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EDUCATION AND TRAINING

Undergraduate

1964-1970 University of Illinois B.S. 1970 Biology
Chicago, Illinois

Graduate

1970-1973 Texas Southern University M.S. 1973 Biology
Houston, Texas

1974-1980 University of Iowa Ph.D. 1980 Anatomy
Iowa City, Iowa

Post-Graduate

1980-1982 University of California Postdoctoral Molecular
Riverside, California Trainee Cellular
Endocrinology

APPOINTMENTS AND POSITIONS

Academic

1970-1972 Texas Southern University Teaching Assistant
Houston, Texas

1972-1973	Texas Southern University Houston, Texas	Instructor
1973-1978	Department of Anatomy University of Iowa Iowa City, Iowa	Teaching Assistant
1982-1988	Department of Neurobiology Anatomy and Cell Science University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania	Assistant Professor
1988-1993	Department of Neurobiology Anatomy and Cell Science University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania	Associate Professor
1991-1992	Scripps Research Institute Molecular Biology La Jolla, California	Sabbatical (Dr. Norton B. Gilula's laboratory)
1993-1999	Department of Cell Biology University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine Pittsburgh, PA	Associate Professor
July - August, 1995	Communications Cellulaires et Differentiation Hopital Debrousse (INSERM-INRA U 418) LYON FRANCE	Visiting Scientist
May - June 1996	Minister of Defense Health Officers Institute Addis Ababa, Ethiopia	Adjunct Professor
October 1999 - Present	Department of Cell Biology University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine Pittsburgh, PA	Professor
June – August, 2001	Department of Pediatrics, Obstetrics and Medicine of Reproduction University of Siena Siena, Italy	Visiting Scientist

June 2016 – Clinical and Translational Science Institute, Professor/Joint Appointment
 University of Pittsburgh
 Pittsburgh, Pa

MEMBERSHIPS IN PROFESSIONAL AND SCIENTIFIC SOCIETIES

American Society for Cell Biology, Minorities Affairs Committee	1995-Present
American Society for Cell Biology, Council	1998-2001
Society for In Vitro Biology, Member	1986-2000
The Pittsburgh Cancer Institute, Member	1986-2000
Corporation of the Marine Biological Laboratory, Woods Hole, MA, Member	1990-Present
Cell Transplant Society, Member	1991-1999
The Endocrine Society, Student Affairs Committee	1991-Present
Minorities Affairs Committee	1996-1998
Chairman, International Science & Engineering Fair Judges 1997	1998-2000
Publications Committee	2000-2004
American Physiological Society, Member	1996-2001
International Society for Preventive Oncology, Member	1999-2003
PAIR UP: Diversity, Equity & Inclusion: Cultural Identity Vanderbilt Biophotonics Center Workshop Funding Opportunities Committee Executive Committee	2021-Present

HONORS

Achievement Leadership and Character Award for outstanding contribution to Texas Southern University.	1971-72
Research Award - Beta Kappa Chi National Science Meeting, Bishop College, Dallas, Texas.	1972
Research Award - Beta Beta Beta Biological Honor Society, Southwest and Central District Convention, Hunt Texas.	1972
Ford Foundation National Fellowship Fund Dissertation Year Grant.	1977-78
Nominated for the Chancellor's Distinguished Teaching Award.	1983-84
The American Society for Cell Biology - Travel Grant to invited speakers to the Third International Congress on Cell Biology, Tokyo, Japan.	1984

Japanese National Institute of Physiological Science - Travel Award for the International Symposia on Intercellular Junctions, Okazaki, Japan.	1984
American Society for Cell Biology Travel Award for the American Society for Cell Biology Annual Meeting, Atlanta, Georgia	1985
American Society of Biological Chemists - Travel Grant to the 13th International Union of Biochemistry (IUB) Congress in Amsterdam, The Netherlands.	1985
American Society of Cell Biology - Award to do research at the Marine Biological Laboratories, Woods Hole, Massachusetts.	Summer, 1986-1990
American Society of Cell Biology - Award for training course entitled "Molecular Endocrinology and Techniques for Hormone Action" Baylor College of Medicine, Houston, Texas.	1988
Recipient of 1989 SNMA Outstanding Faculty Award - Medical Black Bag Award.	1989
Saluted by the National Technical Association of Scientists and Engineers as one of the <i>Top 50 Minority Women Scientists</i> .	1996
McDonald Award in my name presented to talented students for Academic Excellence.	1995-1996
City of Pittsburgh City Council Achievement Award	1996
The Howard University Distinguished Scientists Outstanding Achievement Award for Contributions to the Field of Cell Biology	1996
Named the 15th Daniel T. Rolfe Scholars Lecture-MeHarry Medical College, Nashville Tenn.	1996
Nomination to run and Elected to the Council of the American Society for Cell Biology	1998
City of Pittsburgh Trailblazer Award	
American Society of Cell Biology E.E. Just Award	2004
Science 2008 Conference, First Place Award for Poster Presentation	2008
University of Pittsburgh African American Alumni Council Sankofa Award for Mentoring	2008
Received the Mentor of the Year Award from The Institute of Teaching	2014

and Mentoring.

Nominated for the Presidential Award for Excellence in Science, Mathematics, and Engineering Mentoring, 2015

2020 TecBio Outstanding Mentor of the Year Award from NSF Sponsored Training and Experimentation in Computational Biology Program, Department Of Computational and Systems Biology, University of Pittsburgh 2020

Nominated and Introduced Dr. Kissimer Colbett for the ASCB EE Just Award for her contributions in the development of the Covid-19 Vaccine (Moderna) 2021

Serving on the ASCB MAC Award Nomination and Selection Committee 2021

Facilitated the Advocate Tool Box Session at the national ASCB meeting for preparing Scientist to be Advocates, ASCB Public Policy Committee Initiative 2021

Nominated for the Presidential Award for Excellence in Science, Mathematics, and Engineering Mentoring, 2021

Featured in the following (partial list):

No Universal Constants: Personal Stories of Women in Science and Engineering, (B. Lazarus, S. Ambrose and I. Nair) Temple University Press.

