

## Curriculum Vitae

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Award

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### **Qualifications**

- **Graduated with MB ChB, University of Glasgow, Medical School in 2003**
- **Completed Intercollegiate MRCS examination in November 2005**
- **Conferred Master of Medicine (Surgery) degree awarded by National University of Singapore in February 2007**
- **Completed Joint Specialty Fellowship Exit Examination in General Surgery in August 2010 with the award of the College of Surgeons, Singapore, Gold Medal and conferred FRCSEd (Gen)**
- **Gained Specialist Accreditation in General Surgery in November 2010 with entry onto the Specialist Register with Singapore Medical Council**
- **Awarded Diploma Endoprotheses Aortiques from Universite Lille 2 Droit Et Sante, France in May 2016**

Appointed **Senior Consultant in General and Vascular Surgery** in Tan Tock Seng Hospital, Singapore on 17 May 2017 (Appointed Consultant 11 May 2012)

Appointed **Head of Department of General Surgery**, Tan Tock Seng Hospital on 17 December 2018

Appointed **Head of Service for Vascular and Endovascular Surgery**, Tan Tock Seng Hospital on 1 October 2017

Appointed **Head of Vascular Diagnostic Laboratory**, Tan Tock Seng Hospital on 1 August 2013

Member, Credentials and Accreditation Committee, TTSH

Member, Medical Device Committee, TTSH

Member, Technology Assessment Committee, TTSH

Member, TTSH Clinical Board

Co-opted Member, Chapter of General Surgeons, College of Surgeons, Singapore (2016 to 2017)

Department Quality Review Officer (2012 to 2016)

Member, Clinical Competency Committee, NHG Plastic Surgery Residency Program (2014 to 2016)

**Clinical Fellow** in Vascular and Endovascular Surgery, St Vincent's Hospital, Melbourne and Epworth Hospital Richmond, Melbourne for 5 months (7 May 2012 to 6 October 2012)

**Clinical Fellow** in Vascular Surgery, West of Scotland Regional Vascular Unit, Western Infirmary, Glasgow for 1 year (21 March 2011 to 20 March 2012)

## **Registrar Appointments**

**General Surgery** (3 May 2007 to 8 Nov 2010) Tan Tock Seng Hospital (TTSH) and Singapore General Hospital (SGH)

Four year Advanced Specialist Training (AST) programme in General Surgery – May 2007 to October 2010

**Postings Dates** Breast and Endocrine Surgery (TTSH) May 2007 – October 2007  
Hepatobiliary and Pancreatic Surgery (TTSH) November 2007 – April 2008  
Colorectal Surgery (TTSH) May 2008 – October 2008 Trauma Surgery (TTSH)  
November 2008 – April 2009 Vascular Surgery (TTSH) May 2009 – October 2009  
Vascular Surgery (Singapore General Hospital) November 2009 – April 2010  
Upper Gastrointestinal Surgery (TTSH) May 2010 – October 2010

## **Medical Officer Appointment**

**General Surgery** (10<sup>th</sup> April 2006 – 2 May 2007) Tan Tock Seng Hospital, Singapore

## **Senior House Officer Appointments**

**General and Vascular Surgery** (3<sup>rd</sup> August 2005 – 8<sup>th</sup> February 2006) The Ayr Hospital, Scotland, United Kingdom

**Accident and Emergency Medicine** (2<sup>nd</sup> February 2005 – 2<sup>nd</sup> August 2005) Crosshouse Hospital, Kilmarnock, Scotland, United Kingdom

**Orthopaedics and Trauma Surgery** (4<sup>th</sup> August 2004 – 1<sup>st</sup> February 2005) Crosshouse Hospital, Kilmarnock, Scotland, United Kingdom

## **Junior House Officer Appointments**

**General Medicine** (4<sup>th</sup> February 2004 to 3<sup>rd</sup> August 2004) University Medical Unit, Glasgow Royal Infirmary, Scotland, United Kingdom

**General Surgery and Urology** (5<sup>th</sup> August 2003 – 3<sup>rd</sup> February 2004) Gartnavel General Hospital/Western Infirmary, Scotland, United Kingdom

