

# University of Michigan

<b>City/University</b>	Ann Arbor MI / University of Michigan		
<b>Duration of the fellowship/funding</b>	<p>1 year, funded as a Lecturer in Surgery</p> <p>Applications (CV, 3 letters of recommendation, and summary cover letter from applicant) are accepted until June 1 of the year prior to the July 1 start date. Interviews are offered in June, July, and August on a rolling basis when applications are complete. The fellowship participates in the AAES fellowship match in September.</p>		
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<b>Objectives of the Program</b>	<p>The Norman W. Thompson Fellowship in Endocrine Surgery is designed to develop special interest and expertise in the clinical care of endocrine surgery problems. The fellow must be well-trained in general surgery and eligible for American Board of Surgery certification. The goal of the fellowship is to facilitate the graded transition of the trainee to an independent endocrine surgeon who is confident in the management of patients with the full variety of endocrine surgical problems. Opportunities to contribute to the field through clinical research are also provided and encouraged.</p>		
<b>Highlights of the Fellowship</b>	<p>The Division of Endocrine Surgery is the oldest dedicated endocrine surgical unit in the country. The group performs over 600 cervical endocrine operations, 25-50 endocrine pancreas operations, and &gt;75 adrenal operations each year. The Thompson fellow begins the year learning management and technical principles with the endocrine surgical faculty in both the clinic and operating room. A graded progression of increased independent responsibility occurs throughout the year. The year also includes exposure to outpatient clinical care, endocrine pathology, radiology and nuclear medicine, and intraoperative parathyroid hormone monitoring. Extensive skills with cervical ultrasound and laryngoscopy will be developed.</p>		
<b>List of Previous Fellows</b>	<b>Previous Fellows under direction of Norman W. Thompson</b>		
	<b>Fellow</b>	<b>Residency</b>	<b>Fellowship Year</b>
	Anders Borgstrom		1984-1985
	Polly Cheung		1985-1986
	Anne-Greth Bondeson		1988-1989
	Janice Pasioka		1990-1991
	Peter Czako		1992-1992
	Lori Fritts		1993-1994
	Peter Angelos		1995-1996
	Greg Stanislav		1997
Melanie Richards		1997-1998	

	Daryl Gray		1998-1999
	Shelby Burkey		2000-2001
<b>Fellows under current format/leadership</b>			
	<b>Fellow</b>	<b>Residency</b>	<b>Fellowship Year</b>
	Barbara Miller	University of Texas Southwestern	2005-2006
	Eunice Cho	University of Michigan	2006-2007
	Brian Saunders	University of Michigan	2007-2008
	James Broome	Vanderbilt University	2008-2009
	David Hughes	Dartmouth University	2009-2010
	Amanda Laird	Wake Forrest University	2010-2011
	Amy Fox	Washington University	2011-2012
	Paul Park	University of Michigan	2012-2013