Distinguished African American Scientists of the 20th Century. The Oryx Press of Phoenix, Arizona.

Journal of the NTA National Technical Association. Sept. 1996

Profile in the American Society for Cell Biology News Letter Vol. 20, number 6, June 1997
https://www.ascb.org/wp-content/uploads/2009/04/Sandra_murray.pdf

and EE Just Award Recipient News Letter profile, 2004-
<https://www.ascb.org/society-news/mac-e-e-just-lectureship-2004/>

Featured in the Diversity Video produced by the University of Pittsburgh.

Profile Featured in *Notable Black American Scientists*, (Kristine Krapp), 1998
Gale Cengage.

Profile Featured in *Science, Math and Invention*, 2003
(Ray Spangenburg and Kit Moser), Facts on file, Inc.

Featured in Blue, Gold, & Black, 2010
<http://www.chancellor-emeritus.pitt.edu/sites/default/pdfs/BlueGoldBlack2004.pdf>

Selected by NIH as one of the Biomedical Faces of Science Mentors	2010- Present
Profile Featured in <i>American Women of Science Since 1900, Volume 1</i> , Tiffany K Wayne, ABC-CLIO, LLC	2011
Profile featured in NSF Molecular and Cellular Biology Newsletter Blog for Principal Investigator Spotlight https://nsfmcbl.wordpress.com/2015/01/15/principal-investigator-spotlight-dr-sandra-murray/	2015

PUBLICATIONS

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1. Decker, R., Donta, S.T., Larsen, W.J., and **Murray, S.A.** Gap junctions and ACTH sensitivity in Y-1 adrenal tumor cells. **J. Supramolecular Structure** 9:497-507, 1978.
2. Larsen, W.J., Tung, H., **Murray, S.A.**, and Swenson, C.A. Evidence for the participation of actin microfilaments and bristle coats in the internalization of gap junction membrane. **J. Cell Biol.** 83:576-587, 1979.
3. **Murray, S.A.**, Larsen, W.J., Trout, J., and Donta, S.T. Gap junction assembly and endocytosis correlated with patterns of growth in a cultured adrenocortical tumor cell (SW-13). **Cancer Res.** 41:4063-4073, 1981.
4. **Murray, S.A.** and Fletcher, W.H. Multiparameter morphology as a means of specifically identifying hormone stimulated adrenal cortical tumor cells (Y-1) and granulosa cells in coculture. **Scanning Electron Microscopy** 1:401-407, 1984.
5. **Murray, S.A.**, and Fletcher, W.H. Hormone induced intercellular signal transfer dissociates cAMP-dependent protein kinase. **J. Cell Biol.** 98:1710-1720, 1984.
6. **Murray, S.A.**, Byus, C.V., and Fletcher, W.H. Intracellular kinetics of free catalytic units dissociated from adenosine 3',5'-monophosphate-dependent protein kinase in adrenocortical tumor cells (Y-1). **Endocrinology** 116:364-374, 1985.
7. **Murray, S.A.**, and Fletcher, W.H. Cyclic-AMP-dependent protein kinase mediated desensitization of adrenal tumour cells. **Molecular and Cellular Endocrinology** 47:153-161, 1986.
8. **Murray, S.A.**, Champ, C., and Lagenaur, C. Ultrastructural localization of cyclic adenosine 3',5'-monophosphate-dependent protein kinase after adrenocorticotropin stimulation in adrenal cortical tumor cells. **Endocrinology** 120: 1921-1927, 1987.
9. **Murray, S.A.**, and Taylor, F. Dibutyryl cyclic AMP modulation of gap junctions in SW-13 human adrenal cortical tumor cells. **Amer. J. Anat.** 181:141-148, 1988.
10. **Murray, S.A.**, and Tung, H.N. Effects of cytochalasin B and colchicine on the morphology of SW-13 human adrenal cortical tumor cells in culture. **Scanning Microscopy** 2:1079-1087, 1988.
11. **Murray, S.A.**, and Polizotto, S. Characterization of the morphological growth, and steroidogenic effect of TPA on mouse Y-1 adrenal cortical tumor cells in culture. **Amer. J. Anat.** 183:166-177, 1988.

