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#### POSTDOCTORAL EDUCATION

1998 - 2001	<b>Resident</b> Madras Medical College, Chennai, India
2001 - 2001	<b>MRCS</b> Royal College of Surgeons Edinburgh
2001 - 2003	<b>Clinical Transplant Fellow</b> Medical University of South Carolina, Charleston, S.C.
2003 - 2008	<b>Surgical Resident</b> Medical University of South Carolina, Charleston, S.C.

#### EDUCATION

1997	<b>M.B.B.S. Medicine, Madras Medical College, India</b>
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#### LICENSURE AND CERTIFICATION

02/2021	<b>Licensure- Florida Board of Medicine.</b>
06/2005	<b>Licensure - South Carolina Board of Labor, Licensing, and Registration</b>
05/1998	<b>Licensure - Educational Commission for Foreign Medical Graduates</b>
09/2008	<b>Certification - American Board of Surgery</b>
01/2016	<b>Certification - American Board of Obesity Medicine</b> <b>Certification - American Society of Metabolic and Bariatric Surgery</b>

#### AMERICAN BOARD OF SURGERY

9/2008  
Recertified 12/2019/2021/2023

#### FACULTY APPOINTMENTS

2018 - Present	<b>Professor</b> Medical University of South Carolina, Surgery, Division of Foregut & Metabolic Surgery.
2013 - 2018	<b>Associate Professor</b> Medical University of South Carolina, Surgery, Division of GI Surgery
2008 - 2013	<b>Assistant Professor</b> Medical University of South Carolina, Surgery, Division of GI Surgery

#### ADMINISTRATIVE POSITIONS

2022- Present	<b>Division Chief Foregut &amp; Bariatric Surgery</b>
2017 - Present	<b>Medical Director Bariatric Surgery</b>

2014	Medical University of South Carolina, Surgery <b>Director of Robotic Surgery</b> Medical University of South Carolina, Surgery
2014	<b>Associate Director MUSC Healthcare Simulation Center</b> Medical University of South Carolina, Surgery
2010	<b>Director Bariatric Surgery VISN-7</b> Ralph Johnson VA Medical Center, General Surgery

#### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

07/2016	<b>Program Chair</b> State Chapter ASMBS, Program chair for Carolinas Chapter meeting ASMBS- July-2016
2019	Co-chaired Robotic Bariatric Surgery session at the Clinical Robotic Surgery Association meeting in Durham.
2019	Chaired Reoperative Bariatric Surgery course at the Annual Meeting of ASMBS,
2019	Appointed Program Chair (Video) for the 2020 Annual Meeting of the American Society of Metabolic and Bariatric Surgery
2023	Program Co-Chair ASMBS

#### INITIATIVES AND INNOVATIONS

- Performed the first Laparoscopic Duodenal Switch in South Carolina and have since added this procedure in the Bariatric Surgery Program at MUSC
- Performed the first Single Anastomosis Duodenal Switch procedure in South Carolina.

#### PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES/ASSOCIATIONS

2020-2022	<b>Chair Video Subcommittee of Program Committee, American Society of Metabolic and Bariatric Surgery.</b>
2021-2023	<b>Chair International Committee, American Society of Metabolic and Bariatric Surgery</b>
2018 - 2020	<b>North Carolina and South Carolina Chapter of ASMBS (President)</b>
2018	<b>Carolinas Chapter ASMBS (President)</b>
2018	<b>International Committee, American Society of Metabolic and Bariatric Surgery (Co-</b>
Chair.) 2018	<b>Video Committee, American Society of Metabolic and Bariatric Surgery. (Reviewer)</b>
2016 - 2018	<b>Carolinas Chapter of ASMBS (President Elect)</b>
2015 - 2016	<b>Carolinas Chapter of ASMBS (Treasurer)</b>
02/2012	<b>American Society for Metabolic &amp; Bariatric Surgery (Fellow)</b>
11/2011	<b>American College of Surgeons (Fellow)</b>
10/2007	<b>Society of American Gastrointestinal and Endoscopic Surgeons (Member)</b>
2005 - 2010	<b>Association for Academic Surgery (Member)</b>
2004	<b>Royal College of Surgeons (Member)</b>
1998	<b>Association of Surgeons of India (Member)</b>

#### EDITORIAL SERVICES

2015	<b>Surgery for Obesity and Related Disorders.</b> , Reviewer
2012 - 2014	<b>Annals of Surgery</b> , Reviewer

