Curriculum vitae

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Education

Year	Degree (Honors)	Field of Study (Thesis advisor for PhDs)	Institution
1999	MD	Medicine	Morehouse School of Medicine Atlanta, GA
1995	BS	Biology	Georgia State University Atlanta, GA

Postdoctoral Training

Year(s)	Titles	Specialty/Discipline (Lab PI for postdoc research)	Institution
2004 – 2005	Fellowship	Vascular Neurology	Medical College of Georgia Augusta, GA
2001 – 2004	Residency	Neurology	Medical College of Georgia Augusta, GA
1999 – 2001	Internship/Residency	Internal Medicine	Atlanta Medical Center Atlanta, GA

Current Licensure and Certification

Licensure 2005 Texas Medical Board

2003 Georgia Medical Board

Board Certification 2014 American Board of Psychiatry and Neurology (Vascular Neurology)

2006 American Board of Psychiatry and Neurology (Neurology)

Honors and Awards

Year	Name of Honor/Award	Awarding Organization
2022	President's Award for Diversity and Humanism in Clinical Care: 'honors clinical faculty who exemplify the humanistic spirit of patient-centered medicine, both through clinical excellence and in outstanding compassion in the delivery of care'	UT Southwestern
2022	Community Volunteer Award Educating and supporting the Ethiopian Community in Dallas during the COVID- 19 pandemic	Mutual Assistance Association for the Ethiopian Community, Dallas
2021	AAN Health Care Equity Symposium Scholarship: Series of workshops through the year aimed at personal development and enabling to create customized road map in mitigating health care disparities.	American Academy of Neurology
2018	Outstanding Achievement and Recognition	Ethiopian Health Professional Association Dallas
2018	Outstanding Community Services	Mutual Assistance Association for the Ethiopian Community, Dallas
2015	LEAD Class of 2015 (Leadership Emerging in Academic Departments)	UT Southwestern
2013	Excellence in Teaching Award for Core Clerkship in Neurology	UT Southwestern
2010	Quality Champion for Stroke Care	United Regional Hospital
2009	Neurology on the Hill, Delegate (Selected) Advocated for the interests of Neurologists on Capitol Hill during crafting of the health care legislation (Affordable Care Act)	American Academy of Neurology

Honors and Awards (Professional Fellowships)

Year	Name of Honor/Award	Awarding Organization
2019	Elected Fellow (FAAN)	American Academy of Neurology (AAN)
2014	Elected Fellow (FAHA)	American Heart Association (AHA)

Honors and Awards (Visiting Professorships and Endowed Lectures)

Year(s)	Title	Location
International/Na	<u>tional</u>	
Sep. 2022	Visiting Professorship: University Teaching Hospital of	Lusaka, Zambia
	Zambia: formally invited to give lectures, teaching	
	rounds, mentorship of residents	

Faculty Academic Appointments

Year(s)	Academic Title	Department	Academic Institution
2020 - Present	Associate Professor	Neurology	UT Southwestern
2018 – Present	J	Internal Medicine	Bahir Dar University,
	Neurology		Ethiopia
2012 - 2020	Assistant Professor	Neurology	UT Southwestern

Appointments at Hospitals/Affiliated Institutions

<u>Past</u>			
Year(s)	Position Title	Department/Division	Institution
2010 – 2012	Staff Physician	Neurology	Medical Center of Arlington Arlington, TX
2010 – 2012	Staff Physician	Neurology	Arlington Memorial Hospital Arlington, TX
2010 – 2012	Staff Physician	Neurology	Methodist Mansfield Hospital Mansfield, TX
2005 – 2010	Staff Physician	Neurology	United Regional Medical Center Wichita Falls, TX
2005 – 2010	Staff Physician	Neurology	Kell West Regional Hospital Wichita Falls, TX
Current			
Year(s)	Position Title	Department/Division	Institution
2012 – Present	Staff Physician	Neurology	University Hospital – Zale Dallas, TX
2012 – Present	Staff Physician	Neurology	University Hospital – Clements/Zale Lipshy Dallas, TX
2012 – Present	Staff Physician	Neurology	Parkland Hospital Dallas, TX
2014 – Present	Consulting Physician	Neurology	Life Care (UTSW Affiliated LTAC)

Dallas, TX	
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Major Administrative/Leadership Positions