12. Hernandez, W., Berry, D., Baccetti, B., Ahluwalia, B., **Murray, S.A.**, and Anderson, W.A. Remodelling of the nucleocytoplasm as a consequence of the acrosomal reaction of the spider crab sperm. **J. Submicrosc. Cytol. Pathol.** 21:163-186, 1989.
13. Billiar, T.R., Curran, R.D., Stuehr, D.J., Stadler, J., Simmons, R.L., and **Murray, S.A.** Inducible cytosolic enzyme activity for the production of nitrogen oxides from L-arginine in hepatocytes. **Biochem. Biophys. Res. Comm.** 168:1034-1090, 1990.
14. **Murray, S.A.**, Gesiotto, J., Perez, R., Baccetti, B., and Anderson, W. Polyethylene glycol induced fusion of crustacean and rat liver cells in culture. **Comparative Spermatology 20 Years After** 75:575-579, 1991.
15. McCauley, J., Farkas II, Z., Prasad, S.J., Plummer III, H.K. and **Murray, S.A.** Cyclosporine A and FK 506 induced inhibition of renal epithelial cell proliferation. **Trans. Proceedings** 23:2829-2830, 1991.
16. Prasad, S.J., McCauley, J., Salama, G., Starzl, T.E., and **Murray, S.A.** *In vitro* effect of CyA and FK 506 on the rabbit renal cortex. **Trans. Proceedings** 23:3128-3129, 1991.
17. McCauley, J., Studer, R., Craven, P., and **Murray, S.A.** The effects of cyclosporine A, cyclosporine G, and FK 506 on prostaglandin production in renal mesangial cells. **Trans. Proceedings** 23:3141-3142, 1991.
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49. **Murray, S.A.**, and Shakespeare, T.I. Immunofluorescence: application for analysis of connexin distribution and trafficking. **Gap Junction Channels and Hemichannels.** Boca Raton, FL: CRC Press. Taylor & Francis Group 2016, pp. 1-19. ISBN: 9781498738620.
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57. Hinton, A.J., Katti, P., Christensen, T.A., Mungai, M., Shao, J., ; Liang Zhang; Sergey Trushin; Ahmad Alghanem; Adam Jaspersen; Rachel E. Geroux; Kit Neikirk; Michelle Biete; Edgar Garza Lopez; Zer Vue; Heather K. Beasley; Andrea G. Marshall; Jessica Ponce; Christopher K. E. Bleck; Innes Hicsasmaz; Sandra A. Murray; Ranthony A.C. Edmonds; Andres Dajles; Young Do Koo; Serif Bacevac; Jeffrey L. Salisbury; Renata O. Pereira; Brian Glancy; Eugenia Trushina; Abel, E.D. 2021. Comprehensive approach to artifact-free sample preparation and the assessment of mitochondrial morphology in tissue and cultured cells **Cell Reports Methods** (new) submitted 2021, bioRxiv 2021.06.27.450055; <https://doi.org/10.1101/2021.06.27.450055>

STEM EDUCATION RESEARCH PUBLICATIONS Published/Accepted/Submitted 2021:

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STEM Workforce, **Pathogens and Disease**. 2021 Sep 11;79(7):ftab041. doi: 10.1093/femspd/ftab041. PMID: 34410372; PMCID: PMC8435059. Published, Impact factor 3.171

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3. **Murray, S.A.**, Spencer, E.C., Hinton, A.J. 2022. The Postdoctoral Blueprint Part One: Creating a Niche, **Trends in Cell Biology**. In press. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.tcb.2022.01.007>, Impact factor 20.808
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5. **Murray, S.A.**, Spencer, E.C., Hinton, A.J., 2022. You got the Job: What Next 2021, **EMBO Reports**, Submitted, Impact factor 8.8, Invited
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Published Abstracts:

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81. Boller, M., Schneider, K. Nickel, B., Shakespeare, T., and **Murray, S.A.** Ultrastructural and Live-Cell Analysis of Dynamin's Role in Gap Junction Plaque Endoexocytosis. **51th American Society for Cell Biology Annual Meeting** in Denver, CO, Dec. 2011.

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PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Teaching:

1982-Present	Gross Anatomy to medical students (Human Body Block)
1988-1992	Course Director in Medical Gross Anatomy
1984	Transmission and Scanning electron microscopic techniques to Physician's Scientist Training Program - Department of Medicine
1984	Graduate Student Journal Club Series
1985-1987	Endocrinology lecture in Structure and Function of Human Tissue.
1985-1996	Cell Structure and Function- Cell-Cell Communication lectures-
1995-	Independent research-
1996	Special Topics in Physiology -
1998-1999	Foundations of Biomedical Science
1998	Medical School, Integrated Case Studies. Facilitator
1999	Research Seminar (Journal Club)
1999-Present	Molecular Mechanisms of Tissue Growth and Differentiation
2017-Present	Gross Anatomy Course, Director, Biomedical Masters Program
2021	Applied for Copyright for Creation of Virtual reality Teaching Laboratories designed to Teach Human Anatomy
2021	Filed a University of Pittsburgh Invention Patent Disclosure, 05636, 3/30/21

Postdoctoral Fellows and Graduate Student Committees:

Member of **Masters Thesis Committee** for Donna S. Hughes - 1982

Member of Ph.D. **Comprehensive Examination** and **Thesis Committees** for the following:

Harold E. Kennah, II -	1984	(Department of Anatomy)
Diana L. Bourke -	1983-1985	(Department of Anatomy)
Maria Moschella -	1985-1988	(Department of Neurobiology, Anatomy, and Cell Science)
Karen Hulkower -	1988-1990	(Department of Molecular Genetics and Biochemistry)
Duncan Stern -	1993-1996	(Department of Neurobiology)
Sheryl Ontell -	1987	(Department of Anatomy)
Keiko Ozaki -	1989-1990	(Department of Anatomy)
Elisa Konieczko -	1989-1990	(Department of Anatomy)
Shawn Stover -	1995-1996	(Department of Cell Biology and Physiology)
Connie Rogers-	1996	(Department of Cell Biology and Physiology)
Steve Smith-	1997	(Department of Cell Biology and Physiology)
Som-Ming Leung	2000-2005	(Department of Cell Biology and Physiology)
Vlad Sandulache	2004	(Dept. of Cellular and Molecular Pathology)
Ethan Block	2008- 2010	(Department of Cell Biology and Physiology)
Yang He	2005-2008	(School of Engineering)
Anupuma Jha	2007- 2009	(Dept. of Cellular and Physiology)
Paula Bernal	2006-2010	(Dept. of Cellular and Physiology)
Daniel Roh	2008-2011	(Dept. of Cellular and Physiology)
Emily Wickline-Boyde	2008-2011	(Interdisciplinary Biomedical Graduate Program)
Caitlin Hyland	2018-2021	(Dept. of Biological Science, Lehigh University)
Manuel Michaca	2021_	Dept. of Cell Biology)

Human Resource Contributions.