#### COMMITTEES

2019 - 2021	<b>SAGES Bariatric Surgery (Member)</b>
2019 - 2021	<b>SAGES Foregut Taskforce (Member)</b>

2018 **American Society for Metabolic and Bariatric Surgery (Co Chair)**  
International Committee

08/2017 - 06/2020 **International Federation for the Surgery of Obesity and Metabolic Disorders (Member)**  
Patient Safety Committee

2016 - 2019 **American Society of Metabolic and Bariatric Surgery (Member)**  
Clinical Issues Committee

2016 - 2018 **Medical University of South Carolina (Faculty Senator)**  
Faculty Senate

2012 - 2014 **American Society for Metabolic and Bariatric Surgery (Committee Member)**  
Emerging Technology and Procedures Committee

2012 - 2012 **Society of American Gastrointestinal and Endoscopic Surgeons (Grant Reviewer)**  
Grants

2010 - 2012 **Society of American Gastrointestinal and Endoscopic Surgeons (Committee Member)**  
Research and Development in Minimally Invasive Surgery Committee

2010 - 2012 **Society of American Gastrointestinal and Endoscopic Surgeons (Committee Member)**  
Bariatric Committee

#### HONORS AND AWARDS

01/2017 MUSC Physician of the Month-January 2017

2014 Awarded Paul H O'Brien Surgery Resident Teaching Award by MUSC College of Medicine

2011 Awarded Paul H O'Brien Surgery Resident Teaching Award by MUSC College of Medicine

2010 Appointed as the Conference Chair for Bariatric Surgery Update, A Regional Conference

07/2009 Nominated for Golden Apple Teaching Award

07/2008 Nominated for Faculty Excellence Award by MUSC College of Medicine Students

07/2008 Nominated for Golden Apple Teaching Award

07/2008 Nominated for Resident Award for Exemplary Teacher by the American College of Surgeons Division of Education

07/2005 Nominated for Golden Apple Teaching Award

07/2004 Max S. Rittenbury Intern of the year award by Dept. of Surgery Medical University of South Carolina

07/2001 Surgical Resident of the Year by Department of Surgery. Madras Medical College

07/1996 Dr. B. Ramamurthy Gold Medal for Outstanding Performance in Neurology and Neurosurgery

#### PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

1. Laparoscopic Assisted Endoscopic Retrograde Cholangiopancreatography after Roux-en-Y Gastric Bypass. **Pullatt R**, Friedman S, Connor C, Cote G, Byrne TK, Am Surg 2016 Sep;82(9): 259-60
2. Laparoscopic Repair of a recurrent Gastrogastric fistula after failed Transgastric closure of fistula. **Pullatt R**, Byrne TK, Connor C, Crowley N, Peterson A- Surgery for Obesity and Related Diseases, Aug 2016, Vol 12, Issue 7, Page S34
3. Management of a patient with Refractory Idiopathic Thrombocytopenia Purpura. **Pullatt R**, Patterson AL, Thomas B, Franklin A, Connor C, Am Surg. 2016 Mar;82(3):E56-7
4. Patterson A, **Pullatt R**, Transabdominal Preperitoneal Repair of Spigelian Hernia The American surgeon 82(1):18-19 · January 2016
5. Connor C, **Pullatt R**, Mesocolic Hernia: The Achilles Heel of the Retrocolic Gastric Bypass Article in The American surgeon 81(9) · August 2015
6. Franklin A, **Pullatt R**, Laparoscopic Right Hemicolectomy in a Morbidly Obese Patient Using a Medial Approach with an Intracorporeal Anastomosis The American surgeon 81(8):301-2 · July 2015
7. Godshall E, **Pullatt R** Transabdominal Preperitoneal Inguinal Hernia Repair as a Salvage Operation after Failure of Prior Total Extraperitoneal Repair The American surgeon 81(8) · July 2015
8. Johnson C, **Pullatt R** Conversion of a Remotely Performed Gastroplasty Procedure to a Roux-en-Y Gastric Bypass The American surgeon 81(8):299-300 · July 2015
9. An Elegant Operative Approach to Gastric Outlet Obstruction Following Vertical Banded Gastroplasty C Connor, S Streit, M Lockett, TC Eustis, R Pullatt, Journal of Obesity and Metabolic Research 2 (2), 111
10. **Pullatt R**, Chelsea Connor, Laparoscopic Trans abdominal Preperitoneal repair of incarcerated Spigelian Hernia- American Surgeon 2014, Sep;80(9)
11. Chelsea Connor, **Pullatt Rana**, Laparoscopic Transgastric repair of gastric polyp- American Surgeon Sep;80(9)- (Sep 2014): e263-4.
12. Pullatt R, Patel K, Byrne TK Laparoscopic repair of gastro-duodenal fistula secondary to band erosion Journal of Minimal Access Surgery 10(4):216-8 · September 2014
13. **Pullatt R**, Ashley Rickey Laparoscopic Repair of Incarcerated Femoral Hernia- American Surgeon- 8/2013 79 (6) 226-227. ,
14. **Pullatt R**, Jillard C- Sigmoid volvulus and obstruction through recurrent transverse mesocolic hernia following retrocolic-retrogastric laparoscopic gastric bypass- Am Surg 2013- Apr;79(4)