Year(s)	Position Title	Institution
2017 – Present	Director, BORNE (Bahir Dar Outreach for Neurology Education) UT Southwestern Global Outreach Initiative	
2012 – 2017	Director – Telestroke Development and Outreach *Expansion of Telestroke service to outlying hospitals *Collaborate and provide stroke education to communities and health care providers through health fairs, CMEs and CNEs.	UT Southwestern

Committee Service

Year(s)	Name of Committee	Institution/Organization
<u>UTSW</u>		
2021-Present	Global Health Student Advisory Committee – This Standing Committee advises the Office of Global Health on student-related programs and serves as the decision-making body on student application submissions to conduct global health research or clinical rotations abroad.	UT Southwestern
2021 – Present	Dept. of Neurology Diversity, Equity, Inclusion (DEI) Committee	UT Southwestern
2021 - Present	UTSW Faculty Collaborative for Racial Equality and Diversity for Clinicians, Educators, and Scientists	UT Southwestern
2017 – 2021	Clinical Competency Committee	UT Southwestern
2013 – Present	Stroke Best Practice Committee Meet monthly to review performance measures on Stroke and work on programmatic objectives; and report the information to the Medical Executive Committee and the Health System Board	UT Southwestern
2013 – 2016	Stroke Program Development and Certification Committee Focus is on the growth and development of the stroke program for UT Southwestern. Emphasis is placed on the strategic development of our telemedicine program, education and collaboration with outlying primary stroke centers (spokes) and their staff. Additionally this committee focuses on marketing strategies to increase outside referrals to the stroke program.	UT Southwestern
<u>Hospital</u>		
2017 – 2018	CUH Expansion Working Group for ER Services Attend regular meetings and participate in exchange of ideas on how to adjust the design of the emergency rooms in order to accommodate the change that will occur with expansion of the facility	Clements University Hospital (CUH)

2009 - 2010	ICU Committee	United Regional Hospital
	Participated in the development of protocols and, quality	
	and safety measures for patients in the critical care unit	
2008 - 2010	Physician Informatics Team	United Regional Hospital
	Participated in the planning, development and	
	implementation of the Electronic Medical Records (EMR)	
	system of the hospital	
2008 - 2009	Neurology Section Chief	United Regional Hospital
2006 - 2007	Utilization Review/Medical Records Committee	United Regional Hospital
2006 - 2010	Stroke Center Director/Founder	United Regional Hospital

Professional Societies

Dates	Society Name, member
2021 – Present	African Stroke Organization (ASO), Member
2018 – Present	Texas Neurological Society
2018 – Present	American Neurological Association
2017 – Present	International Society for Telemedicine and eHealth (ISfTeH)
2017 – Present	World Stroke Organization (WSO)
2010 - 2012	Tarrant County Medical Society
2007 - 2010	Wichita County Medical Society
2004 – Present	American Heart/Stroke Association (AHA/ASA)
2002 - Present	American Academy of Neurology (AAN)
	Committees /Work Groups/Task Forces
2022 – Present	American Neurological Association (ANA): Global Engagement Committee (GEC), Elected - a committee created by the Board to enhance the relationship of the ANA to the wider world of academic neurology and neuroscience in a global context.
2022 – Present	African Stroke Organization Conference: Vice-Chair, Elected
2021 – Present	African Stroke Organization (ASO), Work Group on Stroke Capacity Building
2021 – Present	Society of Vascular and Interventional Neurology (SVIN), Mission Thrombectomy (MT 2020), member Work Group for Tele-proctoring Development for Mechanical Thrombectomy
2021 – Present	World Stroke Organization-African Task Force, Co-Chair: Leading efforts by coordinating participation of stroke experts across the world to implement a pilot program to make organized Stroke Units available in Rural South Africa and Ethiopia and make IV tPA available for stroke for the first time in Ethiopia. Effort also includes training health workers and support through 'Telestroke without borders'.
2020 – Present	Society of Vascular and Interventional Neurology (SVIN), Mission Thrombectomy (MT 2020) Global Executive Committee, <i>Co-Chair for Sub-Saharan Africa</i>

2019 – 2020	Society of Vascular and Interventional Neurology (SVIN), Mission Thrombectomy (MT 2020) Global Executive Committee, <i>Co-Chair for Ethiopia</i>
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Editorial Activities

Ad Hoc Reviewer

Year(s)	Journal Name
2022	AHA Scientific Statement: Strategies to Reduce Race/Ethnic Inequities in Stroke Preparedness,
	Care, Recovery, and Risk Factor Control for endorsement or affirmation of value. (Review and
	Endorsement on behalf of AAN)
2022	Journal of Stroke and Cerebrovascular Diseases (JSCVD) – July 2022. Manuscript Review.
2022	Seminars in Pediatric Neurology – July 2022. Manuscript Review.
2022	Neurology – May 2022. Manuscript Review.
2022	Journal of Stroke and Cerebrovascular Diseases (JSCVD) – Mar 2022. Manuscript Review.
2017	Journal of Stroke and Cerebrovascular Diseases (JSCVD) – Dec 2017. Manuscript Review.
2017	Nature, Scientific Reports – Feb 2017. Manuscript Review.