Research opportunities in the laboratory have afforded projects for the training of undergraduates, medical students, graduate students, postdoctoral fellows, and high school students. My research has allowed the attraction of

these qualified students most of whom have served as co-authors on abstracts or manuscript publications. Students have presented posters at national scientific meetings (Endocrinology and Cell Biology) and participated in international research collaborations in Woods Hole, MA., Lyon, France, and Siena Italy.

Advisor for the following graduate students:

Timothy Billiar	Ph.D. student -	1989-1991 - Chairman of Medicine studied nitric oxide mediated cGMP release.
Ugochi Oyoyo	M.D./Ph.D. - student -	1992-1997 (Completed degree May 1997)-Thesis title- The role of connexin-43 gap junction expression in adrenal cortical cell function.
Camilia Dilliard	Ph.D. student -	1993-1995- studied the role of cytoskeletal elements in adrenal response.
Uzma Shah Ph.D.	student -	1996-2001- studied the role of gap junctions expression in adrenal response.
Deidre Gipson	M.D./Ph.D.	1997-1998- studied the role of gap junctions expression in adrenal response.
Kevin Davis	Ph.D. student-	1998-2003- studied the role of gap junction expression in endocrine response.
Christopher Herrem	Ph.D. student-	2000- Rotation in Lab. Studied role of gap junction expression in endocrine response.
John Dubinion	Ph.D. student -	2000- Rotating in Lab.
Bado Hewa Achebe	Ph.D. student-	2003-2009 Studied the role of gap junctions in cell migration.

Advisor for the following medical students: (listing 13 of 35 students)

Derrick Tolbert Walker	1987 Summer rotation.
Michael Thomas	1987 Summer rotation.
Arnold Smalls	1988 Summer rotation.
Brockton Hefflen	1989 Summer rotation-Marine Biological Laboratory
Zsolt Fargus	1989-91 Medical Student from Hungary.
James Smith	1991 Summer rotation.
Edward Leonard	1991-1994 Howard Hughes recipient - one year rotation Marine Biological Laboratory-summer 1991,1992. Bristol-Myers Squibb Company & Commonwealth Fund Rotation 1991-1992. National Medical Fellowship Recipient.
Stacey Simmons	1995 V. Heinz Scholar- one year rotation.
Clinton Jules	1995 Summer rotation.
Andrew Ibeauchi	2002 Independent study.
Nefrititi Brown	2004 Summer rotation.
Vlad Sandulache	2004 Summer rotation.
Jacob Martinez	2005 Summer rotation.

Research Advisor for the following postdoctoral fellows:

Howard Plummer III	1990-1992- Ph.D. Bowling Green State University
Starletta Williams-Jackson	1993-1996 - Ph.D. Howard University, Washington D.C.
Shanthi K. Narayanan	1994-1996 - Ph.D. Indian Institute of Technology, Madras, India.
Juliet Wynn	2001-2007 – M.D.
Cheryl Bell	2014- 2017 Ph.D. University of Connecticut

Research Advisor for the following undergraduate students: Listing 11 of 23 students who have participated in summer rotations as Center of Excellence, Jean Hamilton Fellow, Quest Student (Students presented research at the University of Pittsburgh Honors Colleges Science Fair).

William Dennis	Melisa Bennett	Kiara Hargrove	(Rotation in France-1995)
Janet Sherman	John Velcher	Lorraine Faulcon	(Rotation in France-1995)
Kirsta Suggs	Michael Bygrave	Blayre Britton	Tiffany Stubbs
Jasma Rucker (rotation in Italy, 2001)		Veronica Flake	(Rotation in Italy, 2001)

Research Advisor for the following undergraduate students Listing 18 out of 65:

Douglas Robinson	2005	Independent study.
Yassar Arain	2006	Summer rotation.
Nicole Blackman	2007	Summer rotation.
Octavia Brooks	2008	Summer rotation.
Halima Buhari	2009	Summer rotation.
Marie Boller	2010, 2011	Summer rotation.
Kimberly Schneider	2010, 2011	Summer rotation.
LaKeisha Francis	2011	Summer rotation.
Raven Johnson	2012	Summer rotation.
Jordan Harper	2012	Summer rotation.
Courtney Christian	2013-2018	Research student
Kayvan Fallah	2013	Summer rotation.
Pearl Eni	2013	Summer rotation.
Christopher Velazquez	2014	Summer rotation.
Chidi Nwarpo	2015	Independent study.
Morgan Stuckey	2016	Summer rotation.
Amanda Gamwo	2017	Summer rotation, Independent study.
Armari Long	2019-2021	Summer rotation, Independent study.
Josette Quezada	2019	Summer rotation, Independent study.
Rachel Jakielski	2020	

Research Advisor for the following high school students: (listing 5 of 16 students)

Sonobia Tobin- summer 1995, 96,1997	Charlene Allan	summer- 1985
Larry Johnson- one year 1996-1997	Jean Knolls	summer- 1983
Michele Robinson 1999-2001		

Research Advisor for the following students at the Marine Biology Laboratory, Woods Hole, MA.

Rosa Perez	1988	Undergraduate Hunter College.
Washington Hernandez	1989	Undergraduate Howard University
Dwight Berry	1989	Undergraduate Howard University.
Kevin Brewton	1989	Undergraduate Howard University

External Thesis Review Committee Member–Germany

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Mentor for Assistant Professors as part of the NIH-R25 Programs to Increase Diversity Among Individuals Engaged in Health-Related Research Functional and Translational Genomics of Blood Disorders (P.I. Betty Pace)

Mentor for the following:

2020-2021 Antentor Hinton, Ph.D. Post Doctoral Fellow

University of Iowa, Iowa City Iowa & Vanderbilt University, Nashville, TN.

