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**Home Address:**

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**Office Address:**

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**Citizenship:**

U.S.A.

**Education:**

[REDACTED]

Bachelor of Science, Biomedicine, City College of New York, Sophie Davis School of Biomedical Education, New York, NY

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Medical Doctor, SUNY Upstate Medical University, Syracuse, NY

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M.S., Masters of Clinical and Translational Sciences,  
Medical College of Wisconsin, Milwaukee, WI

**Postgraduate Training and Fellowship Appointments:**

[REDACTED]

Resident, Pediatrics  
Stony Brook University Medical Center, Stony Brook, NY

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Fellow, Pediatric Emergency Medicine  
Medical College of Wisconsin, Milwaukee, WI

**Faculty / Clinical Appointments:**

07/2007 - 06/2009

Staff Pediatrician, PM Pediatrics, Syosset, NY

07/2009 - 06/2012

Clinical Instructor, Pediatric Emergency Medicine  
Medical College of Wisconsin, Milwaukee, WI

07/2012 – present     Assistant Professor, Pediatric Emergency Medicine  
University of Hawai'i /  
Kapi'olani Medical Center for Women and Children, Honolulu, Hi

12/2013 – Present     Medical Officer  
Hawai'i Disaster Medical Assistance Team, Kalawao Rescue, Aiea, Hi

**Hospital Staff Privileges:**

07/2009 - 6/2012     Children's Hospital of Wisconsin, Milwaukee, WI

07/2012 - present     Kapi'olani Medical Center for Women and Children, Honolulu, Hi

**Specialty Boards and Certifications:**

<u>Board Certified</u>		<u>Issue Date</u>	<u>Expiration</u>
American Board of Pediatrics		10/2008	MOC
Pediatric Emergency Medicine		6/2013	MOC

  

<u>Certificates</u>	<u>Issued By</u>	<u>Issue Date</u>	<u>Expiration</u>
PALS/BLS	AHA	07/2011	07/2018
ATLS	ACS	12/2009	06/2019
BDLS	NDLSF	05/2011	05/2014
NIMS	FEMA	05/2011	
CITI		07/2009	07/2012

  

<u>Licensure</u>	<u>Number</u>	<u>Issue Date</u>	<u>Expiration</u>
New York License	by request	06/12/2007	04/15/2011
Wisconsin License	by request	03/13/2009	10/31/2013
Hawai'i	by request	03/23/2012	01/31/2018

**Awards and Honors:**

06/2004                     Dean Edward A. Wolfson Geriatrics Award

- Awarded to a single medical student of the 160 graduating for excellence in Geriatric Medicine  
Upstate Medical University, Syracuse, NY

04/2012                     6<sup>th</sup> Annual Fellow Research Poster Session

- Awarded second place out of 42 poster presentations for “An Electronic Tool to Improve Emergent Pediatric Medication Dosing in an Era of Obesity”  
Medical College of Wisconsin, Milwaukee, WI

- 04/2012                      20th Annual Emergency Medicine Research Forum
- Best Pediatric Research Presentation Award  
“An Electronic Tool to Improve Emergent Pediatric Medication Dosing in an Era of Obesity”  
Medical College of Wisconsin, Milwaukee, WI

**Memberships in Honorary and Professional Societies:**

- 07/2004 - present      American Academy of Pediatrics
- 07/2009 - present      AAP - Member, Section on Emergency Medicine
- 07/2009 – 06/2012      Wisconsin Medical Society
- 07/2009 – 04/2017      American Medical Association
- 04/2012 – 4/2013      Society for Academic Emergency Medicine
- 07/2012 - present      AAP - Member, Section on Disaster Preparedness
- 07/2013 – present      Member of the Hawai’i Branch of the AAP
- 04/2017 – present      American College of Emergency Medicine

**Local / Regional Appointed Leadership and Committee Positions:**

- 07/2004 - 06/2007      Resident Representative  
American Academy of Pediatrics, District II, Region II
- 04/2010 – 06/2012      Committee member: Website Redesign Committee  
Wisconsin Chapter of the American Academy of Pediatrics
- Consulting on design and integration of the website with the current AAP website

**Research Projects:**

**A. Inactive**

- Title:                      Regional V.S. National Terrorist Threats: What do ED Physicians Know
- Source:                    None
- Role:                      Principal Investigator
- Dates:                     06/2009 – 06/2012
- Status:                    Survey Development; project placed on hold