15. **Selander C**, Pullatt R, Esnaola, Pneumatosis Intestinalis after Open Jejunostomy Tube Placement. American Surgeon 2013 Feb;79(2),pp. e73- 75(3)
16. **Pullatt R**, McClain L- Spontaneous Intramural Hematoma of the ileum during low molecular weight heparin use – Am Surgeon 2013 Jan;79(1);pp e3-e5(3)
17. **Pullatt R C**, Gordon E- Treatment of Biliary Stricture- Stent vs Surgery-American Surgeon, Dec 2012;78(12),pp e510-512(3)
18. **Rana C Pullatt**, Brent Jewett-Transverse Mesocolic Hernia after Retrocolic Retrogastric Bypass. American Surgeon, June 2012
19. **Pullatt, Rana C.**, Shary, Thomas, A Purely Laparoscopic Approach to Intra-abdominal Abscess Drainage and Retrieval of Retained Penile Prosthesis Reservoir. The American Surgeon Journal. Vol 78, Number 3, March 2012, pp e162-e163(2)
20. **Pullatt, Rana C.**, Wright, A. Sharee, Ileal Diverticulitis: A Case Report; The American Surgeon Journal. Vol 78, Number 2, February 2012, pp e74-e75(2)
21. **Rana C Pullatt**, David B Adams-Selected Readings in General Surgery Biliary tract and Pancreas Vol 37 No1. 2011
22. **Pullatt R MD**, Thomas E. Brothers MD, Robinson J., Elliott B. Compromised Bypass Graft outcomes after Minimal- Incision vein harvest. Journal of Vascular Surgery Vol-44, Issue 2, 2006; 289-295.
23. Rogers J, **Pullatt R**, Aschcraft EE, Baliga PK, Chavin KD, Lin A, Emovon O, Afzal F Alvarez S, Rajagopalan P.- Long term outcome of sirolimus rescue in kidney pancreas transplantation. Transplant Proceedings- 2004, May; 36(4):1058-60.

#### BOOK CHAPTERS OR SEGMENTS OF A BOOK

1. Overview of Bariatric Surgery- Pullatt R, Hink A, Byrne TK-Principles and practice of hospital medicine S McKean, D Dressler, J Ross- McGraw Hill Professional
2. **Pullatt, Rana C.**, Adams, David B., Selected Readings in General Surgery-Pancreatic Disorders
3. **Pullatt, R.**, Byrne T.K., Perna, M., Shiromani, P., Horvath, Surgical Methods for Sleep and Obesity-Sleep and Obesity. (In Press)
4. Hammond KL, **Pullat RC**. Adjuvant Therapy and Surveillance of Colorectal Cancer. Billingham R, Bailey R, Snyder R and Stamos M (Eds.), Textbook of Colon and Rectal Surgery. Elsevier; 2013
5. Rajagopalan PR, **Pullatt R**, Rogers J, Chavin KD, Baillie M, Gautreaux M, Lin A, Baliga Cadaveric Renal Transplantation in African-Americans in South Carolina, Clinical Transplants 2001, 143-147

#### BOOKS AND MONOGRAPHS

1. Video Atlas of Laparoscopic Surgery- Vol 2 - Complications and Revisions in Bariatric Surgery- Editor and Lead Author.
2. Video Atlas of Operative Surgery- Vol-1- Bariatric Surgery-Lead Contributor and Editor- **Pullatt R** ISBN-13: 978-9351529354