2019 LaShaun Simpson, Ph.D. Assistant Professor, Biomedical Engineering

Mississippi State University, Starkville, Mississippi
2017 Ghislaine Mayer, Ph.D., Associate Professor and Chair of Biology
Manhattan College, Riverdale, NY
2014 Teresa Shakespeare, Ph.D. Assistant Professor, Biology
Savannah State University, Savannah, Georgia.

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NIH First at Pittsburgh Clinical and Translational Science Institute (CTSI) PI Doris Rubio.
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Presidential Awards for Excellence in Science, Mathematics and Engineering Mentoring (PAESMEM)
Award Submitted Jan 2021

Prior Grant Support

RDF (Central Research Development Fund)
P.I. "The Effect of Tumor Promoting Agents on Gap Junction Structure"
January 1, 1983 - June 30, 1983

Faculty Development Teaching Development Grant
P.I. "Uptake of Liposomes by Human Adrenal Cells in Culture"
July 1, 1983 - June 30, 1984

RDF (Central Research Development Fund)
P.I. "The Effect of Tumor Promoting Agents on Junction Structure and Cell Communication"
renewal - July 1, 1983 - June 30, 1984

American Cancer Society Institutional Research Grant
P.I. "Incidence of Gap Junctions and Rate of Cell Population Growth Following Exposure

to a Tumor Promoter"
January 1, 1983 - December 31, 1983

National Science Foundation
P.I. "Localization of Activated cAMP-Dependent Protein Kinase"
June 1, 1984 - December 31, 1989
December, 1989 - 1992

National Science Foundation
P.I. "The Role of cAMP-dependent Protein Kinase and Gap Junction Communication"
July 1, 1993 - June 30, 1996

Sandoz Foundation for Gerontological Research
P.I. "Capacity for Stress in Young and Old Hepatocytes"
July 1, 1988 - June 30, 1989

NIH Biomedical Grant (RDF)
Co-P.I. with Dr. Jerry McCauley "The Effects of Cyclosporine and Its Metabolites Upon Renal Epithelial Cell Proliferation"
July 1, 1989 - May 31, 1991

National Science Foundation
Co-P.I. "An Advanced Light Microscopy Facility" - Dept. of Biology
September, 1990 - February, 1992

International Fellowship, John E. Fogarty International Center for Advanced Study, International Research Training Program Leadership Alliance- NIH, 1995-1996, Lyon, France, 1996-1997, Addis Ababa, Ethiopia.

National Science Foundation- \$210,000
P.I. "The Role of cAMP-dependent Protein Kinase and Gap Junction Communication"
July, 1996-July, 1999

National Science Foundation- \$13,751
P.I. "The Role of cAMP-dependent Protein Kinase and Gap Junction Communication"
Supplement
July, 1997- July, 1999

Alfred P. Sloan Foundation- \$90,000
P.I.
1995-2000

Prostate and Urologic Cancer Center (PUCC) Pilot Project Program,
University of Pittsburgh Cancer Institute- \$20,000
P.I. "Modulation of gap junction expression and decreased prostate cell tumorigenesis"
July 15, 1998-July 14, 1999

African American Postdoctoral Fellowship Award- \$32,500
From the Provost's office, University of Pittsburgh
P.I. Award to support Post-Doc

9/1/98-8/30/99

National Science Foundation.

P.I. "Endocytic Machinery Involved in Gap Junction Plaque Internalization"

6/1/07 – 5/31/10

Total Award: \$406,436

Howard Hughes Medical Institute

Support from Howard Hughes to American Society for Cell Biology Program
for Visiting Professor, Dr. Mesia Steed (2014)

Total Award: \$20,000

National Science Foundation

P.I. "Role Gap Junction Plaque Internalization and Processing"

NSF #MCB10 23144

12/1/10 – 11-30-2015

Total Award: \$663,348

National Science Foundation

ROA Supplement – Investigation of the Regulation of Annular Gap Junction Processing, a Critical Modulator of Cell-Cell Communication, for Dr. T. Shakespeare

06/1/15-6/30/16

Total Award: \$25,000

National Institutes of Health- Co-PI

Co-P.I. "The ASCB MAC Junior Faculty and Postdoctoral Fellows Career Development Workshop

R13 (P.I. Donald Cleveland)

9/1/14 – 8/31/18

Total Award: \$580,877

National Institutes of Health- Co-PI

Co-PI National Institute for Mentoring Early Minority Faculty in Neuroscience

R25 (NS076414) (P.I. Torres)

3/1/14 – 2/31/18

Total Award: \$218,700

National Science Foundation

Molecular Cell Biology Division

Cellular Dynamics and Function Program

P.I. "Investigation of the Regulation of Annular Gap Junction Processing, A Critical Modulator of Cell-Cell Communication"

MCB # 1408986

07/01/14 – 6/30/20

Total Award: \$759,445

Seminars and Invited Lectureships: (partial list)

- 1981 Keynote Speaker - Science Career Conference, University of California, Riverside, CA.
- 1981 Department of Biology, Department of Biochemistry, Division of Biomedical Science, University of California, Riverside, CA.
- 1982 Department of Zoology, University of Tennessee, Knoxville, Tennessee
- 1983 Department of Biology, The dynamic states in the evolution of biological sciences symposium. Texas Southern University, Houston, Texas

1984 Department of Anatomy, University of Indiana, Bloomington, Indiana

1984 Ribosome Club - Department of Biochemistry, University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

1984 Pharmacology Journal Club - Department of Pharmacology, University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

1984 Anatomy Graduate Seminar - Department of Anatomy and Cell Biology, University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

1984, 1985 School of Urban and Public Affairs, Carnegie-Mellon University, Pittsburgh, PA
Minority Biomedical Research Symposium

1985 13th Annual MBRS Symposium sponsored by NIH, Division of Research Resources, Miami, Florida

1985 Department of Anatomy, Temple University, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

1986 Department of Biology, Atlanta University, Atlanta Georgia

1986 Cellular and Molecular Biology Program, Department of Microbiology and The Cancer Center, Howard University, Washington, D.C.