**Advanced Trauma Life Support (ATLS) Provider Course** – The Royal College of Surgeons of England / Ayrshire and Arran Acute Hospitals NHS Trust: September 2004

**Basic Surgical Skills Course** – The Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Glasgow: October 2004

**Care of the Critically Ill Surgical Patient (CCrISP) Course** – Royal College of Surgeons of England: November 2005

**Basic and Advanced Cardiac Life Support (BCLS and ACLS) Courses** (Tan Tock Seng Hospital, Singapore) – April 2006 and February 2010

**Practical Critical Care (PRACC) Course** (Tan Tock Seng Hospital, Singapore) – May 2006

**Introduction to Colonoscopy Programme** (Tan Tock Seng Hospital, Singapore) – October 2006

**Introduction to Laparoscopy: Resident Education Resource Programme** (Tan Tock Seng Hospital, Singapore) – October 2006

**Advanced Trauma Life Support (ATLS) Provider Course** (Tan Tock Seng Hospital, Singapore) – 17 to 18 May 2007

**Basic Emergency Sonography for Trauma (FAST) Course** (Tan Tock Seng Hospital, Singapore) – 17 to 18 July 2007

**Advanced Trauma Life Support (ATLS) Instructor's Course** – 19 to 20 February 2008

**Asia Pacific Venous Thromboembolism Training Programme** (National University Hospital, Singapore) – 18 to 19 August 2008

**Fundamental Critical Care Support (FCCS) Course** – 13 to 14 September 2008

**Responsible Care and Use of Laboratory Animals Course** (Singapore General Hospital) – 30 October 2008

**Definitive Surgical Trauma Care (DSTC) course** (Tan Tock Seng Hospital, Singapore) – 10 to 11 November 2008

**Basic Microsurgery Course** (Singapore General Hospital) – 17 to 20 November 2008

**Basic Principles in Epidemiology and Statistical Analysis using STATA** (National University of Singapore) – 20 to 24 July 2009

**9<sup>th</sup> International Laparoscopic Workshop:** “Abdominal Wall Surgery, Biomaterials and Single Port Surgery” Workshop ((National University Hospital, Singapore)) – 3 to 4 August 2009

**EVAR and TEVAR Sizing and Planning Workshop** (Medtronic Academia and (National University Hospital, Singapore) – 21 to 22 August 2009

**Basic Guidewire, Catheter and Imaging Skills Course** (Medtronic Academia, Asia Pacific) – 10 to 11 December 2009

**Medical Ethics, Professionalism and Health Law Course** (Singapore Medical Association) – 14 to 16 January 2010

**Advanced Cardiac Life Support (ACLS) Provider Course** (Singapore General Hospital) – 2 to 3 February 2010

**Cadaveric Dissection Course in Vascular Surgery** (Laboratory of Human Anatomy, University of Glasgow) – 31 August 2011

**ANZ Cook Medical Fellowluminaries Endovascular Course** (Melbourne, Australia) – 21 to 22 September 2012

**Harvard Macy Institute – Health Professionals as Educators Course** (Singapore) – 18 to 22 February 2013 and 29 July to 2 August 2013

**Straub Medical Endovascular Workshop**, Changi General Hospital, Singapore, 31 July 2013

**Using Simulation and Integrated Medical training (USIMT) – Designing and Managing a SIMT Course**, Simulation and Integrated Medical Training Advancement Centre (SIMTAC), National Healthcare Group, 21 August 2013

**Improving MyCare Advanced Programme** – Tan Tock Seng Hospital, 2 to 5 September 2013

**Inspiring SEALS Program (ISP)** – National Healthcare Group Leadership Program, 2014

**Singapore Guideline for Good Clinical Practice Course** (Online) – November 2015

**Advanced Endovascular Aortic Workshop** – CHRU Lille, France, May 2016

**Johnson & Johnson – SMU Hospital Management Program**, 6 – 10 November 2017

**Fenestrated Anaconda International Flow Model Workshop**, Forchheim, Germany,  
15 – 16 March 2018

42<sup>nd</sup> World Congress of Surgery of the International Society of Surgery, International  
Surgical Week 2007, Montreal, August 2007

