

CURRICULUM VITAE
JOONG H. CHOH, M.D., F.A.C.S.

- OFFICE ADDRESS:**
- 1) Medical Director(October,2014---until now)
Physician in Chief
International Health Care Center
Clinical Professor
Seoul National University Bundang Hospital
 - 2) Medical Director, Professor, Thoracic and CV Surgery
Cardiovascular Center(2003-2005)
Seoul National University Bundang Hospital
Seongnamsi, Korea
July 1, 2003 - July 31 2005

Clinical Professor of Cardiovascular Surgery(2005-2009)
 - 3) 1980 July—October 2014
Cardiothoracic & Vascular Surgical Associates, SC
(Elgin Cardiac Surgery, S.C.(July,1980--August,2014)
(Northern Illinois Cardiothoracic and Vascular Surgery, S.C)
U.S.A.

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 - 4) ATTENDING STAFF: on Leave
Advocate Sherman Hospital, Elgin (1980 – present)
Presence St. Joseph Hospital, Elgin (1980 – present)
Illinois,USA
- PLACE OF BIRTH:** Seoul, Korea
- CITIZENSHIP:** USA
- ATTENDING STAFF:** Advocate Sherman Hospital, Elgin (1980 – present)
Presence St. Joseph Hospital, Elgin (1980 – present)
- VISITING STAFF:** Delnor Community Hospital, Geneva (1986 – present)
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Elgin Cardiac Surgery S.C/Northern Illinois Cardiothoracic
& Vascular Surgery
1980 – present (leave of absence July 2003 – July 2005)

3)Professor, Thoracic and CV Surgery/Medical Director
Cardiovascular Center(2003-2005)
Seoul National University Bundang Hospital
Seongnamsi, Korea
July 1, 2003 - July 31 2005

Clinical Professor of Cardiovascular Surgery
Seoul National University Bundang Hospital
Seongnamsi, Korea
October 2005 – 2009

EDUCATION:

Premedical Division, College of Liberal Arts & Sciences
Seoul National University
Seoul, Korea
March 1, 1963 – February 26, 1965

College of Medicine
Seoul National University
Seoul, Korea
March 1, 1965 – February 16, 1969

Graduate School of Medicine
Master's Degree in Surgery
Seoul National University
Seoul, Korea
March 1, 1970 – February 26, 1972

Thesis for Master's Degree:
"On Primary Lymphoma of GI Tract"

Graduate School of Medicine
Ph.D. Program
Seoul National University
Seoul, Korea
March 1, 1972 – March 1, 1973

POST-GRADUATE TRAINING: Training in Korea:

Internship:

Seoul National University Hospital
Seoul, Korea
April, 1969 – March, 1970

Surgical Residency (Thoracic Surgery):

Seoul National University Hospital
Seoul, Korea
April, 1970 – March, 1973

Training in U.S.A.

Internship: (July, 1973 – June, 1974)

Columbus-Cuneo Medical Center
Chicago, IL 60614

General Surgery Residency (July, 1974 – June, 1978)

Assistant Residency (July, 1974 – June, 1977)
Graduate Hospital of University of Pennsylvania
Philadelphia, PA 19146

Children's Hospital of Philadelphia (Pediatric Surgery)
Philadelphia, PA 19104

Chief Residency (July, 1977 – June, 1978)
Graduate Hospital of University of Pennsylvania
Philadelphia, PA

Thoracic and Cardiovascular Surgery Residency

(July, 1978 – June, 1980)
Program of State University of New York at Buffalo

Chief Resident

General Thoracic Surgery Service
Roswell Park Memorial Cancer Institute
(July, 1978 – October, 1978)

Chief Resident

General Thoracic Surgery Service
Buffalo General Hospital
(November, 1978 – December, 1978)

Chief Resident

Cardiovascular Surgery Service
Buffalo General Hospital

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(January, 1979 – June, 1979)

Chief Resident, Cardiovascular Surgery Service
Children's Hospital, Buffalo, NY
(July, 1979 – January, 1980)

Chief Resident, Thoracic & CV Surgery Service
Veterans Administration Hospital of Buffalo
(January, 1980 – June, 1980)

MEDICAL BOARD CERTIFICATIONS AND LICENSES:

American Board of Surgery, Diplomat, September, 1979 #24996

Recertification, October, 1990 and October, 1999.

