

Barrett A. Johnston, MD

Education

Undergraduate: (Aug 1998 – June 2002)

Louisiana State University. Baton Rouge, LA

Enrolled in LSU Honors College. Transferred after two semesters.

California Polytechnic State University. San Luis Obispo, CA

Bachelor of Science in Biology, June 2002

Dean's List 2000-2002

Graduate: (Aug 2002 – May 2006)

Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center. New Orleans, LA

Doctor of Medicine, May 2006

Completed four year program. Senior electives in anesthesiology, pulmonary ICU and medical technologies. Research in anesthesia and orthopedics. Served in student government (class president 2002-06), pediatric homeless clinic (2002-2006), anesthesia interest group.

Medical Training:

Medicine Internship: (July 2006 – June 2007)

LSU School of Medicine. Earl K. Long Hospital. Baton Rouge, LA

ACGME-accredited internship year in internal medicine. Rotations in cardiology, renal, pulmonary, critical care and outpatient medicine.

Anesthesia Residency: (July 2007 – June 2010)

Harvard School of Medicine. Brigham and Women's Hospital. Boston, MA

ACGME-accredited program in anesthesiology. Senior elective rotations in interventional pain management, regional anesthesia, obstetric anesthesia and TEE.

Chief Resident (July 2009 – 2010)

Pain Fellowship: (August 2010 – July 2011)

Harvard School of Medicine. Brigham and Women's Hospital. Boston, MA

Interventional and chronic pain medicine training involving interdisciplinary and multimodal approaches. Inpatient and outpatient services. Included pediatric pain rotation at Boston's Children's Hospital

Chief Inpatient and Outpatient Fellow (October 2010 – June 2011)

Certifications:

American Board of Anesthesiology (Status- Board Certified)

Certification date: September 23, 2011

Cycle end date: December 31, 2021

American Board of Anesthesiology Pain Medicine Certification (Status- Board Certified)

Certification date: October 2, 2011

Cycle end date: December 31, 2021

Employment History:

Interventional Pain Institute (August 2012 - present)

Baton Rouge, Louisiana

Founder and sole practitioner. Serves the Baton Rouge area population in the diagnosis and treatment of spine, cancer and chronic pain conditions using multimodal therapies and disciplines.

Advanced Pain Institute (August 2011 – present)

Hammond, Denham Springs and Covington, Louisiana

Private practice pain physician. Interventional and multidisciplinary approach.

Partners Healthcare. Brigham and Women's Hospital. Department of Anesthesiology, Perioperative and Pain Management (July 2010 – July 2011)

Boston, Massachusetts

Clinic Associate Anesthesiologist. Academic and clinical attending. Perioperative anesthesia duties along with supervision and education of Harvard anesthesia residents and Harvard medical students. Assists with staffing and scheduling for 42 operating rooms and 11 procedural suites.

Matrix Anesthesia. Norwood Hospital. Department of Anesthesiology (July 2010 – June 2011)

Norwood, Massachusetts

Staff Anesthesiologist for at Norwood Hospital. Responsibilities include providing surgical anesthesia for emergent and scheduled cases, obstetrical anesthesia and intensive care unit coverage.

Hospital and Affiliated Appointments:

Advanced Surgical Care. Baton Rouge, Louisiana

Fairway Medical Surgical Hospital. Covington, Louisiana

North Oaks Hospital. Hammond, Louisiana

Omega Hospital. New Orleans, Louisiana

Our Lady of the Lake Hospital. Baton Rouge Louisiana (*pending*)

Specialty LTHC Hospital. Hammond, Louisiana

Specialty LTHC Hospital. Denham Springs, Louisiana

Professional Society Memberships:

American Society of Anesthesiologists

American Society of Regional Anesthesia and Pain Medicine

American Society of Interventional Pain Physicians

International Spine Intervention Society

Professional and Academic Activities:

Appointments:

Medical Director. Advanced Pain Institute Treatment Center (November 2011 –present)

Director of ambulatory surgery center. Assisted with initial AAAHC site review and accreditation. Supervised over 70+ cases per week. .