#### PRESENTATIONS

1. Course Director- Mastery of Revision in Bariatric Surgery- American Society for Metabolic and Bariatric Surgery- Annual Congress Obesity week- 2019- Las Vegas.
2. Best way to access the GI Tract following Bariatric Surgery- American Society for Metabolic and Bariatric Surgery- Annual Congress Obesity week- 2019- Las Vegas.
3. Session Chair- Operative Bariatric Disasters-American Society for Metabolic and Bariatric Surgery- Annual Congress Obesity week- 2019- Las Vegas.
4. Laparoscopic Reversal of a Gastric Bypass for Shortgut from a Missed Internal Hernia-Top 10 presentation-American Society for Metabolic and Bariatric Surgery- Annual Congress Obesity week- 2019- Las Vegas.
5. Laparoscopic Resection of Excluded Stomach for Incidental GIST Tumor- Podium presentation-American Society for Metabolic and Bariatric Surgery- Annual Congress Obesity week- 2019- Las Vegas.
6. Chair- Oral Session - 24th International Federation for the Society of Obesity and Metabolic Disorders World Congress- Madrid- 2019.
7. Panelist The Duel of the Heaviest: Best Performance at the Superobese Level- 24th IFSO World Congress- Madrid-2019
8. Presented and Moderated session on 'Explantation of a Magnetic Sphincter Augmentation Device- Is this the future?' at the 24th International Federation for the Surgery of Obesity and Metabolic Disorders World Congress-Madrid-2019
9. Robot assisted Revision of a Refractory Gastrojejunal stricture after a RYGBP- Top 10 Video Presentation- 24th International Federation for the Society of Obesity and Metabolic Disorders World Congress- Madrid- 2019.
10. Course Director -Invited Robotic Bariatric Surgery session- ASMBS Obesity Weekend meeting-Chicago-2019
11. Invited speaker and panelist in the Interactive symposium on Robotics in Bariatric Surgery-ASMBS Obesity Weekend meeting-Chicago-2019
12. Chair- Experts Panel Forum- Should Patients undergoing Laparoscopic Sleeve Gastrectomy have Endoscopic Surveillance- IBC World Congress- Oxford University-2019
13. Chair-Experts Forum Video Session- Intraoperative Challenges in Laparoscopic Sleeve Gastrectomy- IBC World Congress - Oxford University-2019
14. Laparoscopic repair of a Giant Hiatal Hernia- Plenary session presentation- South Eastern Surgical Congress Annual Meeting- 2019-Charlotte.
15. Robot assisted Median Arcuate ligament release-Oral Presentation-South Eastern Surgical Congress Annual Meeting-Charlotte-2019
16. Laparoscopic Nissen Fundoplication with the excluded stomach for Recalcitrant GERD after Roux en Y Gastric Bypass. Podium presentation at ASMBS Obesity Week 2018
17. Gastrogastric anastomosis for Twisted Sleeve- Podium presentation ASMBS Annual meeting 2018
18. Laparoscopic Roux-en-Y Fistulojejunostomy for a chronic Sleeve leak with fistulojejunostomy- Podium presentation at ASMBS Obesity week 2018.
19. Laparoscopic Biliopancreatic Diversion with Duodenal switch- Technical considerations in High BMI Patients- Podium Presentation ASMBS Annual meeting 2018
20. Emergent Laparoscopic Perforation from a Bougie dilation in the setting of a Hiatal Hernia- Podium Presentation American College of Surgeons Clinical Congress- Boston 2018
21. Laparoscopic Reversal of a Gastric Bypass for Recalcitrant Hypoglycemia- Annual Clinical Congress- American College of Surgeons-2018, Boston
22. Laparoscopic Conversion of a Banded Gastric Plication for a Slipped Plication- Podium Presentation-Annual Clinical Congress American College of Surgeons-2018- Boston
23. Laparoscopic Antrectomy with Billroth II reconstruction for Refractory Gastric outlet Obstruction from Peptic Ulcer Disease-Annual Clinical Congress-