American Board of Thoracic Surgery, Diplomat, May, 1982 #3801

Recertification, December, 1990, December 2000, December 2012

Korean Board of Cardiovascular and Thoracic Surgery

ECFMG, Certified, 1968 #108-111-6

FLEX, Certified, 1975

State of Illinois, #036060108

State of New York # 134304

State of Pennsylvania, #MD035933L (expired)

State of California # 131594 (as of 7/1/14)

MEMBERSHIPS:

Fellow, American College of Surgeons

Fellow, American College of Chest Physicians

Member, Kane County Medical Society

Member, The Society of Thoracic Surgeons

Member, The International Society of Cardiovascular Surgery

Member, The International Society of Endovascular Surgery

Member, The International Society for Minimally Invasive Cardiac Surgery

Member, Society for Vascular Surgery

COMMITTEES:

Sherman Hospital:

Specialized Care Committee, 1983-1984

Surgical MCE Subcommittee, 1983-1984

Patient Care Committee, 1986-1987

Chairman, Surgical MCE Subcommittee,

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1986-1987

Surgical Steering Committee, 1986-1987
Credentials Committee, 1986-1987
Assistant Chairman, Dept. of Surgery, 1986-1987
Chairman, Dept. of Surgery, 1987-1988
Chairman, Surgical Steering Subcommittee,
1987-1988
Chairman, Credentials Committee, 1987-1988
Specialized Care Committee, 1989-1990
Surgical MCE Subcommittee, 1988-1990
Minimally Invasive Surgery Committee/
Laser Safety Committee, 1994-1995
Surgical Steering Subcommittee, 1994-1995
Cardiovascular MCE Subcommittee, Co-Chair
1998-2003
Co-Chair, Cardiovascular Steering Subcommittee,
(Cardiology & CV Surgery) 1998-2003, 2007-9/2013
Co-Chair, Cardiovascular Division,
(Cardiology & CV Surgery) 1999-2003, 2007-9/2013

Provena St. Joseph Hospital

Credential Committee, 2000-2003
Cardiovascular Service Development Committee
2000 – present

Elgin Cardiac Surgery, S.C.

President 1998 - 2005

FILMS/VIDEOS:

1. Resection of Aortic Root Aneurysm and Reconstruction with Composite Conduit. Ihm, H.J.; Choh, J.H.; Khazei, A.H.: Presented at the American College of Chest Physicians Meeting, Chicago, IL October 25, 1983.
2. Surgical Treatment of Cardiac Myxoma. Choh, J.H.; Thatcher, W.C.; Ihm, H.J; Khazei, A.H.: Presented for Annual convention of American College of Chest Physicians, Atlanta, GA, October 1987.
3. False Aneurysm of Left Ventricle. Choh, J.H.; Khazei, A.H.; et al: Presented in Symposium on Spectacular Problems in Surgery, American College of Surgeons, 74th Annual Clinical Congress, Chicago, IL, October 1988.

4. Repair of Ventricular Septal Defect After Acute MI. Choh, J.H.; Khazei, A.H.; Robin, E.; Ihm, H.J.; Thatcher, W.C.: Cardiac Surgery Motion Picture Session, 75th Clinical Congress, American College of Surgeons, Atlanta, GA, October 1989.
5. Surgical Repair of Annulo-Aortic Ectasia. Choh, J.H.; Khazei, A.H.; et al: Presented at Cardiac Surgery Motion Picture Session, American College of Surgeons, 78th Annual Clinical Congress, New Orleans, LA, October, 1992.
6. Aortic Valve Replacement and CABG-1992. Khazei, A.H.; Ihm, H.J.; Choh, J.H.; Thatcher, W.C.; Batty, P.R.: Hemmen's Auditorium-20th Anniversary Open Heart Surgery, November, 1992.
7. Repair of Ruptured Sinus of Valsalva. Khazei, A.H.; Choh, J.H.: Presented at Cardiac Surgery Motion Picture Session, 82nd Annual Clinical Congress, American College of Surgeons, San Francisco, CA, October, 1996.
8. Iatrogenic Cor Triatriatum Dexter from Multiple Pacing Leads. Choh, J.H., Steimle, C.N., Nisar, A.: Presented at Cardiac Surgery Motion Picture Session, 87th Annual Clinical Congress, American College of Surgeons, New Orleans, LA, October 8, 2001.