Grant / Philanthropic Support

Title of Project	Year	Grantor/Donor	Amount	Role	Project Summary
Bahir Dar Outreach for Neurology (BORNE) initiative	2022	Debra Johnson	\$12,000	Director	Global health outreach initiative to Ethiopia in partnership with University of Bahir Dar to develop Neurology education and services through ongoing educational efforts, research and skills training.
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Bahir Dar Outreach for Neurology (BORNE) initiative	2018	Kenneth Warnock, MD	\$500	Director	Global health outreach initiative to Ethiopia in partnership with University of Bahir Dar to develop Neurology education and services through ongoing educational efforts, research and skills training.

Bahir Dar Outreach for Neurology (BORNE) initiative	2017	Serena Simmons	\$20,000	Director	Global health outreach initiative to Ethiopia in partnership with University of Bahir Dar
Bahir Dar Outreach for Neurology (BORNE) initiative	2017	Betsy and Dan Healy	\$5,000	Director	Global health outreach initiative to Ethiopia in partnership with University of Bahir Dar

Clinical Trials Activities

Present

Grantor	American Neurological Association (ANA)
Title of Project	Bahir Dar Outreach for Neurology Education (BORNE) Symposium and
	Workshop: Delivering Organized Stroke Patients in Bahir Dar, Ethiopia
	ID: 2023 Grant to Activate Global Engagement (GAGE)
	Brief: Implementation of organized stroke care in Bahir Dar, Ethiopia
Role	Senior Mentor. PI: Gelaw Y
Annual Amount and Date	\$2,000 2023 Effort \$ 0

Grantor	Lone Star Stroke Consortium
Title of Project	TNKase LSSC Pilot Study
	STU-2022-0863
	Study post-treatment outcomes for patients who receive one of two standard
	of care drugs for acute ischemic stroke: IV tPA and TNK
Role	Site Collaborator. PI: Brinbaul L
Annual Amount and Date	\$79,000 2022-2023 Effort 0.5%

Grantor	Lone Star Stroke Consortium
Title of Project	ASSIST-TNK
-	STU-2022-0863
	Study barriers and facilitators faced by medical institutions in the transition
	from Alteplase to Tenecteplase
Role	Investigator. PI: Ifejika N

Annual Amount and Date	79,000 2022-2023 Effort 1%
Grantor	Texas State Legislator – 83 rd Texas Legislature
Title of Project	Lone Star Stroke Consortium
Role	Site Co-Investigator. PI: Olson DM
Annual Amount and Date	\$225,294 2021-2024 Effort 5%
Grantor	NINDS – U01NS099043
Title of Project	Sleep SMART: Sleep for Stroke Management and Recovery Trial
Role	Primary Site Investigator
Annual Amount and Date	Capitated budget per subject enrolled, End date 7/31/2023
Grantor	NINDS - U01NS095869-01A1 StrokeNet
Title of Project	AtRial Cardiopathy and Antithrombotic Drugs In Prevention After
	Cryptogenic Stroke (ARCADIA)
Role	Site Co-Investigator
Annual Amount and Date	Capitated budget per subject enrolled, End date 4/30/2023
Grantor	Lone Star Stroke Consortium – UT System
Title of Project	Optimal Delay Time to Initiate Anticoagulation after Ischemic Stroke in
	Atrial Fibrillation (START): a pragmatic, adaptive randomized clinical trial
Role	Site Co-Investigator
Annual Amount and Date	\$235,077 End date 8/31/2023
<u>Past</u>	
Grantor	NIH-NINDS – R13NS115395
Title of Project	Sub-Saharan Africa Conference on Stroke (SSACS) Conference
Title of Froject	Travel grant for early career investigators from the African continent to attend
	and present their scholarly work.
Role	Co-Investigator. PI: Ovbiagele B
Annual Amount and Date	50,000 2020-2021 Effort \$ 0
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Grantor	Internal-Department
Title of Project	A Comparison of Stroke Knowledge Before and After Education in Ethiopia
D. I.	(The ASK Project)
Role	Principal Investigator
Annual Amount and Date	unfunded 2019
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Grantor	NINDS – U01NS077323-01 NN104
Title of Project	ZZ-3K3A-201: A multi-center, Phase 2 study using a continual reassessment
	method to determine the safety and tolerability of 3K3A-APC, a recombinant
	variant of human activated protein C (APC), in combination with tissue
	plasminogen activator (tPA)

