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***EMPLOYMENT & RESIDENCY***

- **Boulder Neurosurgical Associates**, Boulder, Colorado  
-8/2008-present
- **Emory University**, Department of Neurosurgery, Cerebrovascular Fellow and Clinical Instructor, 7/2007-6/2008.
- **Cleveland Clinic Foundation**, Department of Neurosurgery, Cleveland, Ohio; Graduated June, 2007.  
-Chief Resident 6/2006-6/2007.  
-Resident in the Department of Neurosurgery 2003-2007.  
-ABNS board eligible.  
-Resident in Department of Radiology 7/2002-2/2003, with an emphasis in neuroradiology.
- **United States Senate**, Office of Senate Majority Leader W. H. Frist, MD, Health Policy Fellow, Washington DC  
8/2005-6/2006.  
-Awarded the Charles Plante Public Policy Fellowship, CNS.
- **University Hospitals/Case Western Reserve**, Cleveland, Ohio  
-Resident in the Department of Neurosurgery 2000-2002.

***EDUCATION***

- The **Ohio State University** College of Medicine, Columbus, Ohio  
-Medical Doctor, 1996-2000.
- The **Ohio State University**, Columbus, Ohio, *graduate studies*  
-Graduate work in anatomy and physiology towards graduate degree, 1994-1996.
- **Miami University**, Oxford, Ohio, *undergraduate studies*  
-Bachelor of Arts in Microbiology, 1989-1994.

***HONORS and AWARDS***

***Residency & Medical School***

- Charles Plante Public Policy Fellowship, awarded by the Congress of Neurological Surgeons, 2005-2006.
- Award of Excellence, Cleveland Clinic Foundation, 2004.
- Outstanding Intern award, University Hospitals of Cleveland, 2001.
- Jonasson Award in Surgery for Exceptional Performance in Surgery, The Ohio State University, 2000.

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***HONORS and AWARDS (continued)***

- Phi Kappa Phi Honor Society, The Ohio State University, 2000.
- Honors, Neurosurgery, Sub-internship, U. of Cincinnati, 1999.
- Honors, Neurosurgery, The Ohio State University, 1999.

*Residency & Medical School (continued)*

- Honors, Surgery, Sub-internship, The Ohio State University, 1999.
- Honors, Emergency Medicine, The Ohio State University, 1999.
- Honors, Pediatrics, The Ohio State University, 1999.
- Inductee, Landacre Research Honorary, 1998.
- Samuel J. Roessler Memorial Medical Scholarship, 1997-1998.

*Undergraduate (selected)*

- Research Grant, Department of Microbiology, Miami University, 1994-1995.
- Dean's List, Miami University, 1993, 1994.
- Scholar's Award, Kappa Sigma Fraternity Foundation, 1994.
- Presidents Award for Excellence in Service, 1993.
- General Motors Community Service Award, 1993.

*Other (selected)*

- Eagle Scout, Boy Scouts of America, 1989.
- Delegate, Congressional Youth Leadership Council, 1989.

***RESEARCH, PUBLICATIONS & PRESENTATIONS***

- *Repeat Aneurysm Surgery: Operative Nuances*: **Alexander Mason**, Michael Cawley, Daniel Barrow. 2007. *Work in progress*.
- *Aneurysm Surgery in an Endovascular Era*: **Alexander Mason**, Daniel Barrow. 2007. *Work in progress*.
- *Anomalous Middle Cerebral Artery and Fusiform Aneurysm: Case Report*: David LaBorde, **Alexander Mason**, Daniel Barrow. 2007. *Work in progress*.
- *Acromegaly and Somatotroph Hyperplasia with Adenomatous Transformation due to Pituitary Metastasis of a GHRH-Secreting Pulmonary Endocrine Carcinoma*: Christian Nasr, **Alexander Mason**, Marc Mayberg, Susan M Staugaitis and Sylvia L Asa. *Journal of Clinical Endocrinology and Metabolism*, 91(12) 4776-4780, 2006.
- *Cervical Syrinx: a Review*: **Alexander Mason**, Edward Benzel. Submitted to *Journal of Neurosurgery* 12/2006.
- *Washington Update: Reflections on a Year in Washington DC*: **Alexander Mason**; Grand Rounds presentation for the Department of Neurosurgery, Cleveland Clinic, Cleveland, Ohio, 2006.

