

Harris Busch Award in Pharmacology and Therapeutics
Alfred M. Cinnamon Scholarship
William, James Silas, and Leo Baines Crump Scholarship

Undergraduate:

Phi Beta Kappa
Honors research degree in Biology
Golden Key National Honor Society
National Dean's List Honorary
Alpha Epsilon Delta Pre-Medical Honor Society

**Professional
Organizations:**

Fellow of the American Academy of Dermatology
Allied Health Care/Patient Advocate Liaison Committee: 3/2000-2004
Fellow of the American College of Mohs Surgery
CPT Rapid Response Committee 4/2007-present
Fellow of the American Society for Dermatologic Surgery
Membership Recruitment and Retention Committee: 11/2000-2003
Fellow of the Atlanta Dermatological Association
Member of the American Medical Association
Member of the Medical Association of Georgia

State Licensure:

Georgia Medical License: 045108

Publications:

- Pharis DB. Cutaneous Melanoma: Therapeutic lymph node dissection (TLND), elective lymph node dissection (ELND), lymph node mapping, and sentinel lymph node biopsy (SLNB). *Dermatologic Therapy* 2005 Nov-Dec;18(6):397-406.
- Pharis DB, Brodland DG. Flaps. In: Bologna JL, Jorizzo JL, Rapini RP, editors. *Dermatology*. Philadelphia (PA): Mosby; 2003.
- Pharis DB, Zitelli JA. The management of the regional lymph nodes in cancer. *Br J Dermatol* 2003;149:919-25.
- Papadopoulos DJ, Pharis DB, Munavalli GS, Trinei F, Hantzakos AG. Nasalis myocutaneous island pedicle flap with bi-level undermining for repair of lateral nasal defects. *Dermatol Surg* 2002;28:190-194.
- Pharis DB, Zitelli JA. Mohs micrographic surgery for melanoma. *Skin Cancer Foundation Journal* 2001;19:30.
- Pharis DB, Zitelli JA. Sunburn, trauma and the timing of biopsies of melanocytic nevi. *Dermatol Surgery* 2001;27(9):835-6.
- Pharis DB, Cerenko D, Caughman SW. Sweet's syndrome in a patient with idiopathic progressive bilateral sensorineural hearing loss. *J Am Acad Dermatol* 2000;42:932-5.
- Pharis DB, Papadopoulos DJ. Superiorly based nasolabial interpolation flap for repair of nasal tip defects. *Dermatol Surg* 2000;26:19-24.
- Pharis DB, McCall CO, Spraker MK. Kaposiform hemangioendothelioma in a child with the Kasabach-Merritt syndrome. In: Williams CM, editor. *Mini consults in dermatology volume VI (CD-ROM)*. Schaumburg (IL): American Academy of Dermatology; 1999.
- Pharis DB, Teller C, Wolf JE, Jr. Cutaneous manifestations of sports participation. *J Am Acad Dermatol* 1997;36:448-59.

Presentations:

- Pharis DB. “Mohs surgeons and histotechs. How to make each others lives easier.” Annual Meeting of the American Society of Mohs Histotechnology. Atlanta, GA. October 2005.
- Pharis DB. “Melanoma Update.” Combined Annual Meeting of the American College of Mohs Micrographic Surgery and Cutaneous Oncology and the American Society of Dermatologic Surgery. San Diego, CA. October 2004.
- Pharis DB. “The perioperative management of cardiac patients in dermatologic surgery.” Emory University Department of Dermatology Grand Rounds. Atlanta, GA. May 2003.
- Pharis DB. “Cutaneous malignancies.” Henry County Primary Care Symposium. Stockbridge, GA. April 2002.
- Pharis DB. “The management of the regional lymph nodes in cancer.” Emory University Department of Dermatology Grand Rounds. Atlanta, GA. March 2002.
- Pharis DB, Spraker MK. ““Sting” as the cause of treatment failure in atopic dermatitis: an under diagnosed and easily remedied problem.” Emory Dermatology Day. Atlanta, GA. April 2000.
- Pharis DB, McCall CO, Spraker MK. “Kaposiform hemangioendothelioma in a child with the Kasabach-Merritt syndrome.” American Academy of Dermatology Gross and Microscopic Dermatology symposium. New Orleans, LA. March 1999.
- Pharis DB. “The Actinic Keratosis Revisited.” Emory University Department of Dermatology Grand Rounds. Atlanta, GA. June 1998.
- Pharis DB, McCall CO, Spraker MK. “Kaposiform hemangioendothelioma in a child with the Kasabach-Merritt syndrome.” Georgia Society of Dermatologists Annual Meeting. Sea Island, GA. June 1998.
- Pharis DB. “Eczema and Eczematoid disorders.” Emory University Physician Assistant lecture series on Dermatology. Atlanta, GA. January 1998/1999/2000.
- Pharis DB. “Hansen’s Disease.” Baylor College of Medicine, Department of Internal Medicine, Section of Infectious Disease Grand Rounds. Houston, TX. November 1996.
- Pharis DB, Tessman I. “The third role of the *recA* gene in *Escherichia coli* SOS repair and mutagenesis.” Purdue University undergraduate honors research symposium. West Lafayette, IN. April 1992.

Research:

- “Inhibition of isomerization of urocanic acid and its effect on UV-induced carcinogenesis.” Advisor: Homer Black, PhD. January 1996 – June 1996.
- “The third role of the *recA* gene in *Escherichia coli* SOS repair and mutagenesis.” Advisor: Irwin Tessman, PhD. January 1991 – May 1992.