Description: Utilizing geomapped data on locally stored chemical stockpiles in the community, a survey is being developed to evaluate ED provider knowledge and comfort with management of specific exposures compared to that which appears frequently in the media

**B. Active**

Title: An Electronic Tool to Improve Emergent Pediatric Medication Dosing In an Era of Obesity  
Source: None  
Role: Principal Investigator  
Dates: 05/2011 - present  
Status: Data Analysis  
Description: Evaluating if a newly developed software program utilizing a length-based weight prediction factoring in body habitus will calculate medication doses more accurately compared to the Broselow tape

**Invited Lectures / Workshops / Presentations:**

**Regional**

11/2005 Di Rocco, PJ., Guralnick S., "Communicating with your Doctor" presentation and panel discussion on effective communication with parents of a medical home. Stony Brook, New York  
09/2011 Di Rocco, PJ., "Pediatric Disaster Management" Military Reserve Corps Fall Preparedness Summit, Brookfield, WI  
09/2011 Di Rocco, PJ., Meyer, MT., High Fidelity Simulation Session - "Respiratory Distress", Critical Care Conference - *TYKES -Treating Your Kids' Emergency Situations*, Milwaukee, WI  
03/2012 Di Rocco, PJ., Brousseau DC., Stevens MW., Gorelick MH., "An Electronic Tool to Improve Emergent Pediatric Medication Dosing In an Era of Obesity", Poster at Best Practices in Pediatrics Winter 2012, Glacier Canyon Lodge, Wisconsin Dells, Wisconsin  
09/2015 Di Rocco, PJ., "Natural and Chemical Disasters from Community to Hospital" Annual Nurses Conference, Honolulu, HI  
11/2016 Di Rocco, PJ., "Pediatric Pain Management" Hawai'i ACEP Leadership Summit, Honolulu, HI

**Peer Reviewed Workshops / Presentations:**

**National**

- 09/2011 Di Rocco, J., Di Rocco, PJ., Nocton, J., Brewer, C., Weisgerber, M., "The SURFboards Risk Score (SRS): A Tool to Identify Residents At-Risk for Poor Performance on the General Pediatrics Certifying Examination, (Poster at the Pediatric Educational Excellence Across the Continuum (PEEAC) Conference, Arlington, Virginia)
- 04/2012 Di Rocco, PJ., Brousseau DC., Stevens MW., Gorelick MH., "An Electronic Tool to Improve Emergent Pediatric Medication Dosing In an Era of Obesity", Poster at Pediatric Academic Society Meeting 2012, Boston, MA
- 05/2012 Di Rocco, PJ., Brousseau DC., Stevens MW., Gorelick MH., "An Electronic Tool to Improve Emergent Pediatric Medication Dosing In an Era of Obesity", Poster at Society of Academic Emergency Medicine Meeting, Chicago, IL
- 03/2014 Di Rocco PJ., Di Rocco JD., Len K., Saito C., Hino J., Patel S., "New Life-Saving Devices: The Tablet Computer Revolution" Workshop at the AAMC's Western Group on Educational Affairs, Honolulu, HI
- 05/2014 Di Rocco PJ., Di Rocco JD., Len K., Patel S., "New Life-Saving Devices: The Tablet Computer Revolution" Workshop at Pediatric Academic Societies, Vancouver, Ca

**Local**

- 04/2011 Di Rocco, PJ., Gummin D., Gorelick MH., Liu J., Sirbaugh P., "Regional V.S. National Terrorist Threats: What do ED Physicians Know?", Poster at the 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Medical College of Wisconsin Fellow Research Poster Session, Milwaukee, Wisconsin
- 04/2012 Di Rocco, PJ., Brousseau DC., Stevens MW., Gorelick MH., "An Electronic Tool to Improve Emergent Pediatric Medication Dosing In an Era of Obesity", Poster at the 6<sup>th</sup> Annual Medical College of Wisconsin Fellow Research Poster Session, Milwaukee, Wisconsin

**Committee Service:**

**Medical College of Wisconsin Committees**

- 09/2010 - 06/2012 Member, Pediatric Emergency Medicine Educational Council
- Improving resident pediatric emergency medicine education and evaluation

