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| <b>City/ University</b>  | The Cleveland Clinic, Cleveland, Ohio   |   |
| <b>Duration of the Fellowship and Funding</b>                        | 1 year<br>2 fellows accepted each year<br>Fully funded including medical/ dental benefits   |   |
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| <b>Required application materials</b>                                | CV with ABSITE scores and 2 letters of recommendation emailed to Dr. Siperstein at <a href="mailto:sipersa@ccf.org">sipersa@ccf.org</a>   |   |
| <b>Objectives of the Program</b>                                     | To develop endocrine surgeons experienced in the spectrum of care for endocrine diseases of the thyroid, parathyroid, adrenal and pancreas. To encourage academic activity in endocrine surgery and foster the development of leaders in endocrine surgery.   |   |
| <b>Application Eligibility and Requirements</b>                      | Applicants must have completed a general surgery residency and be board eligible or board certified in general surgery as determined by the American Board of Surgery.  |   |
| <b>Application Deadline</b>  | Applications are flexibly accepted. Interview dates are scheduled for June 1 and June 15, 2012.   |   |
| <b>Highlights</b>  | <p>The comprehensive program of endocrine surgery at Cleveland Clinic includes &gt;600 neck operations (thyroid, parathyroid, neck dissections, reoperative and complex surgeries), &gt;30 adrenalectomies (posterior and anterior laparoscopic, and robotic), and 5 endocrine pancreas procedures annually. The fellow directly performs &gt;500 neck ultrasounds and becomes proficient in FNA and fiberoptic laryngoscopy. The program includes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Integrated clinic and multidisciplinary conferences (endocrinology, pathology, nuclear medicine, genomic medicine)</li> <li>• Endocrine surgery didactic conferences</li> <li>• Opportunity to individually tailor curriculum</li> <li>• Courses in epidemiology/ statistics</li> <li>• Research activities with expectation for presentation/ publication</li> <li>• No general surgery responsibilities or call</li> <li>• Robotic Surgery for adrenals thyroid and parathyroid</li> </ul> <p>The faculty has special expertise in surgeon-performed ultrasound, complex thyroid cancer/ familial endocrine syndromes, laparoscopic and robotic abdominal surgery,</p> |   |

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|  | including thermal ablation of hepatic metastases from endocrine tumors, and the development of novel blood molecular markers for thyroid cancer.  |
| <b>List of Previous Fellows from this Program and their Current Institutions</b> | <p>Dr. Judy Jin (2011) Current Fellow<br/> Dr. Rosemarie Metzger (2011) Current Fellow<br/> Dr. Linda Bohacek (2010) Health Sciences Center, Memorial University of Newfoundland<br/> Dr. Lucy Wallace (2010) Parkland Health And Hospital System, TX<br/> Dr. Joyce Shin (2009) The Cleveland Clinic, OH<br/> Dr. Katherine Heiden (2009) Rush University, IL<br/> Dr. Adrian Harvey (2008) University of Calgary, Canada<br/> Dr. Hadley Ritter (2008) Indiana University, IN<br/> Dr. Jamie Mitchell (2007) The Cleveland Clinic, OH<br/> Dr. Carolyn Garner (2006) Denton Surgical Group, TX<br/> Dr. Peter Mazzaglia (2005) Brown University, RI<br/> Dr. Judiann Miskulin (2004) Indiana University, IN<br/> Dr. Antonia Stephen (2003) Harvard University, MA<br/> Dr. Kristin Wagner (2002) Carolinas Medical Center, UNC Chappell Hill, NC</p> |