



Curriculum Vitae

Mark D Paauw, MD

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Current Position

Glaucoma and Cataract Specialist 06/2025 to Present
Piedmont Eye Center
Lynchburg, Virginia

Education

Glaucoma Fellow 07/2024 to 06/2025
Florida Eye Specialists
Jacksonville, Florida

Resident Physician 07/2021 to 06/2024
Wayne State University, Kresge Eye Institute
Ophthalmology Resident
Detroit, Michigan

Resident Physician 07/2020 to 06/2021
Michigan State University, Spectrum Health
Transitional Year Resident
Grand Rapids, Michigan

Doctor of Medicine, Michigan State University College of
Human Medicine, East Lansing, Michigan 08/2016 to 05/2020

Bachelor of Science, Major: Biology, Minor: Spanish, 08/2012 to 05/2016
Calvin University, Grand Rapids, Michigan

Professional Experience

Research Assistant, Urologic Consultants 06/2016 to 11/2016
Grand Rapids, Michigan
Supervisor: Dr. Jon Curry
Collected and organized data for a state-wide
research initiative.

Resident Care Aid, Holland Home 05/2014 to 03/2015
Grand Rapids, Michigan
Supervisor: Julie Gusko
Provided care for residents with dementia and

Alzheimer's and led evening activities.

Leadership and Volunteer Experiences

Board Member, Sus Manos Gleaners (non-profit) 06/2014 to 07/2021
Jenison, Michigan

Sus Manos Gleaners collects, dehydrates, and packages donated produce then ships it out as soup mix to countries around the world. I was involved in the processes of starting up and managing this non-profit organization which has now sent over four million meals internationally.

Volunteer, Haiti Ophthalmology Medical Trip 10/2018
Northwest Haiti Christian Mission

Supervisor: Dr. Kenneth Lao

The group conducted a week-long eye clinic seeing 750 patients and performing 150 surgeries. I worked in pre-op performing retrobulbar blocks and preparing patients for surgery.

Co-president, Ophthalmology Interest Group 08/2017 to 06/2018
Michigan State University College of Human Medicine
Organized and led ophthalmology interest meetings for students.

Research Positions

Research Assistant, Eye Plastic & Facial Cosmetic Surgery 05/2019 to 02/2020
Principle Investigator: Dr. Adam Hassan
Conducting a cross-sectional study of patients with unilateral or bilateral facial palsy to evaluate the impact of ocular dominance in relation to the degree and laterality of facial synkinesis.

Research Assistant, Spectrum Health Surgical Oncology 08/2018 to 07/2019
Principle Investigator: Dr. Paul Wright
Conducting a retrospective chart review on predicting the patterns of recurrence and perioperative outcomes following resection of colorectal liver metastases.

Publications and Presentations

Huston J, **Paauw M**, Orey D, et al. Travoprost Intracameral Implant: A Review on the Novel Treatment Modality for Open-Angle Glaucoma and Ocular Hypertension. *Annals of Pharmacotherapy*. 2024;0(0). 2024

Paauw M, Browning E, Shetty R, Freidl K, Koike K. Outcomes of Inferotemporal Ab-Externo Xen Gel Stent Placement Poster Presentation Christian Ophthalmology Society Meeting 2024

Williams PJ, Hussain Z, **Paauw M**, Kim C, Juzych MS, Hughes BA, Ridha F. Glaucoma Surgery Shifts Among Medicare Beneficiaries After 2022 Reimbursement Changes in the United States. J Glaucoma. 2024 Jan 1;33(1):59-64. 2024

Paauw M, Williams P, Hussain Z, Kim C, Juzych M, Hughes B, Ridha F "Glaucoma Surgery Shifts among Medicare Beneficiaries after 2022 Reimbursement Changes in the United States" Paper presentation for AAO Fall meeting 2023 2023

Paauw M "Evolving Indications for MIGS" Kresge Eye Institute Dong H Shin Lectureship in Glaucoma Presentation 2023

Paauw M Grand Rounds Case Presentation, Christian Ophthalmology Society annual national meeting June, 2023 2023

Paauw M, Diskin J, Im J, Hussain Z, Ridha F "Impact of Reimbursement Cuts to Hydrus and iStent Usage in Clinical Practice" Oral presentation Kresge Eye Institute Annual Clinical Conference: Update in Clinical Ophthalmology 2022

Awards

First Place Quality Improvement Project, Kresge Eye Institute 2023

Grand Rapids Research Day second place in transitional year group. Case Report on a patient with ocular syphilis. 2021

Memberships

American Academy of Ophthalmology
American Glaucoma Society
American Society of Cataract and Refractive Surgery
Christian Ophthalmology Society

Hobbies and Interests

My favorite way to spend time is exploring the outdoors with my amazing wife, Tamara, and our sons, August and Clay. I enjoy hiking, mountain biking, wakeboarding, and fishing. I also enjoy traveling and have had opportunities to join service trips to Mexico, Canada, Turks and Caicos, and Haiti.