Role	Site Investigator
Annual Amount and Date	\$86,768, End date 6/30/2018

Grantor	Internal-Department
Title of Project	Stroke and Hypertension Education Comparison Between Amharic and
-	English (The SHEBA Study)
Role	Principal Investigator
Annual Amount and Date	unfunded 2018

Grantor	Internal-Department
Title of Project	Access to Better Education on Stroke and Hypertension in Amharic
	(ABESHA)
Role	Principal Investigator
Annual Amount and Date	unfunded 2017

Grantor	The Emmes Corporation
Title of Project	Platelet-Oriented Inhibition in New TIA and minor ischemic stroke (POINT) <u>Trial</u>
Role	Site Investigator
Annual Amount and Date	Capitated budget per enrolled subject, End date 8/31/2017

Grantor	Astra-Zeneca
Title of Project	Aspirin vs Ticagrelor for Acute Ischemic Stroke (SOCRATES)
Role	Primary Site Investigator
Annual Amount and Date	Total \$33,720 – 2016 & 2017

Teaching Activities

Medical Student Lectures		
Date	Title	Location
11/2022	Brain and Behavior Lecture: Clinical Features of Cerebrovascular Diseases, MS2	UT Southwestern Medical Center; Dallas, TX
3/2021-Present	Directing and facilitating didactics bi-monthly for Neurovascular Fellows	UT Southwestern Medical Center; Dallas, TX
10/23/2018	Team-Based Learning: Diagnosis and Localization of Stroke, MS2	UT Southwestern Medical Center; Dallas, TX
10/2018	Brain and Behavior Lecture: Clinical Features of Cerebrovascular Diseases, MS2	UT Southwestern Medical Center; Dallas, TX
10/2017	Brain and Behavior Lecture: Clinical Features of Cerebrovascular Disease, MS2	UT Southwestern Medical Center; Dallas, TX

9/2012-Present	Overview of Neurovascular Anatomy,	UT Southwestern Medical Center; Dallas, TX
	localization, Stroke diagnosis and Management; MS3 stroke clerkship (small group teaching)	
	wiss shore element (small group teaching)	

Resident Lectures		
Date	Title	Location
9/15/2022	Uncommon Causes of Stroke; Neurology	UT Southwestern Medical Center,
	residents - Unwin Stroke Conference	Dallas, TX
6/7/2022	Approach to Stroke: Boot Camp 2022	UT Southwestern Medical Center,
		Dallas, TX
6/7/2022	Introduction to Global Health & Disparities	UT Southwestern Medical Center,
	Curriculum: Boot Camp 2022	Dallas, TX
1/7 2022	Stroke Epidemiology and Medical Complications	UT Southwestern Medical Center;
	of Stroke; PM&R Residents	Dallas, TX
3/2021-Present	Directing and Facilitating Didactics bimonthly for	
	Neurovascular Fellows:	Center, Dallas, TX
	1. Epidemiology and Primary Prevention.	
	2. Update on Treatment of Acute Stroke.	
	3. Neuroimaging in Acute Stroke.	
	4. Endovascular Treatment in Acute Stroke.	
	5. Cerebral Small Vessel Disease.	
	6. The evolving Concept of Cryptogenic Stroke.	
	7. Stroke in Women.	
	8. Ischemic Stroke in Young Adults.	
2013 – 2021	Thrombotic Causes of Stroke; Neurology	UT Southwestern Medical
	residents - Unwin Stroke Conference, once/year;	Center; Dallas, TX
1/10/2020	Stroke Epidemiology and Medical Complications	UT Southwestern Medical Center;
	of Stroke; PM&R Residents	Dallas, TX
10/05/2018	Stroke Epidemiology and Medical Complications	UT Southwestern Medical Center;
10/03/2010	of Stroke; PM&R Residents	Dallas, TX
12/09/2017	· ·	,
12/08/2017	A Journey in Academic Global Neurology. A	UT Southwestern Medical
	Beginning-Grand Rounds; PM&R Residents	Center; Dallas, TX
09/22/2017	Practical Approach to Stroke; Psychiatry	UT Southwestern Medical
	Residents (PGY1)	Center; Dallas, TX
CME Lectures		
Date	Title	Location
04/24/2023	Implementation of Culturally Adapted Tools for	American Academy of Neurology
	Stroke Awareness and Care: Case of Ethiopia	(AAN) Annual Conference 2023,
	1	Boston, MA
04/02/2022	Overcoming Burden of Stroke in Sub-Saharan	American Academy of Neurology
0 1/ 02/ 2022	Africa	(AAN) Annual Conference 2022,
	1 III lou	Seattle, WA