International Surgical Congress 2009, Association of Surgeons of Great Britain and  
Ireland, Glasgow, May 2009

32<sup>nd</sup> Charing Cross International Symposium, Imperial College, London, April 2010

Bringing Basic Science into Clinical Practice – Vascular Emergencies and Trauma  
Karolinska Institutet, Stockholm, Sweden, 26 – 27 May 2011

35<sup>th</sup> Charing Cross International Symposium, Imperial College, London, April 2013

Aortic Asia 2013 and National University Hospital / Abbott Peripheral Intervention  
Workshop, Singapore, April 2013

Leipzig Interventional Course (LINC) Asia Pacific, Hong Kong, 17 – 19 March 2014

Royal Australasian College of Surgeons, Annual Scientific Congress, 5 – 9 May 2014

Critical Issues in Aortic Endografting 2016, Lille, France, 20 – 21 May 2016

14<sup>th</sup> Asia-Pacific Medical Education Conference 2017, 11 – 15 January 2017

Symposium on Aneurysm Sealing 2018, Hong Kong, 17 – 19 May 2018

**Breast Conservation Surgery** presented at 42<sup>nd</sup> World Congress of Surgery of the  
International Society of Surgery, International Surgical Week 2007, Montreal,  
August 2007.

**Visceral Artery Aneurysms** – 9 year experience in a Tertiary Hospital in an Urban  
Asian City. Presented at International Surgical Congress 2009 of The Association  
of Surgeons of Great Britain and Ireland, Glasgow, May 2009

Invited faculty for Annual Combined Surgical Meeting 2013, Singapore

Invited speaker for Surgical Education Summit 2014, Singapore Health & Biomedical Congress 27 September 2014

Invited speaker and faculty for 4<sup>th</sup> Aortic Asia Symposium 2015 (9 to 10 April 2015): Lessons from the IMPROVE trial and My best and worst case

Invited speaker for 49<sup>th</sup> Singapore – Malaysia Congress of Medicine 2015 (31 July to 2 August 2015): Surgical Residency Training – 5 years training to become a competent general surgery – adequate?

Invited speaker and faculty at 2<sup>nd</sup> Singapore General Hospital Endovascular Surgery Course, 2<sup>nd</sup> Singhealth Surgical Congress (26 to 27 October 2015) – Chimney EVAR in Short neck AAA

Invited speaker at Cook Medical Aortic Intervention Asia-Pacific Sales Meeting 29 October 2015

Invited speaker and faculty for 5<sup>th</sup> Aortic Asia Symposium 2016 (31 May to 2 April 2016): Long term outcomes of Arch Fenestrations and Chimney

Organising Committee Member and Invited speaker for 17<sup>th</sup> Congress of the Asian Society for Vascular Surgery (20 to 23 October 2016): My experience using arch fen. What challenges do I face and what patients am I using it for? (Aortic Arch Fenestrated Endografts at Cook Education Symposium)

Invited Speaker for 8<sup>th</sup> Catholic VESSEL (Vascular and Endovascular Surgery Symposium for Education and Learning) Update 2016, Catholic University of Korea, Seoul (2 to 4 December 2016): EVAR with anatomical fixation and Polymer-based Endografts

Invited Speaker for Aortic Asia 2018 (5 to 7 April 2018): Early experience with fenestrated thoracic endografts and Cook Medical Lunch Symposium Round Table Case Discussion of Management of Complex Aortic Arch Aneurysm

Invited Faculty to Medtronic Aortic Summit (20 to 21 September 2018) – Endoanchors in Endovascular Aneurysm Repair – Tips and tricks for success

An Unusual Case of Leiomyosarcoma of the Inferior Vena Cava in a Patient With a Duplicated Inferior Vena Cava G. Tan, K. Chia *Annals of Vascular Surgery* 2009,23(2):256.e13-18 (PMID: 18809279)