- 05/2011 - 06/2012 PALS Instructor
- Training ~25 new learners annually, including Emergency Medicine Residents
- 01/2012 – 06/2012 Disaster Exercise Planning Committee
- Assisted with design and implementation of disaster exercises to test and improve the hospital's emergency preparedness

**Kapi'olani / University of Hawai'i Committees**

- 05/2013 – present Electronic Medical Record (EPIC) ASAP Committee
- Assist with electronic medical record redesign, bug fixing, and improving functionality
  - Kapi'olani Medical Center for Women and Children
- 05/2013 – present Chair of the Website Redesign Committee
- University of Hawai'i Pediatric Residency Program: goal of improving the web presence of the pediatric residency program aid in recruitment.
- 07/2013 – present Recruitment and Selection Committee for Pediatric Residents
- 07/2013 – present Simulation Committee
- 11/2013 – present Trauma multi-disciplinary team ED Liason
- 11/2013 – present PIPS Performance improvement and patient safety
- 01/2014 – present ED Team Meeting / Peer Review committee
- 04/2014 – present EMR HPH Pediatric Working Group
- 07/2014 – present ED Standards of Excellence committee
- 10/2014 – present HPH Disaster Planning Committee
- 11/2014 – present National Pediatric disaster resilience group

**Medical Education Teaching Activities:**

**Medical Student Education**

**Curriculum/Educational Development**

- 08/2010 - 07/2011 Co-developed Guidelines for Abscess management in the ED with pediatric surgery

- Planned, developed, and instituting a pathway to optimize management and throughput time of abscess management in the ED
  - Medical College of Wisconsin, Milwaukee, WI
- 07/2011 - 06/2012 Di Rocco, P.J., "Pediatric Resuscitation: Know your ABCs"
- Designed course, and assist with teaching; Pediatric Resuscitation and Simulation Course for all 3<sup>rd</sup> year medical students rotating through the adult ED
  - Medical College of Wisconsin, Milwaukee, WI
- 04/6/2012 Medical Student Physical Exam Workshop
- Evaluating and training physical exam skills for 2<sup>nd</sup> year medical students on standardized patients
  - Medical College of Wisconsin, Milwaukee, WI

### **Resident & Fellow Education**

- 07/2009 - 06/2012 Clinical Educator, Emergency Department Fellow
- Precept ~6 pediatric, emergency medicine and family practice residents per month
  - Instruct and supervise residents for procedures including laceration repair, lumbar punctures, and splinting
  - Medical College of Wisconsin, Milwaukee, WI
- 07/2009 - 06/2012 Lecturer: Resident morning educational conference, (average 2/year)
- Weekly conference required for all residents and students rotating in the Emergency Department
  - Medical College of Wisconsin, Milwaukee, WI
- 07/2009 - 06/2012 Preceptor: Mock Code Simulation, Pediatric Emergency Medicine Children's Hospital of Wisconsin (average 2/year)
- 2-hour mock code simulation of the resuscitation of complex and critically ill children
  - Medical College of Wisconsin, Milwaukee, WI
- 07/2009 Preceptor: Resident Procedure Workshop
- Bladder catheterization station
  - Medical College of Wisconsin, Milwaukee, WI
- 01/2010 Di Rocco, P.J., "Common Musculoskeletal Disorders in Pediatrics"
- 1 hour presentation to pediatric residents
  - Medical College of Wisconsin, Milwaukee, WI
- 01/2010 Preceptor: Splint Workshop for Residents and Medical Students
- Medical College of Wisconsin, Milwaukee, WI