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**RESEARCH, PUBLICATIONS & PRESENTATIONS** (continued)

- *Spine Trauma and Common Spinal Pathology*: **Alexander Mason**; Invited lecturer, 9<sup>th</sup> Annual Innovations in Neuroscience Nursing Summit, Cleveland, Ohio 2006.
- *Surgical Exposure of the Peripheral Nerves of the Lower Extremity, part I*. **Alexander Mason**, Michael Steinmetz, and Edward Benzel in Neurosurgical Operative Atlas Second Edition: Spine and Peripheral Nerves; Editors: Christopher Wolfa, MD and Daniel K. Resnick, MD. Thieme. 2007.
- *Surgical Exposure of the Peripheral Nerves of the Lower Extremity, part II*. Michael Steinmetz, **Alexander Mason**, and Edward Benzel in Neurosurgical Operative Atlas Second Edition: Spine and Peripheral Nerves; Editors: Christopher Wolfa, MD and Daniel K. Resnick, MD. Thieme. 2007.
- *Hormonal Modulation, Biological Response Modifiers, and Abl protein Toxins in the treatment of Malignant Gliomas*. **Alexander Mason**, Steve Toms, Chapter in High-Grade Gliomas: Treatment and Diagnosis. Editors: Gene Barnett, MD. Humana Press; 2006.
- *Acromegaly and Somatotroph Hyperplasia with Adenomatous Transformation due to Pituitary Metastasis of a GHRH-Secreting Pulmonary Endocrine Tumor*, **Alexander Mason**, Marc Mayberg, Susan M Staugaitis, Sylvia L. Asa, Christian Nasr, Poster and Abstract presented at the Endocrine Society, May, 2004 in New Orleans, La.
- *Arachnoiditis*, in The 5-Minute Neurological Consult, Lawrence Mervis, **Alexander Mason** with J. Lynn, and H. Newton, editors, p.68-70, Lippincott, Williams and Wilkins, 2004.
- *The Etiology of Peritumoral Edema in Meningiomas*, **Alexander Mason**. Grand Rounds Presentation to Department of Neurosurgery, University of Cincinnati, 1999.
- *Widened Mediastinum: The Harbinger of Severe Injury in the Trauma Patient*, Robert Falcone, **Alexander Mason**, The Ohio State University, Department of Surgery and Grant Medical Center, Columbus, Ohio, 1997-98.
  - Presentation, 36<sup>th</sup> North American Federation Congress of the International College of Surgeons, June, 1999
  - Presentation, Landacre Research honorary in April, 1998
- *Bronchitis and the Prescription of Antibiotics*, Dan Martin, Peter Riley and **Alexander Mason**, The Ohio State University, Department of Emergency Medicine, 1996-97.
- *Streptococcus equi equine vaccine development for upper respiratory infections*, research included in vitro and in vivo studies, molecular

characterization, A. Morris-Hooke, Phd and **Alexander Mason**, Department of Microbiology, Miami University, 1992-94.

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***PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS and CERTIFICATIONS***

- Congress of Neurological Surgeons, candidate resident member, 2000-present.
- American Association of Neurological Surgeons, resident member, 2001-present.
- American Medical Association, member, 1996-present.
- Basic life support (BLS), current certification.
- Advanced cardiac life support (ACLS), current certification.
- Advanced trauma life support (ATLS), current certification.
- Class 1A Fire Fighter, State of Ohio, 1990-present.

***INTERESTS***

***Academic***

- Cerebrovascular, Complex Tumor and Skull Base surgery
- Complex spinal reconstruction, outcomes.

***Nonacademic***

- Fly-fishing, cooking, and trekking.
- Father of two year-old twins, and husband to a Board-certified Emergency Medicine physician, Kerri Mason, MD, FACEP.