Committees:

Brigham and Women's Education Committee (September 2007 – June 2009)

Elected by Brigham and Women's house staff. Met quarterly with hospital's director of medical education and seven other elected committee members. Reviewed RRC reports of all the hospital's residency and fellowship programs.

Anesthesia Interview Committee

Interviewed medical students applicants for residency positions. Assisted with creating rank list of all applicants with department leadership.

Academic Publications:

Frey, T; Johnston, BA. **Low Back Pain**. Chapter 28. Urman, R (ed) Pocket Pain Medicine. Lippincott & Wilkins. June 8, 2011

Johnston, BA; Occhipinti, KE; Baluch, AR; Kaye, AD. **Ehlers-Danlos Syndrome: Complication and Solutions Concerning Anesthetic Management.** MEJA. Vol 18. No 6. Oct 2006. Pg 1171

Johnston, BA; Occhipinti, KE; Baluch, AR; Kaye, AD. **Lesson 249: Preanesthetic Assessment of the Patient with Ehlers-Danlos Syndrome.** Anesthesiology News. January 2006. Pg 35-39

Academic Presentations:

Assessment of Low Back Pain. *August 2010.* Brigham & Women's Interdisciplinary Conference

Sympathetically Mediated Pain. *September 2010.* Brigham & Women's Interdisciplinary Conference

Treatment of Cancer Pain. *November 2010.* Brigham & Women's Interdisciplinary Conference

Spinal Cord Stimulator Therapy for Chronic Pain. *December 2010.* Brigham & Women's Interdisciplinary Conference.

Opioid Pharmacology. *February 2011.* Brigham & Women's Interdisciplinary Conference

Nerve Blocks for Chronic Pain. *April 2011.* Brigham & Women's Interdisciplinary Conference

Sympathetic Blockade. *May 2011.* Brigham & Women's Interdisciplinary Conference

Intrathecal Drug Delivery. *June 2011.* Brigham & Women's Interdisciplinary Conference

Elected Positions:

Chief Fellow (*October 2010 – June 2011*)

Brigham and Women's Pain Fellowship, Harvard School of Medicine.

Chosen by Pain Fellowship Department Chairman and Program Director to organize scheduling, educational conferences,

Chief Resident (*July 2009 – June 2010*)

Brigham and Women's Anesthesiology Residency, Harvard School of Medicine.

Elected by residents and staff. Intimately involved with all scheduling and educational programs for 96 residents. Organized 60 board review lectures. Coordinated clinical rotation changes to reflect new RRC requirements. Increased resident moonlighting opportunities and provided ultrasound-guided central line placement training to every resident and staff.

Class President (*October 2002 – May 2006*)

Louisiana State University School of Medicine.

Elected and re-elected by class mates all four years to represent approximately 165 medical students. Lead organizer for all four class projects. Organized and led multiple study groups. Worked closely with the Dean of the medical school to restructure the medical school curriculum and secure housing following hurricane Katrina.

Additional Training:

Medtronic Intrathecal Drug Delivery Systems. *August 2010*

Medtronic Neurostimulation. *August 2010*

Kimberly-Clark Sinergy System. *November 2010*

St. Jude Neurostimulation. *February 2011*

Minimally Invasive Lumbar Decompression. *March 2011*

Depuy Vertebral Augmentation. *May 2011*

Medtronic Kyphoplasty. *June 2011*

Stryker Percutaneous Discectomy. *June 2011*

Percutaneous Endoscopic Discectomy. *September 2011*

Awards:

Enterprising Man of the Year (*June 2011*)

Honored by Sophisticated Woman's magazine with their annual Enterprising Man of the Year award.

Academic Distinction (*May 2010*)

Harvard School of Medicine. Brigham & Women's Hospital. Department of Anesthesiology, Perioperative and Pain Medicine.

Given to graduating anesthesia residents in recognition of excellence in academic studies, top percentile achieved on in-training examinations and published scholarly work during residency.

Dean's Award (*May 2006*)

Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center. School of Medicine.

Given to a graduating medical student for recognition of leadership, compassion and efforts to benefit their class.

Bobbie Millet Award (*May 2006*)

Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center. School of Medicine.

Given to a senior for recognition of their tireless effort and dedication to the class.