PUBLICATIONS:

1. Choh, Joong H.; Kim, C. W.: "Prognosis of Breast Cancer". The New Medical Journal 13:1043, 1970.
2. Lee, Young K.; Shuh, Kyung P.; Choh, Joong H.; et al: "Surgical Treatment of Mitral Stenosis". The Journal of Korean Thoracic and Cardiovascular Surgery 4:11-24, 1971.
3. Choh, Joong H.; Lee, Young; Oh, Soo M.; et al: "Liver Fluke-Induced Cholangiohepatitis". The Journal of the Korean Surgical Society 13:63, 1971.
4. Choh, Joong H.; Lee, Y.E.; Kim, W.K.; Kim, C.W.: "Retrostomal Hernia". The Journal of the Korean Surgical Society 13:320-326, 1971.
5. Rho, Joon R.; Choh, Joong H.; Yang, Ki M.; et al: "Primary Cancer of the Lung". The Seoul Journal of Medicine 12:205, 1971.
6. Choh, Joong H.; Lee, Young; Rho, Joon R.; et al: "Bronchogenic Cyst". The Korean Journal of Thoracic and Cardiovascular Surgery 5:1-6, 1972.
7. Choh, Joong H.; Levinsky, L.; Srinivasan, V.: "Anomalous Origin of the Left Coronary Artery from the Pulmonary Trunk: It's Clinical Spectrum and Current Management". Thoracic Cardiovascular Surgeon 28:239-242, 1980.
8. Choh, Joong H.; Srinivasan, V.; et al: "Anomalous Origin of Left Coronary Artery from the Pulmonary Artery: Scintigraphic diagnosis with Tc99m lung scan". Cardiovascular Disease, Bulletin of Texas Heart Institute 7:344-349, 1980.

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9. Choh, Joong H.; Balderman, Samuel C.; Bingham, David; Bhayana, Joginder N.: "Parasternal Intrapleural Colon Interposition: An Alternative Pathway for the Colon Graft". *The Annals of Thoracic Surgery* 31:475-477, 1981.
10. Choh, Joong H.; Alder, Richard H.: "Penetrating Bullet Wound of Chest with Bronchoscopic Removal of Bullet". *Journal of Thoracic and Cardiovascular Surgery* 82:150-153, 1981.
11. Choh, Joong H.; Gurney, R.; Shenoy, S.; Upson, J.; Lajos, T.: "Renal Cell Carcinoma. Removal of Intracardiac Extension with Aid of Cardiopulmonary Bypass". *N.Y. State Journal of Medicine* 5:929-932, 1981.
12. Levinsky, L.; Srinivasan, V.; Gingel, R.L.; Fisher, J.E., Pieroni, D.R.; Choh, Joong H.; Subramania, S.: "Papillary Fibroelastoma of Aortic and Mitral Valves Following Myectomy for Idiopathic Hypertropic Subaortic Stenosis". *Thoracic Cardiovascular Surgeon* 3:187-191, 1981.
13. Levinsky, Leon; Srinivasan, V.; Choh, Joong H.; Idbeis, Bard; Scott, C. Wayne; Ibbett, Mona; Subramanian, S: "Intracardiac Surgery in Children of Jehovah's Witnesses". *The Johns Hopkins Medical Journal* 148:196-198, 1981.
14. Choh, Joong H.; Ihm, H.J.; Khazei, A.H.; et al: "Dissecting Aneurysm of Ascending Aorta Ten Years after Aortic Valve Replacement". *Sherman Hospital Clinical Bulletin* 1 (2):1-5, 1983.
15. Levinsky, Leon; Srinivasan, V.; Gingel, Robert L.; Choh, Joong H.; Pieroni, Daniel R.; Fisher, John; Subramania, S.: "Senning Repair with Ductal Decompression: Palliative Approach to d-TGA and Irreversible Pulmonary Vascular Disease". *American Heart Journal* 106 (2):409-412, 1983.
16. Secemsky, S.I.; Fard, M.A.; Robin, E.; Khazei, A.H.; Ihm, H. J.; Choh, Joong H.: "Intracoronary Thrombolysis". *Sherman Hospital Clinical Bulletin* 1 (3):5-9, 1983.
17. Choh, Joong H.; Wang, T.; et al: "Survival with Total Occlusion of Left Main Coronary Artery". *Texas Heart Institute Journal* 11:64-68, 1984.
18. Choh, Joong H.; Wang, Timothy; Baltasar, Benjamin: "Management of Massive Pulmonary Emboli. A New Treatment?". *Sherman Hospital Clinical Bulletin* 2:1-6, 1984.
19. Choh, Joong H.; Ihm, H.J.; Khazei, A.H.; Thatcher, W.C.; Shah, Rajesh P.; Riaz, Muhammad A.: "Infected Axillo-Bifemoral Graft; Successful Surgical Management Utilizing a Lateral Extra-Anatomic Bypass". *Sherman Hospital Clinical Bulletin* 3:9-16, 1985.
20. Khazei, A.H.; Ihm, H.J.; Fard, M.; Choh, Joong H.; Robin E.: "Ten Years Experience of Open Heart Surgery in a Community Hospital – Follow-up Report". *Illinois Medical Journal* 168:154-156, 1985.