- American College of Surgeons-2018- Boston
24. Ideal Training cases for Robotic Surgery in a Residency Program- Clinical Robotic Surgery association meeting- Hong Kong-2018
  25. Applications and limitations of Robotics in Bariatric Surgery- Clinical Robotic Surgery Association Annual Congress- Hong Kong-2018
  26. Complications of Bariatric Surgery Session- Speaker and Panelist- 23rd International Federation for the Surgery of Obesity and Metabolic Disease World Wide Congress- Dubai-2018
  27. Laparoscopic Revision for GJ stricture and Hiatal Hernia after RYGBP- Speaker and Panelist- 23rd International Federation for the Surgery of Obesity and Metabolic Disease World Wide Congress- Dubai-2018
  28. Management Strategy of Bariatric Surgery Complications- Keynote Lecture- Asia Pacific Metabolic and Bariatric Surgery Congress- 2018-Tokyo
  29. Bariatric Complications Horror show- Asia Pacific Metabolic and bariatric Surgery Congress- Tokyo-2018
  30. Laparoscopic Conversion of a Sleeved Nissen Fundoplication to an esophagojejunostomy- Podium Presentation ASMBS, TOS- Obesity week Nov 2017
  31. Laparoscopic Conversion to Roux en Y Gastric Bypass after failed magnetic sphincter augmentation for GERD- Podium Presentation ASMBS, TOS- Obesity Week- Nov 2017
  32. Laparoscopic takedown of a Recurrent Gastrojejunocolic fistula after a Gastric Bypass- ASMBS, TOS- Obesity Week- Nov 2017
  33. Robotic Redo Heller Myotomy after Laparoscopic Heller Myotomy in a patient with recurrent Achalasia after a Roux en Y Gastric Bypass- ASMBS, TOS- Obesity Week- Nov 2017
  34. Robot assisted TAPP Repair of a Spigelian Hernia- Podium Presentation- ACS Annual Clinical Congress- Oct 2017
  35. Robot assisted Repair of Grynfelt Leshaft Hernia- Podium Presentation-ACS Annual Clinical Congress- Oct 2017
  36. Robot assisted Harvest of a Deep Inferior Epigastric perforator flap. ACS Clinical Congress Podium presentation- Oct 2017
  37. Laparoscopic repair of a Recurrent GJ Stricture and Hiatal Hernia- ACS Clinical Congress Podium presentation- Oct 2017
  38. Metabolic Surgery- Current status and future implications- Endocrine Grand Rounds- Medical University of South Carolina-Apr 2017
  39. Panel Chair and Invited Speaker for the Session on Complex Reoperative Bariatric Surgery- IFSO- Asia Pacific Chapter- Goa, India.- Apr 2017
  40. Approach to Challenging cases in Foregut and Bariatric Surgery- Grand Rounds- Spartanburg Regional Medical center- Feb 2017
  41. Laparoscopic repair of a recurrent Gastrogastric fistula after failed Transgastric closure of fistula- ASMBS, TOS, Obesity week- Nov 2016.
  42. Gastroesophageal (GE) junction perforation repair after dilation for GE junction stricture- Podium presentation ACS Annual Clinical Congress - Oct 2016
  43. Intra gastric Resection of GE Junction mass- Podium Presentation ACS Annual Clinical Congress - Washington DC- Oct 2016
  44. Laparoscopic repair of an Incarcerated Diaphragmatic Hernia- Podium Presentation ACS Annual Clinical Congress Oct 2016- Washington DC
  45. Transabdominal Preperitoneal (TAPP) repair Richter's Hernia- Podium Presentation ACS Annual Clinical Congress Oct 2016- Washington DC
  46. Invited speaker on Bariatric Surgery at the 22nd Annual Diabetes Fall Symposium- Sep 2016
  47. Guest speaker to the French National Obesity Congress- Soffco- Nice- June 2016- Roperations in bariatric Surgery.
  48. Robot Assisted SIPS- Association of VA Surgeons Annual meeting- Virginia Beach- Apr 2016
  49. Repair of a Giant Hiatal Hernia with an Intrathoracic Stomach- Association of VA surgeons Annual Meeting- Virginia Beach.- Apr 2016
  50. Robotic Conversion of Sleeve Gastrectomy to Roux-en-Y Gastric Bypass- Association of VA surgeons Annual Meeting- Virginia Beach- Apr 2016
  51. Laparoscopic assisted ERCP after Roux en Y Gastric Bypass - South Eastern Surgical Congress- Atlanta- Feb 2016
  52. Chairperson for Panelists in Live Surgery Demonstration- OSSICON 2016- Feb 2016- Chandigarh- India
  53. Reversing a Gastric Bypass- OSSICON 2016-FEB 2016, Chandigarh, India
  54. Bariatric Surgery Complications- Learn from the Experts talk- South Eastern Surgical Congress- Atlanta, Georgia- Feb 2016
  55. Laparoscopic Revision of a Gastric Bypass for a recalcitrant Gastrojejunal stricture and a hiatal hernia- Video Session A- American Society of Metabolic and Bariatric Surgeons- Annual Meeting- Nov-2015- San Francisco
  56. Robotic assisted TAPP Hernia is an ideal index case for teaching Robotic Surgery in a general surgery Residency program- American College of Surgeons- Clinical congress- Podium presentation- Chicago- October-2015
  57. Gastroesophageal perforation after dilation for GE junction stricture- American College of Surgeons- Clinical congress- Podium presentation- Chicago- October 2015
  58. Bariatric Surgery and Diabetes- MUSC Division of Endocrinology- Grand Rounds- Aug 2015
  59. Robot Assisted Gastric Bypass- American College of Surgeons- Carolinas Chapter Meeting- Pinehurst, North Carolina- July 2015
  60. Panelist on Sleeve Gastrectomy in OSSICON 2015- Mumbai India
  61. Laparoscopic Repair of a Large retrocolic Internal hernia after a Gastric bypass- Bryan Thomas, Pullatt R- South Eastern Surgical Congress- Feb-2015, Chattanooga Tennessee
  62. TAPP repair Incarcerated Spigelian Hernia- AL Patterson, Pullatt R- South Eastern Surgical Congress- Feb-2015, Chattanooga Tennessee
  63. Keynote Lecture On Revisional Bariatric Surgery- OSSICON January 2015
  64. Laparoscopic Management of Gastric band erosion causing Gastroduodenal fistula- Video session A- ASMBS – NOV 2014, Boston- Podium Presentation.
  65. Laparoscopic Conversion of a Non divided Gastric bypass to a divided gastric bypass for a gastrogastric fistula- Video Session B- ASMBS-NOV-2014, Boston- Podium presentation.
  66. TAPP Repair of Spigelian Hernia- American College of Surgeons-Clinical congress-Podium presentation- OCT-2014, San Francisco
  67. TAPP Hernia repair as a salvage operation after TEPP and open hernia failure- American College of Surgeons- Clinical congress- Podium presentation- OCT-2014, San Francisco
  68. Management of Gastroduodenal fistula after gastric band- American College of Surgeons-Clinical congress- Podium presentation- OCT-2014, San Francisco
  69. Grand Rounds- Advanced Laparoscopic Surgery- SRM Medical College Hospital and Research Center- Feb 2014, Potheri- India
  70. Advances in Bariatric Surgery- IAGES- Chennai, India Feb 2014
  71. Intraluminal Surgery- IAGES, Chennai, India- Feb 2014
  72. Why I use the Robot for Hernia- IAGES, Chennai- Feb 2014
  73. Robotic TAPP Hernia- South Eastern Surgical Congress- Feb 2014, Savannah, Georgia.
  74. Laparoscopic Repair of Incarcerated Femoral Hernia- American College of Surgeons Clinical Congress Podium Presentation –Oct 2013, Washington D.C
  75. Complications in Revisional Bariatric Surgery- American College of Surgeons Clinical Congress Podium Presentation- Oct 2013- Washington D.C
  76. Slipped band with necrotic stomach requiring Roux en Y Esophagojejunostomy- SAGES- Baltimore April 2013
  77. Early Postoperative Obstruction after a Laparoscopic Gastric Bypass- South Eastern Surgical Congress Jacksonville- Feb 2013
  78. Laparoscopic management of an Intussusception of the Large bowel with a Laparoscopic Left Colectomy.- South Eastern Surgical Congress- Jacksonville- Feb 2013
  79. Laparoscopic Cholecystectomy in a patient with advanced cirrhosis- South Eastern Surgical Congress- Jacksonville-Feb 2013.

