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**EDUCATION**

* **Medical Doctor**: Facultad de Medicina de la Universidad Autónoma de Querétaro. 2001-2006
* **General Surgeon**: Universidad de Monterrey. Four-year program in a combined private and public setting. Monterrey, Mexico. 2019 - 2013.
* **Senior Fellow, Abdominal Wall Surgery**: Universidad de Monterrey 2015

**EXPERIENCE**

* Private Practice: March 2013-current
* Clinical Professor Universidad Autónoma de Querétaro. January 2014 – Current. Responsibilities include clinical and classroom teaching 4th and 5th year medical students.
* Associate Professor Universidad de Monterrey-Asociación Mexicana de Hernia, Diploma Course of Abdominal Wall Surgery. 2015-current
* Associate Professor Asociación Mexicana de Hernia, Diploma Course of Ultrasonography of the General Surgeon. 2019-current

**CERTIFICATIONS**

* General Surgery, Mexican Board of General Surgery. 2013 – Current

**PUBLICATIONS**

* Vázquez-Mellado A, Vázquez J, Mayagoitia JC**, Fernandez LA**. Anestesia Local Versus Bloqueo Peridural En La Plastía Inguinal Libre De Tensión. Estudio Comparativo”.Cirujano General Vol. 26 num. 4; 252-255 , 2004
* Vázquez-Mellado, **Fernandez LA,**  Mayagoitia JC**.** Fascitis Necrosante como causa de evisceración aguda: Reporte de un caso con manejo definitivo en un solo internamiento, sin desarrollo de hernia ventral” Cirujano General Vol. 32 num. 1; 53-57, 2010.

**BOOK CHAPTERS**

* Vázquez-Mellado, **Fernandez LA.** Anestesia local en las Hernias Abdominales e Inguinales. Hernias de la Pared Abdominal. Tratamiento Actual. 1ª Y 2° Edición. ISBN 9786077411260.

**PODIUM PRESENTATIONS**

* Laparoscopic orchidopexy for the palpable canalicular undescended testis: A twelve-year experience and review of literature. Pacific Association of Pediatric Surgeons (PAPS); 44th Annual Meeting 10-14 abril 2011Cancún, Quintana Roo, México.
* Laparoscopic orchiopexy for the palpable undescended testes: a twelve year experience XIII World Congress of Endoscopic Surgery; XXI Mexican Congress of Endoscopic Surgery; X Latin American Congress of Endoscopic Surgery. 25-27 abril 2012. Puerto Vallarta, Jalisco, México
* Surgical Anatomy for the repair of ventral hernia. XXXIX Mexican Association of General Surgery Annual Meeting. 2015. Monterrey, Mexico.
* Necrotizing fascitis of the abdominal wall. XL Mexican Association of General Surgery Annual Meeting. 2016. Merida, Mexico
* Necrotizing fascitis of the abdominal wall: A case report XL Mexican Association of General Surgery Annual Meeting. 2016. Merida, Mexico
* Emergencies of the abdominal wall. XL Mexican Association of General Surgery Annual Meeting. 2016. Merida, Mexico
* Getrting deep into de inguinal canal Emergencies of the abdominal wall. XL Mexican Association of General Surgery Annual Meeting. 2016. Merida, Mexico
* Complex hernia. XL Mexican Association of General Surgery Annual Meeting. 2016. Merida, Mexico
* Anterior component separation, TAR and other options to manage complex abdominal wall. Emergencies of the abdominal wall. XL Mexican Association of General Surgery Annual Meeting. 2016. Merida, Mexico
* Chronic pain after inguinal surgery. V Brazilian Association of Hernia and Abdominal Wall. 2018 Foz do Iguacu, Brasil.
* Parastomal hernia: What we have and what we don’t have to do. V Brazilian Association of Hernia and Abdominal Wall. 2018 Foz do Iguacu, Brasil.
* Chronic pain after inguinal surgery. V Brazilian Association of Hernia and Abdominal Wall. 2018 Foz do Iguacu, Brasil.
* Chronic pain after inguinal surgery. VI Mexican Association of Hernia 2019. Leon Mexico.
* Open TAR: a guide of a new technique for complex abdominal wall hernia. VI Mexican Association of Hernia 2019. Leon Mexico.
* Open TAR: a guide of a new technique for complex abdominal wall hernia. VI Mexican Association of Hernia 2019. Leon Mexico.
* The importance of pain management after inguinal hernia surgery. VI Mexican Association of Hernia 2019. Leon Mexico.
* Diastasis and umbilical hernia. VI Mexican Association of Hernia 2019. Leon Mexico.
* TAP block before, during and after complex abdominal wall hernia surgery. XLIII Mexican Association of General Surgery Annual Meeting. 2019. Leon, Mexico
* Chronic pain after inguinal hernia surgery XLIII Mexican Association of General Surgery Annual Meeting. 2019. Leon, Mexico
* Ultrasound for the general surgeon. XLIII Mexican Association of General Surgery Annual Meeting. 2019. Leon, Mexico
* Diagnostic and management of chronic inguinal pain. I virtual meeting of the Latin American hernia and abdominal wall societies. 2020
* Ultrasound for surgeons: should a general surgeon use the ultrasound? I Virtual meeting of the Mexican Hernia Association. 2021
* Ultrasound for the general surgeon. II Hernia and Abdominal Wall Meeting of the Central America Hernia Societes: Hernia Chapter of El Salvador General Surgery Societies. San Salvador, El Salvador. Septiembre 22-24 2021.

