, MA |
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LICENSURE AND CERTIFICATIONS

2017	Board Recertification in Psychosomatic Medicine
2017	Board Recertification in Psychiatry
2009	Board Certified in Psychosomatic Medicine
2007	Board Certified in Psychiatry
1996; 2005 - 2016	Board Certified in General Surgery
1996	North Carolina State License

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

07/2018 - Present	Vice Chair for Clinical Affairs Department of Psychiatry University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill Chapel Hill, NC 27599
03/2016 - Present	Associate Chair for Education and Training Clinical Associate Professor Department of Psychiatry University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill Chapel Hill, NC 27599
05/2013 - 03/2016	Associate Chair for Education and Training Clinical Assistant Professor Department of Psychiatry University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill Chapel Hill, NC 27599
05/2013 - Present	Adjunct Assistant Professor Department of Social Medicine University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill Chapel Hill, NC 27599
08/2010 - Present	Visiting Scholar Department of Philosophy University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill Academic year
07/2006 - 07/2010	Director Consult-Liaison Service Department of Psychiatry University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

05/2006	United States Naval Reserve, Medical Corps Honorable Discharge as Commander
07/1996 - 02/2003	Private Practice General Surgeon Arcadia Surgical Associates Lincolnton, NC

PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES

2008	Academy of Educators Associate Fellow School of Medicine University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
2003	American Psychiatric Association
2001	Fellow, American College of Surgeons
1994	Alpha Omega Alpha

HONORS AND AWARDS

2016; 2017	Named Best Doctors in America®
2015	Outstanding Faculty Award PGY 3 Class, Psychiatry Residency Education Program University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, NC
2014, 2017	Outstanding Faculty Award PGY 1 Class, Psychiatry Residency Education Program University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, NC
2010, 2014 2007, 2008	Hayworth Award Excellence in Psychiatry Resident Education Department of Psychiatry University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, NC
2012	Alan Stoudemire Award for Innovation & Excellence in Psychosomatic Medicine Education <i>Psychiatry and Philosophy Research Group</i> Academy of Psychosomatic Medicine
2012	Basic Science Teaching Award Academy of Educators University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, NC

2011	1 st Year Resident Teaching Award Department of Psychiatry University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, NC
2008, 2009, 2007	3 rd Year Resident Teaching award Department of Psychiatry University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, NC
2005, 2006 2004	Whitehead Award for Medical Student Teaching University of North Carolina- CH, School of Medicine
2004-2005	Awarded a mentor for readings in psychoanalytic theory American Psychoanalytic Association
2004	Resident Teaching Award Department of Psychiatry University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, NC
1994	Resident Teaching Award Alpha Omega Alpha University of Maryland
1983	Fenwick Scholar Holy Cross College

EXTRA-MEDICAL INTERESTS AND EXPLORATIONS

2001- 2002	Sabbatical year: Studies in literature and poetry University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
Spring, 2001 Fall, 2000-	Poetry Workshop University of North Carolina at Charlotte
Summer, 2001 Summer, 2000	Poetry Workshop University of Iowa Summer Festival
1997- 2000	Chairman, Ethics Committee Lincoln Medical Center Lincolnton, NC
1993 -1995	Member, Bioethics Committee University of Maryland Medical Center
1993 -1995	Graduate Courses Department of Philosophy Johns Hopkins University

- 1994 Attendee, Conference on Deconstruction
 In honor of Jacques Derrida
 Memphis, TN
- Advanced Course in Bioethics
 Kennedy Institute of Bioethics
 Georgetown University
- 1983 -1985 Research in linguistic analysis of medical conditions
 Department of Psychiatry
 Dartmouth Medical School

BIBLIOGRAPHY

Books

1. Moseley, DD and **Gala, GJ**. *Philosophy and Psychiatry: Problems, Intersections, And New Perspectives* New York: Routledge, September 2015.