80. Laparoscopic Repair of a Giant Sliding Hernia- American College of Surgeons Clinical Congress Podium Presentation- October 2012- Chicago
81. Endoluminal Closure of a Gastro Gastric Fistula-American College of Surgeons- Clinical Congress-Podium Presentation- October 2012- Chicago
82. Laparoscopic Repair and Mesh Excision for Recurrent Inguinal Hernia-American College of Surgeons- Clinical Congress Podium Presentation- October-2012 -Chicago
83. Laparoscopic Obstruction at Transverse Mesocolon after Gastric Bypass- Society of Laparoscopic Surgeons- Annual Meeting- September 2012- Boston
84. Conversion of Sleeve Gastrectomy to a Roux-en-Y Gastric Bypass in a recurrent hiatal hernia- SAGES- March 2012- San Deigo
85. Transverse Mesocolic Hernia after Gastric Bypass- South Eastern Surgical Congress- February -2012, Birmingham
86. "Ileal Diverticulitis", Southeastern Surgical Congress Conference, Alabama, Feb 2012
87. "A Purely Laparoscopic Approach to Intra-abdominal Abscess Drainage and Retrieval of Retained Penile Prothesis Reservoir", Southeastern Surgical Congress Conference, Alabama- Feb 2012
88. "Update on Bariatric Surgery", Ralph Johnson VAMC, Family Medicine Grand Rounds, Apr 2011
89. How to do it: Transabdominal Laparoscopic Repair of a Huge Sliding Inguinal Hernia, Annual Post Graduate Course, Medical University of South Carolina, Apr 2011
90. Spartanburg Grand Rounds, Spartanburg Regional Medical Center. "Bariatric Surgery Complications for General Surgeons- Apr 2011
91. GI Medicine Grand Rounds, Medical University of South Carolina."Laparoscopic Surgery": The Past, Present and Future. Mar 2011
92. Surgical Grand Rounds, Stanley Medical College, India, "Bariatric Surgery"- Jan 2011
93. Surgical Grand Rounds, Medical University of South Carolina."Laparoscopic Inguinal Hernia Surgery: "Current Evidence and Technique Aug 2010
94. How to do it: "Laparoscopic Repair of Large Sliding Hemia. Annual Postgraduate Course in Surgery", Medical University of South Carolina- Apr 2010
95. Presented Bariatric Surgery Update at the SAGES(Society of American Gastrointestina and Endoscopic Surgery) Conference in Connecticut- Jan 2010
96. Laparoscopic Colectomy", Surgical Grand Rounds, Medical University of South Carolina- Dec 2009
97. Laparoscopic Colon Surgery: The VA experience, GI Medicine Grand Rounds, Medical University of South Carolina, OCT 2009
98. What is the best way to fix an inguinal hernia, Surgical Grand Rounds, Medical University of South Carolina- September 2009
99. Compromised Graft outcomes after minimal access vein harvest for revascularization of lower extremity, Southern Association of Vascular Surgery- July 2006
100. Donor coronary angiograph leads to increased delayed graft function in cadaver kidneys, Transplant Fellows Conference sponsored by Sangstat, Phoenix, Arizona-2002 July