1986, 1988 Invited Conference participant - Black Biomedical Scientist Conference. The University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan, 1986. Yale University, New Haven, Connecticut, 1988

1986, 1987 Rutgers University, Newark, New Jersey

1984, 1987 Division of Research Initiation and Improvement - National Science Foundation Meeting, Washington, D.C.

1987, 1988 Department of Anatomy, Howard University, Washington, D.C.

1988 Department of Anatomy, University of Kentucky, Lexington, Kentucky

1989 American Society for Biochemistry and Molecular Biology and the American Society for Cell Biology joint meetings - Symposia speaker, San Francisco, California

1989 American Society for Biochemistry and Molecular Biology - Committee on equal opportunities, San Francisco, California

1990 Florida A & M University, Tallahassee, Florida

1993 Carnegie Mellon and University of Pittsburgh Career Conference Keynote Speaker, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

1994 Minority Education and Professional Development Conference - University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

1996 Morehouse School of Medicine, Department of Biochemistry, Atlanta University,

Atlanta, Georgia

- 1996 Meharry Medical College, 15th D.T. Rolfe Scholars Lecture, Nashville, Tenn.
- 1996 Stanford University, Stanford, California
- 1996 American Society of Cell Biology Meeting - Gap Junction Communication Symposia
San Francisco, California
- 1996 Epithelium Club, Department of Cell Biology and Physiology, University of Pittsburgh,
School of Medicine
- 1996 Departmental Seminar Series, Department of Cell Biology and Physiology, University
of Pittsburgh, School of Medicine
- 1997 Department of Biology, Howard University, Washington, D.C.
- 1997 Prostate and Urologic Cancer Center, University of Pittsburgh Cancer Institute
- 1998 Department of Biology, Clark Atlanta University, Atlanta, Georgia
- 1998 Department of Biology, Texas Southern University, Houston, Texas
- 1998 Woman in Cell Biology Education Committee Sponsored Lunch Career Options and Issues Facing
Cell Biologists. San Francisco, December
- 1998 Greater Pittsburgh Woman's Empowerment Benefit.
- 1999 Spelman College, Atlanta, Georgia.
- 1999 California State University - Northridge
California State University - Dominguez Hills, Los Angeles, California
- 2001 The American Society for Cell Biology 41st Annual Meeting
Washington, D.C.
- 2001 "Imaging of Gap Junction Protein Trafficking." American Society for Cell Biology – Gap
Junction Subgroup Meeting, December, 2001
- 2002 Research and Motivational Talks, Southern University, Baton Rouge, LA
(Endocrine Society)
- 2002 Research and Motivational Talks, California State University, (Dominguez Hills)
- 2002 Workshop Presentation at the Annual Biomedical Research Conference for Minority Students,
New Orleans, LA.
- 2003 "Promoting Interdisciplinary Approaches to Global Issues in Science." The Eight Annual Life and
Physical Sciences Research Symposium at North Carolina Agricultural and Technical State
University, Greensboro, NC.

- 2003 “The Impact of Connexin Trafficking on Adrenal Cell Function.” The Eight Annual Life and Physical Sciences Research Symposium at North Carolina Agricultural and Technical State University, Greensboro, NC.
- 2003 Workshop Presentation at the Annual Biomedical Research Conference for Minority Students, San Diego, CA.
- 2004 Keynote Speaker at Graduate School of Biomedical Sciences at Rutgers University
- 2004 American Society for Cell Biology EE Just Lecture
- 2005 Endocrine Meeting, San Diego, CA.
- 2011 University of California Dominguez Hills, Carson California
Annual Biomedical Conference for Minority Students, Charlotte, North Carolina
- 2010 The American Society for Cell Biology, 50th Annual Meeting Philadelphia, PA.
- 2011 American Society for Cell Biology Meeting, Denver, Co.
- 2012 Scientific Boot Camp at Savannah State University
- 2005-2016 Organizer and Speaker-Junior Faculty and Post Doc Workshop, Sponsored by the American Society for Cell Biology, Funded by the NIH
- 2015 Speaker- Faculty Research and Education Development (FRED) Program, Funded by the NSF (San Juan, Puerto Rico, 2014, Houston, Texas, 2015
- 2014- Discussion Leader- American Society for Cell Biology Meeting, Table Topic, Endocytosis, Philadelphia, PA.
- 2014 Session Chair- International Adrenal Conference (Receptors and Signaling Session), Charleston, NC
- 2014 Presented at the Joint Meeting of the International Congress of Endocrinology and the Endocrine Society, ICE/ENDO 2014 (Regulation of GAP Junction Expression in Sertoli Cells by SRC Kinase) (Chicago, IL, June 2014).
- 2015 Invited Speaker- Albany State University, Albany, GA. April 2015
- 2015 Presenter International Gap Junction Meeting, Valparaiso, Chile 2015
- 2018 Invited Speaker- California State University, Fullerton, CA. April 2018
- 2018 LEADS/ Promise Scholars Conference, CTSI- Institute for Clinical Research Education (ICRE), Division of General Internal Medicine, Oct 4, 2018
- 2017-2021 Invited Speaker- The Career Education and Enhancement for Health Care Diversity (CEED) Institute for Clinical Research Education (ICRE)
- 2020 Invited Speaker- Annual Biomedical Conference for Minority Students, 2020
- 2021 Invited speaker Savanna State University July 2021