Peer Reviewed Publications

1. **Gala, GJ**, Laughon, SL. Conceptualization of a Mental Disorder-A Clinical Perspective. *Philosophy, Psychiatry, and Psychology*, ISSN 1071-6076, March 2017, Vol 24, (1):41-43.
2. Olbert, C. M., Rasmussen, A., **Gala, GJ**, & Tupler, L. A. Treatment outcome variations between depression symptom combinations in the STAR*D study. *Journal of Affective Disorders*. 2016; Sep, 201, 1-7. doi: 10.1016/j.jad.2016.04.050. PMID: 27155023. PMC (in process).
3. Laughon, SL, Sowa, NA, **Gala, GJ**. Complexities of Diagnosing Neuroleptic Malignant Syndrome in a Patient with Burn Injury: Could Stimulant Abuse be a Risk Factor? *Psychosomatics*. 2016, Sep-Oct, 57(5):534-9. doi: 10.1016/j.psym.2016.05.002. PMID: 27374755.
4. Atkinson TJ, Fudin J, Pham TC, Hillman A, Witenko C, Sultan, S, **Gala, G**. Combined fentanyl and methadone induced serotonin syndrome is called into question. *Pharmacotherapy*. 2015 Jun; 35(6):e111-4. doi: 10.1002/phar.1601. PMID: 26095009.
5. Olbert, Charles M., and **Gala, GJ**, "Supervenience and psychiatry: Are mental disorders brain disorders?" *Journal of Theoretical and Philosophical Psychology*. 2015: 35.4; 203. dx.doi.org/10.1037/teo0000023.

6. Pauley, E, Lishmanov, A, Schumann, S, **Gala, GJ**, van Diepen, S, Katz, JN. Delirium is a robust predictor of morbidity and mortality among critically ill patients treated in the cardiac intensive care unit. *American Heart Journal*. 2015; Jul; 170(1):79-86.e1.doi: 10.1016/j.ahj.2015.04.013. PMID: 26093867.
7. Hillman, AD, Witenko, CJ, Sultan, SM, **Gala, GJ**. Serotonin syndrome caused by fentanyl and methadone in a burn injury. *Pharmacotherapy*. 2015; Jan; 35(1):112-7.doi: 10.1002/phar.1528. Epub 2015 Jan 23. PMID: 25615513.
8. Olbert, CM, **Gala, GJ**, Tupler, LA. Quantifying heterogeneity attributable to polythetic diagnostic criteria: theoretical framework and empirical application. *Journal of Abnormal Psychology*. 2014; 123(2):452-62. doi: 10.1037/a0036068. PMID: 24886017.
9. Moseley, DD and **Gala, GJ**. The Consumer Protection Model of Decisional Capacity Evaluation. *Southwest Philosophy Review*. 2013; 29 (1):241-248.
10. Moseley, DD and **Gala, GJ**. On the Nature of Psychopathy 2012; October 4, The Neurobiology of Social Disruption: International Perspectives of Psychiatry, Pathology and Society, Fabrice Jotterand and James Giodorno, eds., Potomac Institute Press, 2013. Available at SSRN: <http://ssrn.com/abstract=2156878>
11. Pillion, T, **Gala, GJ**. Neuroscience and Philosophy: Brain, Mind and Language. Bennet et al. Book Review. *Psychological Medicine*. 2011; 41: 887-888.
12. Muzyk, A, **Gala, GJ**, Kahn, DA. Use of lamotrigine in a patient with a clozapine-related seizure. *Journal of Psychiatric Practice*. 2010; Mar, 16(2): 125-127. doi:10.1097/01.pra.0000369974.18274.e2. PMID: 20511737.
13. **Gala, GJ**, Hutto, B. *Freedom And Neurobiology: Reflections on Free Will, Language and Political Power*. Book Review. *American Journal of Psychiatry*. 2007; 164: 1762-3.
14. "Jason Worth" and "A Surgeon Confronts the Real Numbers" in *IRIS (A Journal of Medical Humanities)*, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, 2002.
15. Lilly, MP, **Gala, GJ**, Sutherland, BE, Gann, DS. Responses of immunoreactive ACTH and bioreactive ACTH to large hemorrhage and resuscitation in conscious dogs. *American Journal of Physiology*. 1995; 269: E53-60. PMID: 7631778.
16. Lilly, MP, **Gala, GJ**, Carlson, DE, Sutherland, B, Gann, DS. Saline resuscitation after fixed volume hemorrhage: role of resuscitation volume and rate of infusion. *Annals of Surgery*. 1992; 216: 161-171. PMID: 1503518. PMC: 1242588.
17. Wehberg, KE, **Gala, GJ**, Brunner, MJ. Comparison of the carotid baroreflex control of plasma vasopressin concentration in the conscious and anesthetized dogs. *American Journal of Physiology: Regulatory*. 1991; 261:R950-956. PMID: 1928441.

