

# Pedro P. Maria

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## **Education**

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- 7/2008-6/2009 Fellow Endourology/Laparoscopy/Robotic Surgery  
Montefiore Hospital
- 7/2003-6/2008 Albert Einstein Medical Center/ Hahnemann University Hospital/ PCOM  
Urology Residency
- 7/2002-6/2003 Mercy Fitzgerald Hospital  
Transitional Year Surgery Intern
- 8/1998-6/2002 Philadelphia College of Osteopathic Medicine  
D.O June 2002
- 7/1996-7/1997 Columbia University  
Graduate Courses
- 7/1991-6/1996 Lehman College, CUNY. New York  
B.A., Major: Biology
- 9/1984-1/1988 Hostos Community College, CUNY. New York  
A.A.S., Major: Nursing

## **RESIDENCY AFFILIATIONS**

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- Thomas Jefferson University – Endourology  
Demetrius Bagley, M.D.
- The Children’s Hospital of Philadelphia – Pediatric Urology  
Doug Canning, M.D.
- Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center  
Joel Sheinfeld, M.D.

## **ABSTRACTS/ PRESENTATIONS**

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M. Feder, A, Hakimi, **P. Maria**, D. Hoenig, R. Ghavamian. *Comparison of Open and Laparoscopic Partial Nephrectomy in Obese and Nonobese Patients: Outcomes Stratified by Body Mass Index.*

AUA Meeting, Chicago April 2009

B. Mason, C. Alwayay, **P. Maria**, R. Ghavamian. *Challenging Robot Assisted Laparoscopic Radical Prostatectomies.*

*AUA Meeting, Video Session, Chicago April 2009.*

P. Maria, R C. Harkaway, J D. Harmon, L Solish and P C. Ginsberg. *Circumcision May Improve Premature Ejaculation in the Uncircumcised Male.*

Mid- Atlantic AUA section meeting September 2008

**P. Maria**, K.F. McGinley, and R. C. Harkaway “Transurethral Resection of the Prostate: A Comparison of Practice Patterns in the Usage of the Gold Standard for the Management of Benign Prostatic Hypertrophy (1989-2005)”  
Philadelphia Urological Society 2007.

Philadelphia Urological Society Residency Research Competition 2007

**P. Maria**, P.C Ginsberg, R.C Harkaway, M.Metro, and B.Mark.”Radical Retropubic Prostatectomy in the Obese Patient”

Philadelphia Urological Society Residency Research Competition 2006

M. Mooreville, **P. Maria**, “Effect of Interstitial Laser Coagulation on Prostate Volume over Time and Volume-Based Prediction of Treatment Plan”.

Chicago AUA Annual Meeting 2003.

*The Journal of Urology: Supplement Vol. 169, No. 4 2003*

Philadelphia Urological Society Residency Research Competition 2003

**P. Maria**, P.C Ginsberg, R.C Harkaway, “Changes in Patient Characteristics and Results for Men Undergoing Transurethral Resection of the Prostate: 1989 vs. 1999”

Anaheim, CA AUA Annual Meeting 2001

*The Journal of Urology: Supplement Vol. 165, No 5 2001*

Philadelphia Urological Society Residency Research Competition 2001

## **Honors/Awards**

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- 6/04 Surgical intern of the year at Albert Einstein Medical Center
- 5/01 Dr. Thomas M. Rowland, Jr. Memorial Scholarship  
Merit for deserving medical students
- 5/01 Robert Wood Johnson Scholarship Foundation  
Merit for deserving PCOM medical students
- 5/01 Bernard F. Master, D.O. Scholarship  
Merit for good academic achievement and intention to practice in an urban  
undeserved area
- 3/01 Sigma Sigma Phi, Osteopathic Honor Society
- 10/99 PCOM Minority Scholarship Award  
Merit award to an outstanding minority student
- 1996 Employee of the Month at Columbia Presbyterian Medical Center: Allen Pavilion
- 1996 Member of the ADB (admissions, discharge and billing) Reengineering  
committee at Columbia Presbyterian Medical Center
- 1987 Roster of Outstanding Minority Students in the United States
- 1987 Scholarship for Harvard University Summer Program
- 1986 Phi Beta Kappa

## **Employment**

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- 7/2002-6/2003 Surgical intern at Mercy Fitzgerald Hospital, Darby PA
- 6/1999-8/1999 Student Researcher, Department of Neurology, Beth Israel Medical Center
- 2/1988-8/1998 Staff Nurse at Columbia Presbyterian Medical Center in the areas of:  
Neurosurgery/Neurology, Medicine, Geriatrics, Orthopedics, Surgery, GYN, and  
Urology

## **Extracurricular**

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- 9/1998 – 9/2001 West Philadelphia High School Health Fair  
Stetson Middle School lecture in Guns and Violence  
Taught Medical Spanish to medical students  
Member of the surgery club during medical school
- 1996 – 2001 Columbia Presbyterian Medical Center Health Fair

## **Professional Memberships**

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American Osteopathic Board of Surgery

POMA , Pennsylvania Osteopathic Medical Association

American Osteopathic association

American College of Osteopathic Surgeons

## **Personal**

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Fluent in English and Spanish

Hobbies: Reading Spanish Literature, Cooking, Boxing