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21. Choh, Joong H.: "Leiomyosarcoma of Esophagus-Report of a Case and Review of Literature". *Journal of Surgical Oncology* 32:223-226, 1986.
22. Choh, Joong H.; Riaz, Muhammad; Ihm, H.J.; et al: "Misplacement of the Narrow-Bore Feeding Tube into the Pleural Cavity". *Illinois Medical Journal* 174:300-302, 1988.
23. Choh, Joong H.; Khazei, A.H.; Ihm, H.J.; Thatcher, W.C.; Batty, P.R.: "Catheter Induced Pulmonary Arterial Perforation during Open Heart Surgery". *The Journal of Cardiovascular Surgery*, Vol. 35-No. 1:61-64, 1994.
24. Choh, Joong H.; Khazei, A.H.; Ihm, H.J.; Thatcher, W.C.; Batty, P.R.: "Massive Endobronchial Hemorrhage: A Catastrophic Complication of Swan-Ganz Catheter Placement in a Pneumonectomy Patient". Submitted to *Texas Heart Institute Journal*.
25. Choh, Joong H.: "Preservation of Anterior and Posterior Leaflet in Mitral Valve Replacement with a Tilting-Disc Valve". *Annals of Thoracic Surgery*, 1997;64:271-3.
26. Choh, Joong H.: "Total Preservation of Sub-valvular Apparatus During Mitral Valve Replacement". *Annals of Thoracic Surgery*, 1998; 65:1840-1841.
27. Choh, Joong H.: "Endobrachial Hamartoma: A Benign, Obstructive Pulmonary Hamartoma". *Contemporary Surgery*, June, 2001; Vol. 57, No. 6, 297-299.
28. Jheon S., Lee S, Chung J, Kong J, Sung S. Choh JH; Development of intestine-cartilage composite graft for tracheal reconstruction. *Korean Journal of Thoracic and Cardiovascular Surgery* 37 (06): 474-481, 2004
29. Kim O, Chog JH, Sung SW; Effectiveness of PET scan upon the determination of staging of lung cancer. *Korean Journal of Thoracic and Cardiovascular Surgery*: 36(2) 79-85, 2003
30. Jheon S, Lee S, Lee C, Son BK, Choh JH: Effective nitroglycerine on pulmonary preservation in isolated rat reperfusion. *Korean Journal of Thoracic and Cardiovascular Surgery*. 36(12) 894-903, 2003.
31. Lim C, Lee JY, Kim WH, Kim SC, Song JY, Kim SJ, Choh JH, Kim CW: Early replacement of pulmonary valve after repair of Tetralogy of Fallot: is it really beneficial? *European J Cardiothoracic Surgery* 2004 May 25(5) 728-734.
32. Jheon S, Lee YM, Sung SW, Choh JH, Kwon KY, et. al: Pulmonary preservation effect of nitroglycerine in isolated rat lung perfusion. *Transplant Proc* 2004; 36(7): 1933-1935.
33. Lim C, Rhee WH, Lee Y, Choh JH: Management of left atrial endocardium after extensive thrombectomy: *Annals of Thoracic Surgery*. 2005, 79: 11-12.
34. Choi, SI, Lee, KW, Kang, SK, Ryu, WH, Lim, C, Choh, JH, Lee, W, Jeong, JW, Park, JH: Usefulness of breath-hold T2-weighted MR imaging in patients with myocardial infarction: Comparison with delayed enhancement. *J. Korean Soc Magn*

Reson Med. 7: 132-136 (2003).

35. Na, SH, Youn, TJ, Cho, YS, Lim, C, Chung, WY, Chae, IH, Choi, DJ, Choh, JH
Acute Myocardial Infarction Caused by Extension of a Proximal Aortic Dissection
flap into the Right Coronary Artery. *Circulation* 2006, 113: c669-c671.
36. Young, JP, Yoon, JW, Choh, JH: Subclinical Hypothyroidism Might Increase the Risk
of Transient Atrial Fibrillation after Coronary Artery Bypass Grafting. *Annals of Thoracic
Surgery*. June 2009. 87: 1846-1852.