18. Brunner, MJ, **Gala, GJ**, Wehberg, KE. Carotid baroreflex control of hormonal release in conscious and anesthetized dogs. *Annals of biomedical engineering*. 1991; 19:565.
19. **Gala, GJ**, Lilly, MP, Thomas, SE, Gann, DS. Interaction of sodium and volume in fluid resuscitation after hemorrhage. *Journal of Trauma*. 1991; 31: 545-556; discussion 555-556. PMID 1850488.
20. Oxman, T, Rosenberg, S, Schnurr, P, Tucker, G, **Gala, GJ**. The language of altered states. *Journal of Nervous and Mental Diseases*. 1988; 176: 401-408.

TEACHING (selected efforts)

2017	Developed and co-ordinates a Clinical Educator track for resident education
2017	Co-ordinated Substance Abuse Symposium for Psychiatry Faculty and UNC trainees
2017 – Present	Psychiatry Grand Rounds Course Director
2017 – Present	Co-ordinates Psychiatry Department’s monthly Morbidity and Mortality case conferences
2015 – Present	Medical student Education in Capstone Bootcamp Brain and Behavior course
2015 – Present	Co-ordinates Consult service weekly case conferences
2014 - 2016	Organized Suicide Symposium for Psychiatry Faculty and UNC trainees
2013 - Present	Appointed Associate Chair for Education and Training Department of Psychiatry
2012 - Present	Ethics Advisor Program: liaison model for bedside ethics teaching
2011 - Present	Instructor in Medicine and Society course for first year medical students
2010 - Present	UNC Philosophy and Psychiatry Reading and Research Group (<i>Winner of Alan Stoudemire award 2012 for innovation in teaching of psychosomatics</i>)
2007 - Present	Co-ordinates course for psychiatry residents (PGY-1)
2006 - Present	Psychotherapy Supervisor
2009 - 2012	Developed and implemented didactic curriculum reform for adult psychiatry residency

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

2013- Present	UNC Division of Solid Organ Transplant; Liaison
2013- Present	NC Jaycee Burn Center; Liaison
2011- Present	UNC Hospital Ethics Committee; Co-chair
2011- Present	UNC School of Medicine Medical Education; Ombudsman for student maltreatment
2009	Task Force in Educational Reform; Chair UNC-CH Department of Psychiatry

PRESENTATIONS

1. Gala, GJ., Grand Rounds presentation, "Philosophy and Psychiatry: A Journey of Discovery". University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, NC (February, 2018).
2. Tatreau JR, Dreesen E, Gala GJ. Survivors of Suicidal Self-Injury and Their Psychiatric Care. Academy of Psychosomatic Medicine Annual Meeting (Paper). Palm Springs, CA (November, 2017).
3. Naik, N, Poliquin, R, Dreesen, E, Gala, GJ, Laughon, SL. A Retrospective Case Series of Patients with a Self-Inflicted Gunshot Wound to the Face: Challenges to Providing Psychiatric Care (Poster). Association of Medicine and Psychiatry 2017 Annual Meeting. Chicago, Illinois (September, 2017).
4. Laughon, SL, Gala, GJ. Resuscitation, Restoration, and Rehabilitation: Psychiatric Consultation to the Burn-Injured Patient as a Function of the Phase of Burn Care (Poster). Association of Medicine and Psychiatry 2017 Annual Meeting. Chicago, Illinois (September, 2017).
5. Laughon, SL, Gala, GJ. Burn-Injury Outcomes and Psychiatric Consultation: Exploring the Relationship (Poster). Association of Medicine and Psychiatry 2017 Annual Meeting. Chicago, Illinois (September, 2017).
6. Gala, GJ, Malloy, E, Penaskovic, K. "My Career as a Clinician Educator" Department of Psychiatry Grand Rounds. Chapel Hill, NC (September, 2017).
7. Gala, GJ. "Suicide and Trauma". 28th Annual May Day Trauma Conference. William and Ida Friday Center for Continuing Education, Chapel Hill, NC (May, 2017).
8. Gala, GJ. "Ethical Issues in Treatment over Objection" UNC Center for BioEthics' Consultation Workshop. NC Botanical Gardens, Chapel Hill, NC (May 2017).