10/21/2020	BORNE at Crossroads: Reimagining Global Health Grand Rounds: Department of Neurology	UT Southwestern Medical Center; Dallas, TX
10/20/2018	Global Burden of Stroke-8 th Annual Stroke Symposium	UT Southwestern Medical Center; Dallas, TX
09/12/2018	Global Neurology. The Ethiopia Experience- Grand Rounds; Department of Neurology	UT Southwestern Medical Center; Dallas, TX
10/01/2014	Telemedicine Promises and Challenges, Global Health Implications-Grand Rounds; Department of Global Health	UT Southwestern Medical Center; Dallas, TX

Date	Title	Location
01/2023	World Stroke Organization (WSO)-African Task Force: on site assessment and workshop on implementation of Acute Stroke Unit organization and Thrombolytic Therapy administration	Bahir Dar, Ethiopia Addis Ababa, Ethiopia
11/2022	African Stroke Organization Conference (ASOC). Organizer	Virtual
11/2021	African Stroke Organization Conference (ASOC). Organizer, Session moderator	Virtual
11/2021	African Stroke Organization Conference (ASOC). 1 of 5 members and Co-PI of this conference funded by NIH travel grant	Virtual
12/2020	UTSW-BORNE Annual Global Health Symposium 2020 – A virtual UTSW and Bahir Dar University Collaborative Event. Focus: <i>Neurotrauma</i> . (Topics included-Spinal Cord Injury, Brain Injury, Epilepsy, Demyelinating Disorders. Featured faculty in Neurology, Neurosurgery, Neurocritical Care, Physical Medicine & Rehab)	Virtual Webinar
07/2019	UTSW-BORNE Annual Global Health Symposium 2019 – Led a 21 member team who conducted Lectures and workshops in a wide range of specialty areas (Stroke, Epilepsy, Movement Disorders, Emergency Medicine, Physical Medicine and Rehab, Family Medicine and Hospital Medicine)	Bahir Dar University; Bahir Dar, Ethiopia

Committees concerned with medical and graduate student education

2017 – Present	Residents Clinical Competency Committee; Neurology Residency	UT Southwestern Medical Center; Dallas, TX
2015 – Present	Interview Committee; Medical Students Distinction in Global Health	UT Southwestern Medical Center; Dallas, TX
2013	Scholarly Activity Review Committee; Medical Students Distinction in Global Health	UT Southwestern Medical Center; Dallas, TX

Medical Student Rotations

Date	Title	Location
2012 – Present	Stroke Clerkship 12 months / year	UT Southwestern Medical Center;
		Dallas, TX

Postgraduate Medical Education

Clinical Supervision		
Date	Title	Location
07/2018	Global Neurology Elective-UTSW Neurology Residents; 4 weeks	St. Paul's Hospital Millennium Medical College, Addis Ababa and Felege Hiwot Hospital, Bahir
2012 – Present	Stroke Service-Neurology Residents and Stroke Fellows 12 months/ year	Dar, Ethiopia UT Southwestern, Parkland; Dallas, TX

Curriculum Dev	elopment
Date	Title Location
04/2023	Course Director for American Academy of Neurology (AAN) 2023 prepared the curriculum for the course: <i>The Global Burden of Neurologic</i> Diseases: with 3 topics/presenters 1. Global Burden of Stroke: Epidemiology, Challenges, and Opportunities 2. Global Burden of Dementia 3. Implementation of Culturally Adapted Tools for Stroke Awareness and Care: Case of Ethiopia American Academy of Neurology (AAN) 2023 Annual Conference, Boston, MA
11/2022	Acute Therapies of Ischemic Stroke / Endovascular and others-Course Director African Stroke Organization Conference ASOC 2022 (virtual)