- 07/2010 Di Rocco, PJ., “Pediatric Megacode”
- Lecturer and preceptor with simulation session for residents
  - Medical College of Wisconsin, Milwaukee, WI
- 03/2011 Preceptor: Hi-Fidelity Mock Code Simulation for Pediatric Residents
- Medical College of Wisconsin, Milwaukee, WI
- 05/2011 Di Rocco, PJ., “Global Health: Response to Humanitarian Disasters”
- Noon conference for pediatric resident Global Health Curriculum
  - Medical College of Wisconsin, Milwaukee, WI
- 07/2011 Di Rocco, PJ., Heffner, V., "Pediatric Arrhythmias: When to use Cardioversion & Defibrillation", Lecturer and Faculty Moderator
- Simulation session; Joint Fellow Orientation
  - Medical College of Wisconsin, Milwaukee, WI
- 04/2012 Di Rocco, PJ., “Management of Pediatric Eye Emergencies”
- 1 hour presentation to pediatric residents
  - Medical College of Wisconsin, Milwaukee, WI
- 04/2012 Preceptor: Splint Workshop for Residents and Medical Students
- Medical College of Wisconsin, Milwaukee, WI
- 05/2012 Preceptor: Resident Procedure Workshop; IO insertion
- University of Hawai’i, Honolulu, HI
- 05/2012 Residency Education Program
- Pediatric Board Prep Session Leader (2x per year)
  - University of Hawai’i, Honolulu, HI
- 07/2012 - present Pediatric Emergency Department Assistant Professor
- Precept ~3 pediatric and family practice residents per month
  - Precept ~4 medical students per month
  - Instruct and supervise residents for procedures including laceration repair, lumbar punctures, and splinting
  - University of Hawai’i Medical School / Residency, Honolulu, HI
- 02/2013 Di Rocco, PJ., “Disasters 101: Pediatric Preemptive Planning”  
University of Hawai’i Pediatric Noon Conference, Honolulu, HI
- 02/2015 Di Rocco, PJ., “Disaster Response Training for Pediatric Residents”  
Academic half day conference for pediatric residents, Honolulu, HI



- 02/2015 Di Rocco, PJ, "Disaster Response Training for Medical Students"  
Medical Student Presentation, Honolulu, Hi
- 06/2017 Di Rocco, PJ., "Pediatric Disaster Preparedness 101: Tabletop Triage"  
Academic half day conference for pediatric residents, Honolulu, Hi

**Faculty Continuing Medical Education**

- 04/2009 Di Rocco, PJ., "Approach to Pediatric Limp"  
• ED Grand Rounds  
Medical College of Wisconsin, Milwaukee, WI
- 10/2010 Di Rocco, PJ., "Common Musculoskeletal Concerns in Pediatrics"  
• ED Grand Rounds  
Medical College of Wisconsin, Milwaukee, WI
- 12/2010 Di Rocco, PJ., Winthrop, A., "Abscess Management in the ED"  
Joint Surgery and ED Conference  
Medical College of Wisconsin, Milwaukee, WI
- 08/2011 Di Rocco, PJ., "Cystic Fibrosis in the ED setting"  
ED Grand Rounds  
Medical College of Wisconsin, Milwaukee, WI
- 08/2012 Di Rocco, PJ., Di Rocco, JR.,  
"Technology as a Tool in Medical Education and Beyond"  
University of Hawai'i Pediatric Noon Conference, Honolulu, Hi
- 04/2013 Di Rocco, PJ., Lin J., "Technology in the Pediatric Outpatient Setting"  
Timely Talks in Pediatrics, Hawai'i AAP  
Ala Moana Hotel, Honolulu Hi
- 06/2013 Di Rocco, PJ., "Common Pediatric Emergency Procedures for the  
Office Setting" University of Hawai'i Pediatric Noon Conference,  
Honolulu, Hi
- 11/2015 Di Rocco, PJ., "Passion, Patient Satisfaction, & Perception in  
Pediatrics" University of Hawai'i Pediatric Noon Conference,  
Honolulu, Hi
- 7/2017 Di Rocco, PJ., Wong J., Wong J., Tamaye H., "Updates in Acute  
Pediatric Pain Management" University of Hawai'i Pediatric Noon  
Conference, Honolulu, Hi

**Extramural Teaching:**

**Clinical/Research Student**

██████████ 06/2011 - 07/2011 - Alverno College student;  
• Instructed in study design and enrollment

**Students, Faculty, Residents and Clinical / Research Fellows Mentored:**

**MCW Medical Student Mentorship**

██████████ 08/2009 – 06/2012  
08/2009 - 08/2010

**University of Hawai'i Medical Student Mentorship**

██████████ 07/2013 -8/2013

**University of Hawai'i Pediatric Resident Mentorship**

██████████ 06/2013 – 06/2016  
06/2016 – present

**Disaster Training:**

05/2011	Basic Disaster Life Support Training, NDLSF, Milwaukee, Wisconsin
05/2011	National Incident Management System Training, FEMA
06/2010	Red Dragon “Undeclared WMD Attack” Training, Fort McCoy, Wisconsin • Attended: 2 day workshop training in WMDs including specific chemical, radiological, and bioterrorism disaster and response
04/2012	Organization and execution of a surge capacity drill with regional power outage and blizzard for Children’s Hospital of Wisconsin
09/2012 – present	American Academy of Pediatrics state of Hawai’i representative for Pediatric Disaster Preparedness.
7/20/12	Engaged in Kapi’olani RIMPAC (Rim of the Pacific) Disaster Drill exercise, triaging and participating in write up of hot/wash from a physician perspective
12/2014 -- present	Engaged in yealy DMAT Honolulu Marathon Medical Relief Effort

