**CURRICULUM VITAE**



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**Current Title:** Assistant Professor of Clinical Surgery

Director, Plastic & Reconstructive Surgery, University Hospital

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**Birthplace:** Montreal, Quebec, Canada

**Spouse:** Sarah Sebbag, MD

**Citizenship:** Canadian Citizenship

Legal Immigrant, H1B Status

**Education**

**Undergraduate:**

1994 -1998: B.Sc. Psychology, McGill University, Montreal QC

**Graduate/Medical:**

2000 - 2005: MD, CM, McGill University, Montreal, QC

**Residency:**

2005 - 2010: Plastic & Reconstructive Surgery, McGill University, Montreal, QC

**Clinical Fellowships:**

2012 - 2013: Reconstructive Aesthetic Breast Surgery Fellowship, Harvard Medical School, Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston, MA

**Other:**

2000 - 2005: MBA, McGill University, Montreal, QC

**Certification:** 05/2011 - present: Fellow of the Royal College of Physicians and

Surgeons of Canada

**Licensure:**

LA, 206596: 10/31/2013 – 01/35/2015

MA, 253490: 12/19/2012 – 01/16/2014

QC, 1-11651: 09/26/2011 – 06/30/2014

BC, 32528: 10/19/2010 – 02/29/2012

**Academic, Professional, and Research Appointment:**

10/2010 - 09/2011: Attending Plastic Surgeon at University Hospital Northern British Columbia & Clinical Instructor of Surgery at the University of British Columbia, Prince George, BC

10/2011 - 10/2013: Attending Plastic Surgeon at Centre Hopitalier Charles LeMoyne & Clinical Instructor of Surgery at the University of Sherbrooke, Montreal, QC

07/2012 - 06/2012: Attending Plastic Surgeon at the Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston, MA

11/2013 – present:

Director of Plastic Surgery at University Hospital, Attending Plastic Surgeon at Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center, New Orleans, LA

Assistant Professor of Clinical Surgery, Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center, Department of Surgery, New Orleans, LA

**Membership in Professional Organizations:**

Fellow, Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada

Member, Massachusetts Medical Society

Member, College des Medecins du Quebec

Member, Federation des Medecins Specialistes du Quebec

Member, Association des Specialistes en Chirurgie Plastique et Esthetique du Quebec

Member, Canadian Medical Association

Member, American Medical Association

Junior Member, Canadian Society of Plastic Surgeons

Resident & Fellow Forum Member, American Society of Plastic Surgeons

**Awards and Honors:**

Levitt Family Student Scholarship 2001

Robert Rolf Struthers 2003

Edgar & Margaret Wilson Scholarship 2004

Sydney Blidner Memorial Scholarship 2004

E.W. Beatty Memorial Scholarship 2004

Manfred Koby 2004

McGill Principal’s Student - Athlete Honor Roll 2010

**TEACHING EXPERIENCE AND RESPONSIBILITIES**

**Course/Clerkship/Residency or Fellowship/CME Directorships:**

10/2010 - 09/2011: Directed the Plastic Surgery Clinical Clerkship at UHNBC, UBC, Prince George, BC

10/2011 - 10/2013: Directed Plastic Surgery Clinical Clerkship at Chalres LeMoyne, University of Sherbrooke, Montreal, QC

**RESEARCH AND SCHOLARSHIP**

**Journal Publications**

**Refereed:**

1. Apert Syndrome – Freiman A, **Tessler O**, Barankin B.

▪ Published in: Int J Dermatol. 2006 Nov; 45(11): 1341-3.

1. Heparin-Induced Thrombocytopenia and Thrombosis as an Under Diagnosed Cause of Flap Failure in Heparin-Naive Patients: A case Report and Systematic Review of the Literature – **Tessler O**, Vorstenbosch J, Jones D, Lalonde S, Zadeh T. B.

▪ Published in: Microsurgery. 2013 Oct 21.

1. Beyond Biologics: Absorbable Mesh as a Low Cost, Low Complication Sling for Implant-Based Breast Reconstruction – **Tessler O**, Reish RG, Mamane DY, Smith BL, Austen Jr. WG

▪ Published in: Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery. 2014 Feb;133(2):90e-9e

1. Breast Reconstruction Following Nipple-Sparing Mastectomy: Predictors of Complications, Reconstruction Outcomes, and Five-Year Trends – Colwell AS, **Tessler O**, Lin AM, Liao E, Winograd J, Cetrulo CL, Tong R, Smith BL, Austen Jr. WG.

▪ Published in: Plastic & Reconstructive Surgery. 2014 Mar;133(3): 496-506

1. An Analysis of the Plastic Surgery Cost-Utility Literature Using a Comprehensive Scoring Tool – **Tessler O**, Mattos D, Vorstenbosch J, Jones D, Winograd JM, Liao EC, Austen Jr. WG.

▪ Published in: Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery. 2014 Apr; 133(4): 584e-92e

**Book Chapters:**

Plastic Management of the Contralateral Breast Following Initial Breast Cancer Treatment. – Austen Jr. WG, Tang R, **Tessler O**, Smith BL

▪ Published in hou X, Cao YL, Hu BQ, eds. Oncology Plastic Surgery, 1st ed. Zhejiang Science and Technology, China, 2013, 349-359. ISBN: 978-7-5341-5301-3.