04/2022	Course Director for American Academy of Neurology (AAN) 2022 prepared the curriculum for the course: <i>The Global Burden of Neurologic Diseases</i> : with 3 topics/presenters 1. The Global Burden of Disability from Stroke and the State of Rehabilitation Services 2. Overcoming Burden of Stroke in Sub- Saharan Africa 3. Expanding Access to Thrombectomy for Stroke Globally	American Academy of Neurology (AAN) 2022 Annual Conference, Seattle, WA
9/2021-Present	Global Health & Disparities (GHD) track for neurology residents. Residents who commit to this track as PGY-2 receive monthly lectures by faculty from UTSW and outside on topics that address Global health and Disparities in care delivery. They participate in identifying gaps in care to vulnerable populations and participate in scholarly activities pertaining to those issues. As PGY 3 and 4 they are able to travel to Ethiopia and complete a capstone project before graduating as neurologists with concentration/distinction in GHD.	UT Southwestern Medical Center; Dallas, TX
10/2018	Team Based Learning:MS2 Neurology Course design; collaboration with Dr.s Lindsey Pershern, Benjamin Greenberg and Lauren Phillips	UT Southwestern Medical Center; Dallas, TX
07/2018 – Present	Director-Global Neurology Resident's Elective (Global Health & Disparities GHD since 2021)	UT Southwestern Medical Center; Dallas, TX

Mentoring Activities

Year(s)	Position Title	Institution
Students and Reside	nts/Fellows	
2023	Ashton Smelser, MS4: The Use of a Neuroscience Knowledge Assessment on Healthcare Staff	UT Southwestern
2022	Hiren Patel, MS4: Cross Cultural Adaptation of Stroke Scale in Amharic	UT Southwestern
2022	Sheetal Hegde, PGY 3 Neurology	UT Southwestern
2021	Gabriela Alejo, MS4: Mechanical Thrombectomy (MT) for Stroke Access in Africa	UT Southwestern

2021	Nurose Karim, Fellow, vascular Neurology	UT Southwestern
2021	Natalia Caldito, PGY 4 Neurology	UT Southwestern
2021-Present	Black Male Mentoring Round Table – UTSW Residents, various departments	UT Southwestern
2019-2020	College Student Summer Interns, Mentor: <i>The 'ASK Project': Effectiveness of Amharic "BE-FAST" acronym on participant recognition of stroke symptoms.</i> – 6 college students from area Universities traveled to Ethiopia and conducted a survey on effectiveness of a stroke education video recorded by the mentor-Published 2020	UT Southwestern
2019	Neurology Resident's Research Day, Mentor: Kathrine Heaton, MD "The Outlook of Cerebrovascular Events in Ethiopia. Current Care and Future Initiatives"	UT Southwestern
2018	MS3 Scholarly activity in Global Health, Mentor: Chiamaka Onuigbo, MS3 – Stroke Research among Dallas Ethiopian Community	UT Southwestern
2018	College Student Summer Intern, mentor: Azhar Ali-Stroke Research among Dallas Ethiopian Community	UT Southwestern
2017	College Student Summer Intern, Mentor: Sosena Assefa-Stroke Research among Dallas Ethiopian Community	UT Southwestern
2014	Office of Faculty Diversity and Development, Faculty Liaison/Mentor - Workshops for HEAL(House staff Emerging Academy of Leaders) * "Surviving & Thriving in Residency and Beyond" 09/23/2014 * "Fatigue Management and Evaluation" 10/21/2014 * "Communicating With Impact" 11/18/2014 * "The Science and Art of Negotiation" 12/12/2014	UT Southwestern
2013 – Present	Office of Global Health, Mentor Mentoring Students in the "MD with Distinction in Global Health Track" *Advise and assist students in crafting projects that suit their interests in the area of global health * Share network of contacts and communities of practice and other referrals *Provide a critical assessment of scholarly activity of medical students in Global Health Distinction track. -Luam Ghidei,MD: Class of 2015- Knowledge and Perception of Cervical Cancer and Screening Programs of Women Seeking care at Monduli Hospital in Tanzania and St. Paul Hospital in Addis Ababa, Ethiopia.	UT Southwestern

	-Kathryn Rimmer, MD: Class of 2015- Secondary prevention of TIA or stroke: a cost-effective yet underutilized approach to improving stroke rates worldwide	
2013 – Present	Office of Student Diversity and Inclusion, Mentor -newly accepted students (MSSO)- shadowing -Physician Scientist Program- shadowing -MS4 Students - mock interviews for residency -Gotcha Covered Mentor, close and regular communication with MS1 -HPREP-The Health Professions Recruitment and Exposure	UT Southwestern
	Program (HPREP) is an enrichment program that exposes high school students to medicine and science through a variety of workshops and hands-on activities.	