- Behcet's Disease Presenting as Bilateral Common Femoral Artery Pseudo-aneurysms  
GWL Tan, KH Chia *European Journal of Vascular and Endovascular Surgery*  
2009;37(6):738 (EJVES Extra (2009) 17, 55e57)
- Is Transurethral Catheterisation the Ideal Way of Bladder Drainage? – A Survey on  
Patient Satisfaction towards Indwelling Transurethral Urinary Catheters Glenn  
Wei Leong Tan, Siew Pang Chan, Choon Kiat Ho *Asian Journal of Surgery*  
2010;33(1):31-36 (PMID: 20497880)
- Management of blunt traumatic thoracic aorta injuries with endovascular stent  
grafts in a tertiary hospital in an Urban Asian City Glenn Wei Leong Tan, Chong  
Han Pek, Daniel Wong, Sundeep Punamiya, Ming Terk Chiu, Vijayan Appasamy,  
Kok Hoong Chia, Chee Wei Lee *Annals of Vascular Surgery*  
2011;25(5):605-611 (PMID: 21435831)
- Aortoenteric Fistula Treated with Endovascular Aortic Stent-Graft and Bilateral  
Chimney Stent-Grafts to Renal Arteries Glenn Wei Leong Tan, Daniel Wong,  
Sundeep Punamiya, Bien Peng Tan, Charles Vu, Brenda Ang, David Foo, Kok  
Hoong Chia *Annals of Vascular Surgery* 2012;26:422.e13-422.e16 (PMID:  
22284779)
- Successful endovascular embolization of a jejunal artery aneurysm Zhiwen Joseph  
Lo, Jeffrey J Leow, Ker-Kan Tan, Glenn Wei Leong Tan *Singapore Medical  
Journal* 2015;56(3)e46-e48
- Covered Endovascular Reconstruction of Aortic Bifurcation Technique in Infected  
Aortic Aneurysm Pua U, Quek LK, Tan GW *J Vasc Interv Radiol* 2015  
*Jul;26(7):1079-82* (PMID: 26095274)
- Inferior Mesenteric Artery Rendezvous for Revascularization of Aorto-iliac Occlusive  
Disease Pua U, Quek LK, Tan GW *Cardiovasc Intervent Radiol* 2015 Jun 6 (PMID:  
26048017)
- Use of StarClose Device under Ultrasound Guidance in Inadvertent Carotid Artery  
Puncture Pua U, Tan GW, Punamiya S *J Vasc Interv Radiol* 2015 Sep;26(9):1410-2  
(PMID: 26314652)
- Delayed Recurrence of Type 1A Endoleak with Aortic Rupture and Hemorrhage After  
Endovascular Aneurysm Sealing (EVAS) Uei Pua, Lawrence Han Hwee Quek,

Glenn Wei Leong Tan *Cardiovasc Intervent Radiol* 2016 Jul;39(7):1061-5. (PMID: 26757910)

Transvenous Salvage of Migrated Large Volume Detachable Coil Uei Pua, Lawrence Han Hwee Quek, Glenn Wei Leong Tan *Cardiovasc Intervent Radiol* 2016 Dec;39(12):1797-1800. Epub 2016 Jun 6. (PMID: 27272710)

Predictors of radio-cephalic arteriovenous fistula patency in an Asian population Joseph Lo Z, Tay WM, Lee Q, Chua JL, Tan GW, Chandrasekar S, Narayanan S *J Vasc Access* 2016 Sep 21;17(5):411-416 (PMID: 27516144)

Plug Closure of an Arteriovenous “Fish-tula” for Lymphoedema Pua U, Tan GW *J Vasc Interv Radiol* 2016 Nov;27(11):1777 (PMID: 27926424)

The IR Point of View: Action Cameras for IR Action Pua U, Kwan J, Tan GW *Cardiovasc Intervent Radiol* 2017 Apr;40(4):639-641 (PMID: 27999915)

A Question Mark on Thoracoabdominal Aneurysm Pua U, Tan GWL, Quek LHH *J Vasc Interv Radiol* 2017 May;28(5):655 (PMID: 28431646)