- 2021 Invited Speaker- Annual Biomedical Conference for Minority Students, 2021
 2021 Invited Speaker- San Jose State University

International Lectures

- 1983 School of Medicine, University of Lagos, Lagos, Nigeria, West Africa
- 1984 International Symposia on Intercellular Junctions, Japanese National Institute of Physiological Science, Okazaki, Japan
- 1990 VI International Congress on Spermatology - Centro per lo Studio della Cellule Germinali del CNR - Sienna, Italy
- 1990 Fourth International Conference on the Adrenal Cortex - Emory University, Atlanta, Georgia
- 1993 International Symposia on Intercellular Junctions, Hiroshima, Japan
- 1994 Sixth International Conference on the Adrenal Cortex - Ardmore, Oklahoma
- 1995 International Gap Junction Conference, The Role of Connexin Diversity, L'Île des Embiez, France
- 1998 Impact of Biotechnology on Cancer Prediction, Prevention and Treatment, Nice France, Oct. 24-28
- 1999 Cell Adhesion and Communication in Growth Control and Cancer Meeting in Lyon, France, Jan. 15-23, 1999
- 2000 Adrenal 2000 Conference, Toronto, Canada June 16-18, 2000
- 2001 American Society for Cell Biology, Gap Junction Symposium, Washington, D.C., Dec. 2001
- 2003 International Gap Junction Meetings, Fate of Gap Junction Plaques During Spontaneous Cell Separation. London, England
- 2004 International Congress of Endocrinology, Adrenal Cell Communication, Lisbon, Portugal
- 2005 International Gap Junction Meeting, Whistler, British Columbia, Canada
- 2011 International Gap Junction Meeting, Ghent, Belgium, August 2011
- 2014 Session Chair- International Adrenal Conference (Receptors and Signaling Session), Charleston, NC
- 2015 Presenter International Gap Junction Meeting, Valparaiso, Chile 2015
- 2021 One of only five Americans invited to speak at the second annual African Summit in Morocco. The summit, held April 5-7, 2021, focused on “Made in Africa: African Women’s Success Story”

Visiting Scientist to Minority Institutions

These lectures were sponsored by the Federation of American Societies for Experimental Biology (FASEB) funded by the National Institute of General Medical Science (NIGMS) NIH.

- 1986 Florida International University, Miami, Florida
- Morgan State University, Baltimore, MD
- 1989 Texas Southern University, Houston, Texas
- Spelman College, Atlanta, Georgia
- 1994 Selma University, Selma Georgia

Other Research Related Activities

- 1986-1990 Summer Research Scholar at Marine Biological Laboratory (Woods Hole, Massachusetts) funded by American Society for Cell Biology with support from the National Institute of Health
- 1988 Chairman of the International Science Fair Awards Committee of the National Society for In Vitro Biology
- 1988 Member of the Committee to Develop Specifications for the New Graduate Record Examination (GRE). Subject test on Cell/Molecular Biology and Biochemistry - Educational Testing Service, Princeton, New Jersey
- 1990 Co-Organizer and Invited Speaker - Careers in Biological Sciences -Airlie House Conference Center, Airlie, Virginia (sponsored by the American Society for Cell Biology)
- 1983 Journal Referee for Hearing Research
- 1984 Journal Referee for Science
- 1990 Journal Referee for Trends in Biology
- 1993 Journal Referee for Journal of Cell Biology
- 1994-Present Research Advisory Committee - Morehouse School of Medicine
- 1997 Journal Referee for Experimental Cell Research
- 1999 Journal Referee for The Journal of Histochemistry and Cytochemistry
- 2001, 2004 Journal Reviewer for Molecular and Cellular Biochemistry
- 2004 Journal Reviewer for Journal of Cell Biology
- 2004 Journal Reviewer for Urology

- 2008 Co-Chairman of Session on Receptors and Signal Transduction, International Adrenal Conference
- 2011 Journal Reviewer for Molecular and Cellular Biochemistry
- 2011 Journal Reviewer for Molecular Endocrinology
- 2021- Topic Editor “The Role of Mitochondrial Endoplasmic Reticulum Contact Sites in Human Health and Disease”. The Frontiers in Molecular Biosciences section Cellular Biochemistry
- 2022- Special Issue Editor “Regulatory Mechanisms of Insulin Signaling in Disease”. Cells

Special Appointments, Study Sections, Site Visit Teams, Panel Memberships (etc.)

- 1999-2002 Council Member, American Society for Cell Biology
- 2010 NSF study section MCB
- 2015 Serve on the Organelle Biogenesis and Trafficking 2015 Panel, which was held at the National Science Foundation
- 2000-2005 Advisory Board Member – Annual Biomedical Research Conference (ABRCMS)
- 2010 Advisory Committee Norfolk State University- Center for Biotechnology and Biomedical Sciences
- 2011 International Gap Junction Meeting, (Panal Chair) Ghent, Belgium
- 2015 Advisory Board for NIH-R25 Vascular Medicine and Cell Biology Research A Pittsburgh Undergraduate Research Diversity Program (PURDIP) PI. Ofori Acquah & Paula Davis 6/1/16-8/31/20
- 2015 Member of Scientific Advisory Committee for the International Gap Junction Society Meeting, Valparaiso, Chile
- 2021 PAIR UP initiative: (1) Diversity & Equity & Inclusion: Cultural Identity committee, (2) Vanderbilt Biophotonics Center Workshop committee, (3) Funding Opportunities committee, (4) Executive Committee
- 2021 Presented two Visual Art-as-Science pieces at the art-diversity-showcase-forum and Mindscapes PGH to increase public awareness of cell biological research.