- 6/5-6/14 Participated with the DMAT strike team as a medical officer in the Kauai overnight disaster drill, managing surge capacity of a simulated mass organophosphate exposure.
- 7/11/14 Participated in the Kapi'olani ED RIMPAC pediatric disaster drill simulation with write up event.
- 7/12/14 Participated as a medical officer for the Ford island RIMPAC disaster drill simulation. Treating and planning disposition for simulated patients in a surge to the immediate care DMAT tent.
- 9/28/14 Medical Director for DMAT response at Wings over the Pacific joint base Pearl Harbor / Hickam air show.
- 7/2016 Medical officer for the Ford island RIMPAC disaster drill simulation. Treating and planning disposition for simulated patients in a surge to the triage and immediate care DMAT tent.

### **Bibliography:**

#### **Books, Chapters and Reviews:**

Bowen, A., **Di Rocco, PJ**. Children in Disasters. Chapter 9, In; Fuchs S, Pante M eds Pediatric Education For Pre-hospital Professionals, 3<sup>rd</sup> ed. Sudbury, MA: Jones & Bartlett Publishers, 2012

Sirbaugh, PE., **Di Rocco, PJ**., Romig, L. Disaster Management Chapter 17, In: Fuchs S, Yamamoto L, eds APLS: The Pediatric Emergency Medicine Resource, 5<sup>th</sup> ed. Sudbury, MA: Jones & Bartlett Publishers, 2012

#### **Non-Peer Reviewed Educational Products**

Contributor, MCW Pediatric Resident Handbook; collaborated to create a 2 page guideline on *Management of Supracondylar Humerus Fractures in the ED*; handbook used by all pediatric residents at CHW during training as a subspecialty resource.

#### **Software, Software Modules:**

- 09/1995 - 05/1997      Designed and Implemented; “Access to Medical Information Graduate Orientation” for CUNY Medical School
- An introduction to computing and accessing online medical resources
- 08/2004 - 06/2009      Development and maintenance: Stony Brook University Medical Center Pediatric web portal
- Website used by both the Pediatric Residency and the ED with scheduling, and educational resources
- 11/2005 - 06/2009      Redesigned, managed, and supported; Stony Brook PICU database
- Modified and re-wrote a *Filemaker Pro 6* database used for all patients admitted to the PICU
- 07/2006                  Designed and Implemented; A computerized electronic medical record system for the Stony Brook Medical Center NICU
- 08/2006                  Co-design and layout; Stony Brook University Medical Center Pediatrics website
- Lead the committee to redesign the section website for both content and design
- 07/2007 - 06/2009      Database programming; *NextGen* electronic medical record at PM Pediatrics
- EMR coding to allow the flow of nursing information into the final medical chart, and streamlining the generation of a faster medical note with discharge instructions
- 08/2009 - 06/2012      Developed and maintain; MCW Pediatric Hospitalist web portal
- 07/2009 - 6/2012        Development and maintenance of PEM section website
- Updated clinical resources, contact information, scheduling information, Journal Club and Book Club resources, and a paging system
- 07/2010 - 02/2011      Managed and updated; Wisconsin AAP website
- Prior to the redesigned website
- 02/2011 - present        Developed software; Length based medication dosing predictor
- Currently studying the efficacy of this software
- 12/2012 – present      Developed and maintain educational resource for pediatric emergency r with blog updates to twitter and Facebook with recent PEM articles
- 05/2013 - present        Developed and maintain [www.pedsweb.com](http://www.pedsweb.com) for asynchronous resident fellow education with Moodle software integration

**Hobbies:**

Computer Programming, Electronics, Running, Mountain Biking, Cooking in bulk, spending time with our family [REDACTED]

*References available upon request*