PRESENTATIONS AND LECTURES:

1. Choh, Joong H.; Lee, Jr.; Subramanian, S.; et al: "Anomalous Origin of the Left
Coronary Artery: Clinical Spectrum and Clinical Management". Presented at the 88th
National Medical Association Annual Convention. Chicago, IL August 3, 1983.
2. Choh, Joong H.; Ihm, H.J.; Khazei, A.H.: "Resection and Reconstruction of the Ectatic
Aortic Root". Presented at the 6th Asian Congress for Thoracic and Cardiovascular
Surgery. Seoul, Korea, April 20-24, 1983. Abst. 22-7:2
3. Choh, Joong H.: "Surgical Treatment of Mechanical Complications of Acute Myocardial
Infarction". Presented at Special Visiting Scholar's Lecture, Seoul National University
Hospital, July 19, 1986.
4. Seoul International Symposium. "Current Trends in Coronary Artery Bypass Graft
Surgery, 1998". Seoul, Korea.
5. Bloodless Open Heart Surgery in Jehovah's Witness Patients.
February 11, 1999. Cardiovascular Conference, Sherman Hospital.
6. Current Trend in Coronary Artery Bypass Surgery. July 1 – July 3, 1999, Hershey,
Pennsylvania. Summer Convention of Seoul National University;
(Medical College Alumni Association of USA).
7. Left Ventricular Remodeling by Mitral Valve Repair in Dilated Cardiomyopathy.
October 28, 1999. Cardiovascular Grand Round, Sherman Hospital.
8. Cor Triatriatum dexter (acquired) from Multiple Pacing Leads.
December 16, 1999. Cardiovascular Grand Round, Sherman Hospital.
9. Surgical Management of Ruptured Papillary Muscle from Acute MI.
February 10, 2000. Cardiovascular Conference, Sherman Hospital.
10. Arginine Vasopressin – A novel pressor agent after heart surgery.
April 13, 2000. Cardiovascular Conference, Sherman Hospital.
11. Current Trends in Cardiac Valve Surgery. July, 2000. Cleveland, Ohio.

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- Summer Convention of Seoul National University. (College of Medicine Alumni Association).
12. Stentless Freestyle Porcine Valve Prosthesis: A Solution for Small Aortic Root. August 17, 2000. Update on Sherman Experience, 1999-2000. Cardiovascular Grand Round, Sherman Hospital.
 13. Aortic Valve Sparring Operation. January 11, 2001. Cardiovascular Conference, Sherman Hospital.
 14. Congenital Cor Triatriatum & Severe Mitral Regurgitation. February 15, 2001. Cardiovascular Conference, Sherman Hospital.
 15. Management of Cardiac Trauma. August 23, 2001. Cardiovascular Conference, Sherman Hospital.
 16. Vascular Complication of Cardiac Catheterization Current Issues – Sherman Experience 2000. September 21, 2001. Cardiovascular Grand Round, Sherman Hospital.
 17. Management of Anticoagulation during Cardiac Surgery in patients with H.I.T. October 25, 2001. Cardiovascular Grand Round, Sherman Hospital.
 18. Current Management of Acute Dissecting Aneurysm of the Thoracic Aorta – Sherman Experience. November 8, 2001. Cardiovascular Conference, Sherman Hospital.
 19. Decisions Not to Operate. Coronary Disease Cases. November 15, 2001. Cardiovascular Conference, Sherman Hospital.
 20. Surgical Treatment of Ischemic Mitral Regurgitation. February 7, 2002. Cardiovascular Conference, Sherman Hospital.
 21. Penetrating Cardiac Trauma. February 21, 2002. Nursing Grand Round, Sherman Hospital.
 22. Prediction of Left Ventricular Function after DOR Procedure: Rile of Magnetic Resonance Imaging. C Lim, MD, JH Choh, MD, WH Chang, MD, SI Choi, M.D. Presented at 35th Scientific Congress of Korean Society of Thoracic Surgery. November 2004, Seoul Korea.
 23. Coronary Bypass vs Stent in Multivessel Coronary Artery Disease. JH Choh, M.D. 2011 Summer Convention of College of Medicine, Seoul National University, July 2, 2011, Denver, CO
 24. Surgeon and Art : 33rd Annual Scientific Convention
Seoul National University Medical College US Alumni Association
June 4-7,2015 Glenpointe,Teaeck ,New Jersey,2015

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Seoul National University Medical College US Alumni Association
March 2-4,2017 Los Angeles,California