Mentoring Activities

Year(s)	Position Title	Institution
Faculty – Local/Na	ational/International	
2023	Parth Upadhyaya, DO – Assistant Professor, Neurology • Implementation of telemedicine utility at Bahir Dar University, Ethiopia	UT Southwestern
2023	 Rachel Aubert, DO – Assistant Professor, Neurology Curriculum development for Neurology Residency at Bahir Dar University, Ethiopia 	UT Southwestern
2022 – Present	 Vasileios-Arsenio Lioutas, MD – Assistant Professor, Neurology Cross Cultural Adaptation of NIH Stroke Scale in Amharic World Stroke Organization, Future Stroke Leadership 	BIDMC, Harvard Medical School
2021 – Present	 Erica Jones, MD, MPH – Assistant Professor, Neurology ISC 2023: Role of Global Outreach in Combating Stroke in Africa – Moderator (sponsorship) Cross Cultural Adaptation of NIH Stroke Scale in Amharic Global Health and Disparities (GHD) track for Neurology Residency – Associate Director 	UT Southwestern
2019 – Present	 Mulugeta Biyadgie, MD – Assistant Professor, Neurology Clinical practice and continuous education and research in Neurology 	Bahir Dar University, Ethiopia
2018 – Present	 Samuel Hunegnaw, MD – Assistant Professor, Internal Medicine Clinical practice and continuous education and research in Neurology Online EEG Training and Certification by World Federation of Neurology (sponsorship) 	Bahir Dar University, Ethiopia

2017 – Present	Seblewongel Asmare, MD – Assistant Professor, Neurology	Bahir Dar
	 Clinical practice and continuous education in Neurology 	University, Ethiopia
	 Online EEG Training and Certification by World Federation 	
	of Neurology (sponsorship)	

Invited Lectures

Year(s)	Title	Location
International/National		
Jan, 2023	Organization of Stroke Units	Bahir Dar University, Ethiopia Tikur Anbessa Specialized Hospital, Addis Ababa, Ethiopia
Jan, 2023	The NIH Stroke Scale	Bahir Dar University, Ethiopia Tikur Anbessa Specialized Hospital, Addis Ababa, Ethiopia
Jan, 2023	Etiologic Investigation of Ischemic Stroke and Secondary Prevention	Bahir Dar University, Ethiopia
Nov, 2022	Society of Vascular and Interventional Neurologists (SVIN) Annual Conference - Mission Thrombectomy, Annual Brunch Panel: Global Impact	Los Angeles, CA
Nov, 2022	American Heart Association (AHA) Scientific Sessions (Annual) – Global Cardiovascular Diseases: Collaborative Training & Research Opportunities	Chicago, Il
Oct., 2022	New Era of Stroke Therapy – Mechanical Thrombectomy: Introduction to Mission Thrombectomy White Paper BRAIN-SCAN Society of Cameroonian Neurologists Congress	Yaoundé, Cameroon (virtual)
Oct., 2022	Overcoming Stroke Burden in Sub-Saharan Africa - Harvard, Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center – Stroke Conference	Boston, MA (virtual)
Sep., 2022	Uncommon Causes of Stroke – Teaching University Hospital of Zambia	Lusaka, Zambia
Sep., 2022	Overcoming Burden of Stroke in Sub-Saharan Africa	Lusaka, Zambia
April, 2022	2022 Medical Student Symposium: Careers in Neurology – Global Neurology	AAN 2022 Annual Conference, Seattle, WA
April, 2022	2022 Health Care Equity Symposium: Individual project	AAN 2022 Annual Conference, Seattle, WA
March, 2022	International Hospital Federation (IHF) Webinar: Bridging Healthcare Barriers in Africa Via Telehealth	Virtual