**Published Abstracts:**

1. Rigid Internal Fixation for Poststernotomy Mediastinitis – **Oren Tessler**, Hani Sino, & Dr. Tassos Dionisopoulos

▪ Presented at the Canadian Society of Plastic Surgeons 59th annual meeting, Nanaimo, BC, June 2005.

1. Utility Theory: A Novel Evaluation Tool for Assessing Replantation Outcomes – **Tessler O**, Tremblay-Champagne MP, Landes G, Brutus JP, Harris PG, Williams HB, Nikolis A

▪ Presented at the Canadian Society of Plastic Surgeons 62nd annual meeting, St. John’s, NFLD, June 2008.

1. Utility Theory: A New Method of Quantifying Quality of Life in Replant Patients – **Tessler O**, Tremblay-Champagne MP, Landes G, Brutus JP, Harris PG, Williams HB, Nikolis A.

▪ Presented at the American Society for Surgery of the Hand26th annual meeting, Chicago, IL, Sep 2008.

1. Revising Replant Indications Using Utility Theory – **Tessler O**, Tremblay-Champagne MP, Landes G, Brutus JP, Harris PG, Williams HB, Nikolis A.

▪ Presented at the American Association of Hand Surgery annual meeting, Maui, Ha, Jan 2009.

1. The Transverse Cervical & Internal Mammary Vessels as Recipients in Difficult Head & Neck Microsurgical Reconstruction – **Tessler O**, Paek L, Gilardino MS, Dionissopoulos T.

▪ Presented at the International Meeting on Aesthetic & Reconstructive Facial Surgery, Mykonos, Greece, May 2009.

1. Botox Therapy & CRPS – **Tessler O**, Lessard ML.

▪ Presented at the Canadian Society of Plastic Surgeons 63rdannual meeting, Kelowna, BC, June 2009.

1. “Don’t Let Your Flap Get HITT”: A Case Report and Systematic Review of Heparin Induced Thrombocytopenia and Thrombosis– **Tessler O**, Vorstenbosc, J, Lalonde, S., Kanevski, J, Zadeh, T.

▪ Presented at the American Society for Plastic Surgeons annual meeting, New Orleans, LA, October 2012.

1. Direct-To-Implant Breast Reconstruction with Absorbable Mesh: An Analysis of Cost and Complications– **Tessler O**, Mamane, D, Austen, WG Jr.

▪ Presented at the Massachusetts Chapter of the American College of Surgery annual meeting, Boston, MA, December 2012.

▪ Presented at the Canadian Society of Plastic Surgeons 67th annual meeting, Calgary, AL, May 2013.

▪ Presented at the American Society for Plastic Surgeons annual meeting, San Diego, CA, Oct 2013.

1. Analysis of Incision-Type on Reconstructive Outcomes for 500 Consecutive Nipple-Sparing Mastectomies– **Tessler O**, Colwell, A, Lin, A, Liao, E, Winograd, J, Cetrulo, C, Smith, B, Austen JR., WG

▪ Presented at the Quebec Society for Plastic Surgeons annual meeting, Esterel, QC, February 2013.

1. Non-Endoscopic Surgical Treatment of Migraines: Technique and Results – **Tessler O**, Austen WG Jr.

▪ Accepted for presentation at the Quebec Society for Plastic Surgeons annual meeting, Esterel, QC, February 2013.

1. Breast Reconstruction Outcomes Following Nipple-Sparing Mastectomy – Colwell, A, **Tessler, O**, Lin, A, Liao, E, Winograd, J, Cetrulo, C, Smith B, Austen WG Jr.

▪ Presented at the American Association of Plastic Surgery annual meeting, New Orleans, LA, April 2013.

▪ Presented at the Plastic Surgery Research Council annual meeting, Santa Monica, CA, May 2013.

▪ Presented at the American Society for Plastic Surgeons annual meeting, San Diego, CA, Oct 2013.

1. An Analysis of the Plastic Surgery Cost-Utility Literature Using a Novel Scoring Tool– **Tessler O**, Mattos, D, Vorstenbosch, J, Jones, D, Winograd, JM, Liao, EC, Austen Jr,, WG.

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**International Presentations:**

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**National Presentations:**

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**Regional Presentations:**

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**SERVICE ACTIVITIES**

**Clinical Service**

**In-patient service activities:**

Provide comprehensive inpatient and outpatient patient care at Interim LSU Hospital, Ochsner Baptist Medical Center, Ochsner Kenner Medical Center, Touro Infirmary, and Children’s Hospital of New Orleans.

**Call:**

Call is shared amongst staff at LSU Health Sciences Center

**Administrative Responsibilities**

**Hospital:**

Director of Plastic & Reconstructive Surgery at Interim LSU Hospital, New Orleans, LA

**Interdisciplinary/other program**

Active treating member of the Louisiana Breast and Cervical Health Program, LSUHSC, New Orleans, LA