**POSTER PRESENTATIONS**

* Laparoscopic management of a pancreatic pseudocyst XI World Congress of Endoscopic Surgery; XIX Mexican Congress of Endoscopic Surgery; VIII Latin American Congress of Endoscopic Surgery. 4-8 may 2012. Cancun, México
* Thorascopic esophageal atresia repair: The Latin American experience and review of literature. Pacific Association of Pediatric Surgeons (PAPS); 44th Annual Meeting 10-14 abril 2011Cancún, Quintana Roo, México.
* Laparoscopic Pediatric Inguinal Hernia repair: complete resection of the hernia sac without suture (no ligation just resection Pacific Association of Pediatric Surgeons (PAPS); 44th Annual Meeting 10-14 abril 2011Cancún, Quintana Roo, México.
* Laparoscopic pediatric inguinal hernia repair: complete resection of the hernia sac without suture (no ligation, just resection) XIII World Congress of Endoscopic Surgery; XXI Mexican Congress of Endoscopic Surgery; X Latin American Congress of Endoscopic Surgery 25-27 abril 2012 Puerto Vallarta, Jalisco, México
* Thoracoscopic Esophageal atresia repair: the Latin American Experience and review of the literature XIII World Congress of Endoscopic Surgery; XXI Mexican Congress of Endoscopic Surgery; X Latin American Congress of Endoscopic Surgery 25-27 abril 2012 Puerto Vallarta, Jalisco, México
* Endovascular management of a Paget-Schroetter syndomrecase: a report XI World Congress of Endoscopic Surgery; XIX Mexican Congress of Endoscopic Surgery; VIII Latin American Congress of Endoscopic Surgery. 4-8 may 2012. Cancun, México

**VIDEO PRESENTATIONS**

* Laparoscopic orchiopexy for the palpable undescended testes: a twelve year experience XIII World Congress of Endoscopic Surgery; XXI Mexican Congress of Endoscopic Surgery; X Latin American Congress of Endoscopic SurgerY 25-27 abril 2012 Puerto Vallarta, Jalisco, México

**AWARDS AND RECOGNITIONS**

* Outstanding Performance Record of the National Center for Evaluation of Superior Education CENEVAL, Mexico. Awarded to less than 1% of all post graduates in the country, 2001
* Chief Resident (awarded to one final-year resident per annum (class of 7 residents).

Universidad de Monterrey

* Best Clinical Professor of the Year (awarded to 3 clinical professors per annum (32 professors) Universidad Autónoma de Querétaro. 2015, 2016, 2019, 2020, 2021.

**OTHER COURSES**

* EuSim / Latin American Association of Clinical Simulation Curso EuSim básico para instructores en simulación Santiago de Querétaro, Querétaro, México 20-22 agosto 2013
* National College of Military Doctors. Post graduate course on Ultrasonography. January -July 2018

**MEMBERSHIP IN SOCIETES**

* Asociación Mexicana de Cirugía General. 2015
* Asociación Mexicana de Hernia. 2015
* Federación Latinoamericana de Hernia. 2015
* Sociedade Brasileira de Hêrnia e parede abdominal. 2018
* Sociedad Hispanoamericana de Hernia. 2020
* Society of American Gastrointestinal and Endoscopic Surgeons. International Member. 2022

**LANGUAGES**

* Spanish.- Native level
* English.- Latin level
* French.- 50%
* Portuguese.- 50%