9. Gala, GJ. "Philosophical Topics in Psychiatry". *What's the Big Idea? Fall 2016 Thinking about the Brain Series*, Friday Continuing Education Center, Chapel Hill, NC (October, 2016).
10. Laughon SL, Gala GJ. "Don't Get Burned Again: Identifying and Describing Burn Recidivism" (Poster). The Association of Medicine and Psychiatry, Chicago, IL (September, 2016).
11. Gala, GJ. "Shrink Wrapped: A Psychiatrist in the World of Solid Organ Transplant". Transplant Educational Conference Series, UNC School of Medicine, Chapel Hill, NC (April, 2016).
12. Gala, GJ. "Capacity Evaluations in the General Medical Hospital". FirstHealth Moore Regional Hospital CME Approved Lecture, Pinehurst, NC (March, 2016).
13. Gala, GJ, Laughon S. "CIWA GONE BAD: the pitfalls of Alcohol detox in the ICU". Burn Unit Journal Club, UNC Healthcare, Chapel Hill, NC (March, 2016).
14. Gala, GJ. "Management of the Difficult Patient". Dental Resident Seminar, UNC Dental School, Chapel Hill, NC (October, 2015).
15. Gala, GJ. "Caring for the Acute Medicine Patient with Psych Comorbidities: A Panel Discussion". UNC Hospital, Chapel Hill, NC (October, 2015).
16. Gala, GJ. CME sponsored presentation: "The Ethics of Forced Treatment". Cherry Hospital, DHHS, Goldsboro, NC (September, 2015).
17. Gala, GJ., Perea, E, Laughon, S. "Burn Psychiatry". Symposium, Academy of Psychosomatic Medicine, Fort Lauderdale, FL (November, 2014).
18. Gerkin, J., Maxwell, K., Gala, GJ. "Treatment over Objection When Patients Lack Decision-making Capacity: A Practical Guideline for Providers". *Poster*, Academy of Psychosomatic Medicine, Fort Lauderdale, FL (November, 2014).
19. Gala, GJ. "What is a Mental Disorder and How Should we Train the Psychiatrists of the 21st Century." Mental Health Services Seminar, Sheps Center, UNC at Chapel Hill, NC (September, 2014).
20. Gala, GJ. "DSM-5 Master Course." American Psychiatry Association, New York City, NY (May, 2014).
21. Gala, GJ. "A Very Fine Wind: Descartes, Harvey and the Motion of the Heart." Bullitt History of Medicine Society, UNC at Chapel Hill, NC (January, 2013).

22. Gala, GJ, Moseley, D. "The Consumer Protection Model of Decisional Capacity Evaluations." Southwestern Philosophical Society, New Orleans, LA (November, 2012).
23. Gala, GJ, Olbert, C., Gerkin, J., Moseley, D. "The Combinatorics of Mental Illness: Possibility and the Problem of Heterogeneity." *Poster*, Meeting of the Association of Cognitive and Behavioral Therapies, Baltimore, MD (November, 2012).
24. Gala, GJ, Moseley, D. "Crossing the Blood Brain Barrier: An Experiment in Interdisciplinary Research." *Poster*, Academy of Psychosomatic Medicine Annual Meeting, Atlanta, GA (November, 2012).
25. Gala, GJ. "Cutting up the Living, Cutting up the Dead: Suppression, Repression and the Practice of Medicine." George F. Sheldon Lecture in Anatomy, History and Society. School of Medicine, UNC at Chapel Hill, NC (October, 2012).
26. Gala, GJ. "Decisional Capacity: Rationality and Minimalism." Bioethics, UNC at Chapel Hill, NC (October, 2012).
27. Gala, GJ, Olbert, C., Gerkin, J., Moseley, D "Millions of Ways to Be Depressed?" *Research Poster*, UNC Department of Psychiatry Research Day, Chapel Hill, NC (April, 2012).
28. Gala, GJ, Moseley, D. "The Role of Internal Reasons in Psychiatric Evaluation" Pacific American Philosophical Association (April, 2012); Bioethics at UNC at Chapel Hill, NC (February, 2012); North Carolina Philosophical Society (February, 2012).
29. Gala, GJ. "Tarasoff and Her Progeny: An Involuntary Commitment Forum." UNC Department of Psychiatry Grand Rounds, Chapel Hill, NC (March, 2009).