Bubble Trouble: Air Embolism during Multiple EndoAnchor Application Pua U, Tan GWL, Quek LHH *J Vasc Interv Radiol* 2017 May;28(5):768-770 (PMID: 28431655)

Accentuation of Insufficient Landing Zone Using High-volume Three-dimensional Coils during Iliac Aneurysm Stent Grafting for Hypogastric Artery Preservation Pua U, Quek LHH, Tan GWL *Ann Vasc Surg* 2017 May 4 (PMID: 28479430)

A review of arterio-venous fistulae creation in Octogenarians Diandra JC, Lo ZJ, Ang WW, Feng JF, Narayanan S, Tan GWL, Chandrasekar S *Ann Vasc Surg* 2017 Jul 22 (PMID: 28743653)

Common Femoral Artery Calibre Changes after Percutaneous versus Surgical Access in Endovascular Aneurysm Repair in the Asian Population Ong DY, Tan GWL, Chan MS, Pua U *Ann Vasc Surg* 2017 Sep 22 (PMID: 28943488)

A Series of 210 Peripheral Arterial Disease Below-Knee Amputations and Predictors for Subsequent Above-Knee Amputations Wu JT, Wong M, Lo ZJ, Wong WE, Narayanan S, Tan GWL, Chandrasekar S *Ann Vasc Dis* 2017 Sep 25;10(3) (PMID: 29147164)

Early Experience and Lessons Learnt with Customized Fenestrated Thoracic Endovascular Aortic Reconstruction for Aortic Arch Pathology in Asian Population Tan GWL, Quek L, Tan BP, Pua U *Cardiovasc Intervent Radiol* 2017 Dec 13 (PMID: 29238868)

Diabetic Foot Limb Salvage – A series of 809 Attempts and Predictors for Endovascular Limb Salvage Failure Lo ZJ, Lin Z, Pua U, Quek LHH, Tan BP, Punamiya S, Tan GWL, Narayanan S, Chandrasekar S Ann Vasc Surg 2018 Feb 9 (PMID: 29428535)

Use of Negative Pressure Wound Therapy for Lower Limb Bypass Incisions Tan KW, Lo ZJ, Hong Q, Narayanan S, Tan GWL, Chandrasekar S Ann Vasc Dis 2017 Dec 25 (PMID:29515700)

Review of patency rates between one stage and two stage brachiobasilic transposition arteriovenous fistulae creation in an Asian population H Yu, B Huang, JWK Yau, S Chandrasekar, GWL Tan, ZJ Lo Ann Vasc Dis 2018 September 6

Comparison of Monopolar and Segmental Radiofrequency Ablation in the treatment of Lower Limb Chronic Venous Insufficiency JR Tan, ZJ Lo, P Lingam, Q Hong, E Yong, S Chandrasekar, GWL Tan ARC J of Surg 2018 4(3):5-1

Co-Investigator, Singapore INfra-Genicular Angioplasty with PAclitaxel-eluting balloon for Critical Limb Ischaemia (SINGA-PACLI) Trial

Co-Investigator, BIOLUX PIII Registry – BIOTRONIK prospective, international, multi-centre, post-market all-comers registry to assess the clinical performance of the Passeo-18 Lux Paclitaxel releasing Balloon Catheter in infrainguinal arteries

TTSH Principal Investigator, SingHealth Foundation – National Health Innovation Centre Joint MedTech Grant 2015 (\$100,000) for Wearable non-invasive device to provide dynamic neuromuscular electrical stimulation (NMES) of the superficial and deep calf muscles for lower limb venous return. Proof of Concept with healthy volunteers.

Clinical Principal Investigator, Medtech Innovation Grant (MIG) 2016 from A\*STAR Biomedical Research Council (\$446,740) for project titled “Improved healing in chronic leg ulcers via new technologies to determine effective compressions treatments”. To evaluate new medtech device to investigate the correct amount of

compression to be applied when performing compression dressings.