National Institute of Health (NIH)

- 1987 - 1991 Member of National Institute of Health, NIH (MBRS) Study Section.
Member of NIH Site Visit Team
- 1988 Universidad Central Del Caribe Cayay, Puerto Rico
- 1988 Interamerican University San Juan, Puerto Rico
- 1988 Atlanta University, Atlanta, Georgia

- 1989 California State University - Dominguez Hills, Los Angeles, California
- 1989 St. Mount Mary College, Los Angeles, California
- 1991 University of California San Diego, San Diego, California
- 1988 Representative at the National Advisory Research Resources Council/NARRC of NIH for the Minority Biomedical Research Support subcommittee of the General Research Support Review.
- 1992-96 Member, NIH Division of Research Grants Study Section (Physiological Chemistry)
- 2003 Member, NIH CSR – F31 Minorities Fellowships Study Section (ZRG1 F05 (29) L)
- 2021 Advisor for the NIH NHLBI Programs to Increase Diversity Among Individuals Engaged in Health-Related Research program

National Science Foundation (NSF)

- 1984 National Science Foundation Conference for Research Improvement in Minority Institutions (RIMI) and Minority Research Initiation (MRI)
- 1987 Panel discussion member - National Science Foundation 1987 MRI Principal Investigator's Meeting
- 1990 Member of NSF Panel on Women in Science - Washington, DC
- 1990 Member of NSF Site Visit Team - Meharry School of Medicine, Nashville, Tennessee
- 1993 Member of Committee of Visitors for the NATO Program
- 1991, 1994, 1997 Member of Committee of Visitors for the Cell Biology Program – National Science Foundation
- 1999 Member of NSF Panel –Funding for Minority Science Meeting- Atlanta GA
- 2000 Chair of Members of Visitors- National Science Foundation

Service:

University and Medical School

- 1983 Member of the School of Medicine Nominating Committee for the Evaluation of the Dean of the Medical School
- 1983 Member of the University of Pittsburgh Graduate and Professional Education of the Physician Committee (GPEP) and Workshop
- 1983-Present School of Medicine Summer "Minority" Work-Study Program

1983-1991	Member of First Year Retention Committee
1984-Present	Member of Medical Student Promotions Committee
1985	Member of Committee to Revise Medical Student Promotions Guidelines
1985-1986	Member of the Committee to select the Dean of the School of Medicine
1986-1987	Member of the Committee to select the Chairman of the Physiology Department
1986	Member of the Student Faculty Relations Committee
1987	Member of the faculty meeting with the AAMC Site Visit Team Research Project on the graduation rate of underrepresented minority students - April 23, 1987
1988	Member of Student Financial Aid Committee
1989	Member of Ad Hoc Tenure Committee
1989-1992	Curriculum Review Committee
1994	Internal Review Committee for the evaluation of the academic programs in the Department of Human Genetics
1992-1998	Advisory Committee - Child Health Research Center Grant
1993	Faculty Liaison Committee for the School of Medicine's Health Careers Opportunity Program
1993-Present	Member Pittsburgh Cancer Institute
1994-Present	Medical School Representative Senior Woman Faculty Group
1994-1999	NIMH Training Grant Faculty Member - Advisory Committee
1995-1996	Search Committee Assistant Dean for Student Affairs
1995-Present	Cell Biology & Physiology Promotions Committee
1995-1998	Chairman and Organizer of Symposium ASCB-Woods Hole
1996-2001	University of Pittsburgh Helen Faison Council of Elders
1996-Present	Member of the Training Faculty Immunology Graduate Training Program
1996-Present	Member of the Training Faculty Cell Biology and Physiology
1997-2002	University of Pittsburgh M.D./Ph.D. Selection Committee Member
1997-2005	University of Pittsburgh Commencement and Honors Convocation Speaker Selection

1997-2017 University of Pittsburgh Provost's Development Fund Review Committee

1998 Judge for the Afro Academic Cultural Technological and Scientific Olympics competition, Atlanta, Georgia

1998 NASA Judge for the 1998 ACT-SO science fair, Atlanta, Georgia

1998 Search Committee for the Senior Vice Chancellor/Dean of the School of Medicine, Equipoise Representative, University of Pittsburgh

1998 Advisory Board Member for Survival Skills and Ethics Program

1999-2003 Standing Committee for Tenured Faculty Promotions and Appointments

Postdoctoral Fellows Taskforce for School of Medicine

1999 Search Committee for the Vice Provost and Dean of Students

1999-2010 Cell Biology Department Academic Affairs Committee

1999-2010 Cell Biology Department Financial Affairs Committee

1999-Present Cell Biology Department Promotions Committee

1999-2010 Cell Biology Department Recruitment Committee

1999-2010 Cell Biology Chairman's Advisory Committee

1999 Provost Committee on Diversity

2001-Present Member of the Community Research Advisory Board (CRAB), which will assist the Center for Minority Health (CMH)

2003 Honor Council Hearing Board Member

African American Trailblazers Television Appearance
Panel Member on KDKA TV, Pittsburgh, PA

School of Medicine Summer Premedical Academic Enrichment Research Program (SPAEP)

School of Medicine Student Promotions Committee (alternate member)

Transform-Science Advisory Committee- Maximizing Student Development (IMSD) Program Proposal

2011 The Liaison Committee on Medical Education (LCME) School of Medicine Accreditation Committees: Self-Study Task Force (committee member), Faculty Research (committee chair) and Liaisons Student Research (committee member)

2007 Co-Chair of the Research Center of Excellence Committee, Graduate School of Public

Health, University of Pittsburgh

2007-present Graduate School of Public Health Community Engagement Research Core.

2000- 2019 Provost Special Advisory Committee.

2021 Appointed to the University of Pittsburgh Medical Scientist Training Program - Faculty Mentor