#### ABSTRACT (NON-PRESENTATION)

1. What is the best way to fix an inguinal hernia, Surgical Grand Rounds, Medical University of South Carolina
2. Rogers J, Baliga PK, **Pullatt R**, Chavin KD, Lin A, Emovon O, Afzal F, Taber DJ, Baillie GM, Aschcraft EE, Rajagopalan PR- Long term pancreas graft survival exceeds long term kidney graft survival in simultaneous kidney pancreas transplantation. Differential effect of chronic calcineurin inhibitor therapy? American Transplant Congress, 2003, Suppl 5 (3):322-3
3. Periyasamy B, Rogers J, **Pullatt R**, Cochran J, Habib D, Tecklenburg F, Alvarez S, Lin AChavin KD, Baliga PK,- Pediatric Fulminant Hepatic failure- A single center report, Rio de Janerio. April 5-9, 2003
4. Donor coronary angiograph leads to increased delayed graft function in cadaver kidneys, Transplant Fellows Conference sponsored by Sangstat, Phoenix, Arizona
5. **Pullatt R** Coronary angiography- A negative prognostic factor for renal transplants at the Sangstat annual transplants fellows conference in Dallas, Texas, March 2002
6. Baliga PK, Baillie GM, Sill T, **Pullatt R**, Kirtz J, Shafizidah SF, Rogers J, Lin A, Rajagopalan PR, Chavin KD- Donor Coronary Angiography leads to increased kidney delayed graft function- Transplants 2001, Chicago, IL.
7. Ansari M, Ahmed d, **Pullatt R**- Role of electrogastrography and anal manometry in the management of functional fecal retention in children. International college of surgeons conference Kaulalumpur June 2001.
8. Gunasagaran T, **Pullatt R**, -Familial Breast cancer our series at the National Conference of the Association of Surgeons of India in Delhi- December 2000
9. Gunasagaran T, **Pullatt R**- A retrospective review of branchial anomalies at the 22<sup>nd</sup> Annual State conference of the Association of Surgeons of India in Delhi- Dec 2000.
10. Gunasagaran T, **Pullatt R**, - Solitary Rectal ulcer syndrome- our series at the 22<sup>nd</sup> Annual State conference of the Association of Surgeons of India- August 2000