**Principal Lead for Surgery, Adjunct Assistant Professor, Lee Kong Chian School of Medicine (2014 to 2018)**

**Senior Clinical Lecturer** – Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine, National University of Singapore. Examiner for Undergraduate Exams

**Advanced Trauma Life Support (ATLS) Instructor** – Teaching in two ATLS courses annually

**Core Clinical Faculty Member of General Surgery Residency Programme** for National Healthcare Group

**Hospital Convenor** for Faculty of Medicine, National University of Singapore, MBBS Surgery Track Final Examination in 2008

**Co-Course Director, Asia-Pacific AFX Workshop**, 8 to 9 May 2018 and 11 to 12 September 2017

**Co-Course Director**, Aortic Intervention Workshop, Singapore Congress of Radiology 2016

**Program Director, Medtronic Veriset Animal Workshop**, 9 January 2016

**Course Director of Vascular Anastomosis Workshop** in Tan Tock Seng Hospital (2012 to 2016)

**Course Director of 1<sup>st</sup> Asia-Pacific Endovenous Radiofrequency Ablation Workshop** in 2014

Introduced Fenestrated Endovascular Aneurysm Repair (EVAR) for complex aneurysms in Tan Tock Seng Hospital in 2014. Implanted over 40 Custom-Made Aortic Devices (including Juxtarenal Fenestrated endografts, Fenestrated Thoracic endografts and Thoracoabdominal branch endografts).

Performed the first Customised Fenestrated Thoracic Endovascular Aneurysm Repair (TEVAR) in Singapore and South East Asia. Demonstrated feasibility of Fenestrated TEVAR in Asian patients.

Introduced the F-Care EVRF catheter to TTSH for performing Endovenous Radiofrequency Ablation for varicose veins. TTSH is the Asian centre with the largest experience with the EVRF system for varicose veins. Organised the 1<sup>st</sup> Asia-Pacific EVRF workshop in TTSH in 2014.

**Medical Officer** attaining rank of Captain in 1<sup>st</sup> Combat Support Hospital, Singapore  
Armed Forces

**EXSA Silver Award** (National Excellent Service Award) 2009 for outstanding service.

**The College of Surgeons, Singapore Gold Medal** (2010) for top performance in the  
Joint Specialty Fellowship Examination in General Surgery and exemplary  
conduct during Advanced Specialist Training.

**Health Manpower Development Plan (HMDP) Scholarship** (2010) by National  
Healthcare Group and Ministry of Health, Singapore for Clinical Fellowship in  
Vascular and Endovascular Surgery.

Awarded **National Healthcare Group (NHG) Excellence in Action Award**  
**(Leadership)** on 2 September 2015

Awarded **Outstanding Award for TTSH Quality Improvement Project Competition**  
**2015** for Clinical Practice Improvement Project (CPIP) on Reducing Length of Stay  
for End Stage Renal Failure patients undergoing elective fistuloplasty.

Received **Most Valued Clinical Mentor 2015 Award** from A\*STAR / 5<sup>th</sup> Singapore-  
Stanford Biodesign Fellowship Programme for outstanding advise and mentoring

Awarded **National Healthcare Group (NHG) Education Leaders Award 2016** for  
excellence and recognition of Leadership in Education Administration.

Awarded **PS21 Star Service Award** as part of the Excellence in Public Service Awards  
2016

Awarded **National Healthcare Group Young Achiever Award 2016**

**Best Quality Improvement Project Award** for Improving and Sustaining Quality and  
Safety at NHG Quality Day 2016

Awarded **LKC Medicine Dean's Award for Excellence in Teaching** (AY 2016 to 2017)  
for significant contribution to the education mission of Lee Kong Chian School of  
Medicine.

**Special Recognition Award** presented by National University of Singapore Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine for being a Role Model to the Medicine Graduating Class of 2017

**Dean's Award for Teaching Excellence** presented by National University of Singapore Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine for outstanding teaching and mentoring of students in Academic Year 2017/2018

**Associate Professor Ming Terk Chiu Senior Consultant Head, Department of General Surgery Director of Trauma Tan Tock Seng Hospital 11 Jalan Tan Tock Seng Singapore 308433 Republic of Singapore Tel: +65 6357 7807 Email: Ming\_Terk\_Chieu@ttsh.com.sg**

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