Nov, 2021	The State of Stroke Care in Ethiopia at International Symposium on Collaterals to The Brain 2021	University of California, Los Angeles
April, 2021	Engaging in Global Neurology	AAN 2021 Annual Conference, Virtual Meeting
July, 2018	Latest Updates in Acute Therapies of Stroke	Bahir Dar University, Ethiopia
Sep., 2017	Latest Updates in Acute Therapies of Stroke	Bahir Dar University, Ethiopia
Sep., 2017	Primary Prevention of Stroke	Bahir Dar University, Ethiopia
July, 2016	Latest Updates in Acute Therapies for Stroke	Bahir Dar University, Ethiopia
July, 2016	Primary Prevention of Stroke	Bahir Dar University, Ethiopia
July, 2016	Diagnosis and Management of Epilepsies	Bahir Dar University, Ethiopia
July, 2016	The Neurological Exam	Bahir Dar University, Ethiopia
July, 2016	Differential Diagnosis in Neurology	Bahir Dar University, Ethiopia
International – CMI	<u> </u>	
July, 2019	Latest Updates in Acute Therapies of Stroke	Addis Ababa University, Ethiopia
Regional/Local		
April, 2022	Global Health & Disparities Curriculum for Neurology Residents	Department of neurology, UT Rio Grande Valley, Harlingen, TX (virtual)
April, 2021	Advocacy for the Underserved: How To. – Black Men Round Table Mentoring	UT Southwestern Medical School
May, 2020	Global Neurology. BORNE Out of Necessity-Rotary Club of Addison, Texas	Addison, Texas
February, 2020	"Developing International Partnership to Foster Stroke Research, Education, Training and Care Delivery in Africa." – moderated session at the International Stroke Conference (ISC 2020)	Los Angeles, CA
February, 2020	"Africa Stroke Landscape" - presented to Mission Thrombectomy (MT 2020) Global Executive Committee	Los Angeles, CA
November, 2019	Global Health is in Your Hands to SNMA Regional Medical Education Conference	UT Southwestern Medical School
April, 2019	Global Health is in Your Hands to YMCA Model UN State Conference	Dallas, Texas
Feb., 2019	Global Neurology. The BORNE Initiative to Habesha Student Union	UT Dallas, Dallas, Texas
Nov., 2018	Global Neurology. The BORNE Initiative-Rotary Club of Coppell	Coppell, Texas
April, 2018	Update on Stroke, Acute Treatment and Prevention with Ethiopian Health Professional Association	Dallas, Texas
Dec., 2017	A Journey in Academic Global Neurology. A Beginning – Grand Rounds	UT Southwestern, Department of Physical Medicine & Rehab

Mar., 2016	Selection of stroke patients for Endovascular Revascularization in the ED	THR-Huguley Hospital, Texas
Sep., 2015	Update on Guidelines for Acute Ischemic Stroke- inclusion about Endovascular Rescue with Retrievable Stents	United Regional Hospital, Wichita Falls, Texas
July, 2015	Telestroke Demonstration	Centennial Hospital, Plano, Texas
Dec., 2014	Telestroke Demonstration	Dallas Medical Center, Dallas, Texas
Oct., 2014	Telemedicine Promises and Challenges, Global Health Implications – Grand Rounds Department of Global Health	UT Southwestern Medical School
Regional/Local – CME		
Sep., 2013	Acute Ischemic Stroke Management in ED	THR-HEB Hospital, Bedford, Texas

Service to the Community

Year(s)	Role	Organization or institution
Dec., 2022	Students Interest Group in Neurology (SIGN) Luncheon	UT Southwestern
Oct., 2022	Mock Residency Interviews for Medical Students: Office of Student Diversity and Inclusion	UT Southwestern
April, 2022	Let's Talk About Stroke on Club House: featured speaker on a panel of health experts	Yetena Weg
March, 2022	Stroke: Symptoms and Treatment on Helen Show: TV interview	EBS TV, Ethiopia
March, 2021	Video PSA: Amharic – Our Best Shot. Let's Get the Vaccine	UT Southwestern
January, 2020	Radio Interview: on UTWS's Global Outreach initiative in Ethiopia, Education tools to identify stroke symptoms	KNON Dallas Community Radio
November, 2019	Community Education / Health Fair: Stroke Signs, Treatment and Prevention	Ethiopian Evangelical Baptist Church, Garland, TX
August, 2019	Radio Interview: on UTWS's Global Outreach initiative in Ethiopia, Education tools to identify stroke symptoms	KNON Dallas Community Radio
July, 2019	TV Interview: on UTSW – BORNE Symposium in Ethiopia, Education tools to identify stroke symptoms	EBS TV, Ethiopia
May, 2018	Community Education: Radio interview on Stroke signs, treatment and prevention	Ye Dallas Radio
Sep., 2017	Community Education: TV interview-Stroke: causes, symptoms, diagnosis and treatment	EBS TV – 'New Life' health program. Ethiopia

April, 2017	Community Education: Radio interview on Stroke signs,	KNON Dallas Community
	treatment and prevention	Radio

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