#### PRODUCTS OR PATENTS

1. Video Atlas of Operative Surgery- Vol 1- Bariatric Surgery- **Pullatt R** - Publisher- Jaypee Brothers-ISBN-13: 978-9351529354
2. **Media For Surgeons**-Pullatt, Rana C. Atlas of Operative Laparoscopic Surgery.The 40th Annual Postgraduate Course in Surgery, MUSC.
3. **Media For Surgeons**-Pullatt RC. DVD Atlas of Operative Laparoscopic Surgery. Medical University of South Carolina

#### TEACHING EXPERIENCE/CURRICULUM DEVELOPMENT

2014	Developed and implemented Robotic Surgery Curriculum for MUSC Surgery Residents
2014	Developed and Implemented training pathway and Proctorship in Robotic Surgery Training for Attending Surgeons.
2014	Developed a Video Curriculum of Surgical Procedures for General Surgery Residents and Medical Students
2014	Developed and implemented the Flexible Endoscopy simulation curriculum for MUSC Surgery Residents.

2014	Developed the Transition to Practice fellowship Curriculum under the auspices of the American College of Surgeons and got MUSC approved for a TTP fellowship spot.
2010	Instructed Surgeons on Advanced Laparoscopic Surgery procedures in Animal Lab under SAGES umbrella in Cleveland
2010	Appointed as SAGES instructor for Advanced Laparoscopic Surgery. SAGES(Premier National Organization for Advanced Laparoscopic Surgery)
2008	Undergraduate Medical Education: Junior Clerkship Preceptor for 3rd year medical students-MUSC

#### MENTORING ACTIVITIES

2016 - 2016	<b>Proctored attending Surgeon Dr Karl Byrne in Robotic Surgery to enable Dr Byrne to complete the Robotic Surgery training pathway and obtain Robotic Surgery privileges at MUSC</b> Medical University of South Carolina
2016 - 2016	<b>Proctored attending Surgeon Dr Katherine Morgan in Robotic Surgery to facilitate Dr Morgan obtaining Robotic Surgery Privileges at MUSC.</b> Medical University of South Carolina
2016 - 2016	<b>Proctored Surgical Oncologist Dr Andrea Abbott in Robotic Surgery which resulted in Dr Abbott getting Robotic Surgery Privileges in MUSC</b> Medical University of South Carolina
2016	<b>Current mentor and proctor for Trauma Surgeon Marcie Dorlon in Advanced Laparoscopic Surgery</b> Medical University of South Carolina
2015	<b>Mentored and proctored Transplant Surgeon Dr Charles Bratton in Robotic Surgery</b> Medical University of South Carolina
2015	<b>Mentored Trauma Surgeon Dr Brent Jewett in Robotic Surgery</b> Medical University of South Carolina
2014	<b>Mentored Proctored and Certified Twenty Chief residents who have Graduated from MUSC in Robotic Surgery.</b> Medical University of South Carolina

#### CLINICAL INTERESTS

- ▮ Minimally invasive surgery: Interest in advanced laparoscopic surgery and innovative techniques. Involvement in education of minimally invasive surgery
- ▮ Bariatric: Interest in weight loss surgery, including laparoscopic and open gastric bypass, laparoscopic adjustable gastric banding, and laparoscopic sleeve gastrectomy.
- ▮ Robotic Foregut and Bariatric Surgery, Robotic Hernia Surgery
- ▮ Duodenal Switch, Currently only Surgeon in South Carolina offering Lap BPD-DS

#### TEACHING INTERESTS

- ▮ Flexible Endoscopy
- ▮ Robotic Surgery
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