

**LADY CHRISTINE C. DY, MD, MS**

**BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH**



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Dr. Lady C. Dy is a board certified dermatologist and dermatopathologist, an assistant professor of Dermatology and the director of dermatopathology at RUSH University Medical Center in Chicago. In addition to her dermatopathology subspecialty, Dr. Dy has expertise in hair disorders, scalp diseases and ethnic skin and scalp conditions.

Dr. Dy attended Western Michigan University in Kalamazoo, MI for her undergraduate and graduate studies. She received her BS degree, Magna Cum Laude, in Biomedical Sciences and an MS with highest distinction in Biological Sciences. She attended the highly regarded McMaster University Medical School in Ontario, Canada, obtaining her MD in 1996.

During her graduate studies and post-graduate medical training Dr. Dy was also a research assistant and a teaching assistant at Western Michigan University. She then became a clinical research co-investigator in the Clinical Outpatient Research Center at Indiana University Medical Center, an instructor in skin care and prevention in the Indianapolis community and a lecturer in Dermatology at Moi University in Kenya.

Following medical school, she completed an internship in Internal Medicine at Spectrum Health System in Grand Rapids, MI and a basic science research fellowship in Dermatology at Indiana University School of Medicine.

Dr. Dy then relocated to Indiana and completed a residency in Dermatology at Indiana University School of Medicine. The following year she performed a fellowship in Dermatopathology at the University of Chicago, Pritzker School of Medicine.

She joined the Department of Dermatology at RUSH University Medical Center in 2003. Since her appointment Dr. Dy has lectured at Indiana University School of Medicine on Cutaneous Hair Biology and has presented at national meetings. She has also published several articles and has co-authored a chapter on Office Diagnosis of Hair Shaft Defects.

Dr. Dy is fluent in various Chinese dialects as well as Tagalog, the native language of the Philippines.

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**CURRICULUM VITAE**

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Birth Place: Philippines  
Citizenship: USA

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**EDUCATION AND TRAINING**

**UNDERGRADUATE:**

<u>Dates Attended</u>	<u>Name and Location of Institution</u>	<u>Degree Received, Discipline and Year</u>
1987-1991	Western Michigan University, Kalamazoo, MI	BS (Cum Laude) Biomedical Sciences; Minor, Chemistry, 1990

**GRADUATE:**

<u>Dates Attended</u>	<u>Name and Location of Institution</u>	<u>Degree Received, Discipline and Year</u>
1991-1993	Western Michigan University, Kalamazoo, MI	MS (Honors) Biological Sciences, 1993
1993-1996	McMaster University Hamilton, Ontario, Canada	MD, 1996

**POST GRADUATE:**

<u>Dates Attended</u>	<u>Name and Location of Institution</u>	<u>Name of Program Director and Discipline</u>
1996-1997	Spectrum Health, East Campus, Grand Rapids, MI	Preliminary Internal Medicine Robert F. Johnson, MD
1997-1999	Indiana University School of Medicine, Herman B. Wells Center, Division of Cutaneous Research, Indianapolis, IN	Research Fellowship Jeffrey B. Travers, MD
1999-2002	Indiana University School of Medicine, Indianapolis, IN	Dermatology Residency Jeffrey B. Travers, MD
2002-2003	University of Chicago, Pritzker School of Medicine, Chicago, IL	Dermatology Fellowship Christopher Shea, MD

### **APPOINTMENTS AND POSITIONS**

#### **ACADEMIC POSITIONS:**

<u>Years Inclusive</u>	<u>Name and Location of Institution or Organization</u>	<u>Rank/Title or Position</u>
1990-1993	Western Michigan University Kalamazoo, MI	Research Assistant
1991-1993	Western Michigan University Kalamazoo, MI	Teaching Assistant
1997-1999	Department of Dermatology, Cutaneous Biology Division, Indiana University Medical Center, Indianapolis, IN	Research Fellow
2000-2002	Clinical Outpatient Research Center, Indiana University Medical Center, Indianapolis, IN	Clinical Research Co-investigator
2000-2002	Indiana University Medical Center Indianapolis, IN	Instructor, Skin Cancer Prevention
2002-2003	Moi University, Eldoret, Kenya	Dermatology, Chief Resident
2003-Present	RUSH University Medical Center Department of Dermatology, Chicago, IL	Assistant Professor of Dermatology

**NON-ACADEMIC POSITIONS:**

2003- Present	RUSH University Medical Center Department of Dermatology, Chicago, IL	Director of Dermatopathology
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**SPECIALTY CERTIFICATION**

<u>Certifying Board</u>	<u>Year</u>
American Board of Dermatology	2004
American Board of Dermatopathology	2005

**HONORS**

<u>Title, Institution and Location</u>	<u>Year(s)</u>
Full Graduate Teaching Assistantship Western Michigan University, Kalamazoo, MI	1991-1993
Basic Science Research Grant Western Michigan University, Kalamazoo, MI	1992
Merrill Wiseman Award Western Michigan University, Kalamazoo, MI	1990
Most Outstanding Undergraduate Biomedical Science Student Award	1990
National Honor Society, Saranac High School Grand Rapids, MI	1987

**PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES**

<u>Society</u>	<u>Year</u>
American Society of Dermatopathology, Rolling Meadows, IL	2005

Dermatology Residency House Staff Committee Representative, Indiana University, Indianapolis, IN	1999-2002
American Academy of Dermatology, Schaumburg, IL	2004
Chicago Dermatological Society, Naperville, IL	2003
Society for Investigative Dermatology, Cleveland, OH	1998

## PUBLICATIONS

### A. Refereed articles

1. Whiting, DA, and **Dy LC**. Office Diagnosis of Hair Shaft Defects. Seminars in Cutaneous Medicine and Surgery. 2006; (In Press).
2. Kim G, **Dy LC**, Mirowski G, Caldemeyer K. Buschke-Ollendorf Syndrome: Radiologic Series. *J Am Acad Dermatol*. 2003; 4:324-325.
3. Marques SA, **Dy LC**, Southall MD, Yi Q, Smietana E, Kapur R, Marques M, Travers JB, Spandau DF. The platelet-activating factor receptor activates the extracellular signal-regulated kinase mitogen-activated protein kinase and induces proliferation of epidermal cells through an epidermal growth factor-receptor-dependent pathway. *J Pharmacol Exp Ther*. 2002;300:1026-35.
4. Pei Y, **Dy LC**, Natarajan S, Travers JB. Activation of the epidermal platelet-activating factor receptor results in ICAM-1 expression. *In Vitro Cellular & Developmental Biology*. 2000;36:11-13.
5. **Dy LC**, Pei Y, Travers JB. Augmentation of ultraviolet B radiation-induced tumor necrosis factor production by the epidermal platelet-activating factor receptor. *J Biol Chem*. 1999;274:17-21.
6. Pei Y, Barber L, Murphy R, **Dy LC**, et al. Activation of the Epidermal Platelet-Activation Factor Receptor Results in Cytokine and Cyclooxygenase-2 Biosynthesis. *J Immunology* 1998;1954-61.
7. **Dy LC**, Chalasani S and Essani K. Isolation of *Escherichia coli* mutants lacking methylcytosine-dependent restriction systems for cloning methylated frog virus 3 DNA. *Gene* 1993;131:87-91.

## B. Oral Presentations

1. **Dy LC**, Malone J, Farmer E, Hood A. A complex care of neutropilic disease associated with granulocyte stimulating factor. American Society of Dermatopathology, Chicago, IL, September, 2001.
2. **Dy LC**, Kulkarni P, Travers JB. Blastomycosis with widespread cutaneous involvement including the scalp. American Academy of Dermatology, Washington, DC, March, 2001.
3. **Dy LC**, Marques S, Travers JB. Dermatologic Research in Progress, Lecturer. Involvement of the EGF-r in PAF-r mediated augmentation of UVB-induced apoptosis. Department of Dermatology, Indiana University School of Medicine, July, 1999.
4. **Dy LC**, Pei Y, Travers JB. Augmentation of ultraviolet B radiation-induced tumor necrosis factor production by the epidermal platelet-activating factor receptor. Department of Pharmacology and Toxicology, Indiana University School of Medicine, July, 1999.
5. **Dy LC**, and Essani K. Isolation of mutant bacterial host strain ideal for cloning heavily methylated DNA. Michigan Academy of Science Meeting, Central Michigan University, March, 1992.

## C. Poster Presentations

1. **Dy LC**, Hurwitz R and Buckle L. Melanoma-in-situ with epidermal effacement: A compelling adjunctive finding. American Society of Dermatopathology, Boston, MA, October, 2004.
2. Lacouture M, **Dy LC**, Baron J, Soltani K. Anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody therapy for primary cutaneous B cell lymphomas. International Investigative Dermatology, Miami, FL, April, 2003.
3. **Dy LC**, Lacouture M, Wang LC, Soltani K, Shea CR. Unusual clinical presentations of Rosai-Dorfman disease limited to the skin. American Society of Dermatopathology, Phoenix, AZ, October, 2002.
4. **Dy LC**, Kelly NP, Medenica M, Shea CR. Incidental finding of chronic lymphocytic leukemia in association with primary cutaneous squamous cell and basal cell carcinomas. American Society of Dermatopathology, Phoenix, AZ, October, 2002.
5. **Dy LC**, Marques S, Travers JB and Spandau D. Transactivation of the epidermal growth factor receptor by the epidermal platelet-activating factor receptor is required for augmentation of ultraviolet B radiation-induced apoptosis. Society for Investigative Dermatology, Chicago, IL, May 2000.
6. Yi Q, Marques S, **Dy LC**, Travers JB. The epidermal platelet-activating factor receptor stimulates multiple mitogen-activated protein kinase pathways. Society for Investigative Dermatology, Chicago, IL, May, 2000.

7. **Dy LC**, Pei Y, Travers J. Modulation of UVB-induced tumor necrosis factor production by the epidermal platelet activating factor receptor. Society of Investigative Dermatology, Chicago, IL, May, 1999.
8. **Dy LC**, Travers J. The role of platelet activating factor receptor in UVB induced keratinocyte production. International Society of Investigative Dermatology, Cologne, Germany, May, 1998.