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CURRENT POSITIONS

Co-Founder & Head of Clinical AI

Sayvant

Oct 2023 - Present

Emeryville, CA

Leads development of clinical AI documentation systems used in emergency and hospital medicine, with emphasis on evaluation design, extraction-first workflows, and safeguards for physician-facing AI.

Founder & CEO

IntuBlade

Oct 2018 - Present

San Ramon, CA

Leads development and commercialization of single-use video laryngoscopy hardware and related procedural software, including patented lens-clearing video laryngoscope systems.

CLINICAL EXPERIENCE

Vice Chair, Assistant Medical Director

Emanuel Medical Center

Dec 2021 - Sep 2023

Turlock, CA

Oversaw quality and performance initiatives for a 70,000-visit emergency department and led operational improvement work across clinical and administrative domains.

Emergency Medicine Physician

Regional Medical Center

Sep 2020 - Dec 2021

San Jose, CA

Practiced emergency medicine at a Level 2 Trauma Center with annual volume exceeding 100,000 visits.

Emergency Medicine Resident Physician

Kendall Regional Medical Center

Jul 2017 - Jul 2020

Miami, FL

Completed emergency medicine residency at a Level 1 adult and pediatric trauma center.

Sergeant (E-5), Combat Medic Specialist

United States Army National Guard

Jun 2006 - Jun 2012

Ashland, KY

Led battalion-level medical operations and provided combat casualty care in Afghanistan.

EDUCATION

Stanford University School of Medicine

Master of Science, Clinical Informatics Management

2025 - Present

Stanford, CA

University of South Florida College of Medicine

Doctor of Medicine

2013 - 2017

Tampa, FL

Eastern Kentucky University

Bachelor of Science, Biomedical Science

2009 - 2012

Richmond, KY

PUBLICATIONS & BOOKS

- Napier A., Zitek T. Decreased time to intubation by experienced users with a new lens-clearing video laryngoscope in a simulated setting. *American Journal of Emergency Medicine*. 2021. PMID: 33632548.
- Napier A. *Emergency Medicine Ultrasound Pocketbook Guide*. Independently published, 2020. ISBN-13: 979-8656959858.

PRESENTATIONS

- From Napkin Sketch to Reality: Your Path to the Creation of a Medical Device. Entrepreneurship and Networking for Doctors Conference, SoMeDocs, 2023.
- Establishing Gestational-Specific D-dimer Value Ranges. ACEP National Conference abstract presentation, 2019.

PROFESSIONAL DETAILS

Licensure

- Board Certification, Emergency Medicine, current through 2027
- California Medical License, active since August 2020

Research Interests

- Clinical AI evaluation frameworks
- Documentation reliability and physician oversight
- Decision support in emergency medicine
- Risk stratification using clinical conversation data

PATENTS

- US 11,103,130 and US 11,627,873: Disposable Video Laryngoscope with Fluid Spray System
- US 12,465,206: Laryngoscope and Methods of Use
- US 63/548,015: Individualized Physician Clinical Documentation Tools
- US 63/619,785: AI-Enhanced Depth Perception and Anatomical Highlighting System for Video-Assisted Medical Procedures

SELECTED HONORS

- VetsInTech Pitch Competition, First Place, \$25,000 Prize (2024)
- EMS World Innovation Award, Finalist (2024)
- NorCal Powerlifting Fall 2023, First Place, Submasters Division (2023)
- MassChallenge HealthTech Participant (2023)
- Warrior Rising Pitch Competition, First Place, \$20,000 Prize (2023)
- InnovatorMD Startup Showcase, First Place (2022)
- EMS World Innovation Award, Finalist (2020)
- Emergency Medicine Ultrasound Award, KRMC (2020)
- Tillman Military Scholar (2012)

Military Awards

- Purple Heart
- Combat Medical Badge
- Combat Action Badge
- Joint Meritorious Unit Award
- Valorous Unit Award
- Kentucky Governor's Outstanding Unit Citation