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### CURRENT PROFESSIONAL POSITION

Gastroenterologist

Graves Gilbert Clinic, Bowling Green, KY

### BOARD CERTIFICATIONS

- Board-certified in Internal Medicine (2014)
- Board-certified in Gastroenterology (2017)

### SKILLS AND PROFESSIONAL INTERESTS

- General gastroenterology
- Inherited gastrointestinal cancer syndromes
- Inflammatory bowel diseases (IBD- Crohn's and ulcerative colitis)
- Functional gastrointestinal disorders such as irritable bowel syndrome (IBS)
- Diagnostic and therapeutic colonoscopy, upper endoscopy and video capsule endoscopy

### EDUCATION

- Medical school (2002-2008): All India Institute of Medical Sciences (AIIMS), New Delhi, India
- Internship and Internal Medicine Residency (2011-2014): Michigan State University (MSU), East Lansing, MI
- Gastroenterology fellowship (2014-2017): Boston University School of Medicine, Boston, MA

### PREVIOUS WORK EXPERIENCE

- 2008-2011: Post-Doctoral research fellow at Northwestern University, Chicago, IL

### HONORS AND AWARDS

- David Greenbaum, MD Emerging Leader Award presented by department of Internal Medicine at Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI
- Inducted into Alpha Omega Alpha (ΑΩΑ) Medical Honor Society

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- Outstanding Resident in Research Award presented by department of Internal Medicine at Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI
- Outstanding Clinical Resident Award, Internal Medicine Residency Program, Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI

#### PROFESSIONAL AND SOCIETY MEMBERSHIPS

- Alpha Omega Alpha (ΑΩΑ) Medical Honor Society
- American College of Gastroenterology (ACG)

#### PUBLICATIONS

##### **Book Chapters**

1. Rex D, Tiwari AK. Areas of future research. Colorectal Cancer Screening: Quality and Benchmarks. Aasma Shaukat, John L. Allen. New York: Springer, 2015. 193-201. Print.

##### **Research Articles (Peer-Reviewed Journals)**

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4. Tiwari AK. Comment on “Urinary incontinence in young nulligravid women”. Ann Intern Med. 2013 Jan 15;158(2):138-9. PMID: 23318321
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6. Tiwari AK, Roy HK, Lynch HT Lynch Syndrome in the 21st Century: Clinical Perspectives. Quarterly Journal of Medicine (QJM). 2015 Jul 29 [Epub ahead of print]. PMID: 26224055
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9. MacPhail ME, Hardacker KA, Tiwari A, Vemulapalli KC, Rex DK. Intraprocedural cleansing work during colonoscopy and achievable rates of adequate preparation in an open-access endoscopy unit. Gastrointest Endosc. 2014 Jul 3. pii: S0016-5107(14)01437-0. doi: 10.1016/j.gie.2014.05.002.

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11. Laird-Fick HK, Tiwari AK, Narayanan S, Qin Y, Vodnala D, Bhutani M. Comorbid myxoma and CLL: not just a coincidence? Case Report in Oncological Medicine, 2014;2014:142746. doi: 10.1155/2014/142746. Epub 2014 Apr 29. PMID: 24868472
12. Roy HK, Koetsier J, Tiwari AK, Joshi S, Kunte DP, Ward T, Gandhi S, Wali RK. Involvement of p21 cip1/waf1 on the anti-proliferative effects of polyethylene glycol in colon carcinogenesis. Int Journal of Oncology. 2011 Feb; 38(2):529-36. PMID: 21170505
13. Damania D, Subramanian H, Tiwari AK, Stypula Y, Pradhan P, Roy HK, Backman V. Role of cytoskeleton in controlling the disorder strength of cellular nanoscale architecture. Biophys J. 2010 Aug 4;99(3):989-996; PMID: 20682278
14. Mutyal NN, Radosevich AJ, Tiwari AK, Weiss M, Stypula Y, Wali RK, Kunte DP, Shea LD, Roy HK, Backman V. Biological mechanisms underlying structural changes induced by colorectal field carcinogenesis measured with low-coherence enhanced backscattering (LEBS) spectroscopy. PLoS One. 2013 Feb;8(2): e57206. doi: 10.1371/journal.pone.0057206. Epub 2013 Feb 19. PMID: 23431406
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## PRESENTATIONS AT INTERNATIONAL MEETINGS

(Only First Author Presentations mentioned)

### **Oral presentation**

- Tiwari AK, Roy HK, Backman V et al. Partial Wave Spectroscopic Microscopy: A Novel Tool to Assess Perturbation in the Cellular Transcriptional Activity During Colon Carcinogenesis. DDW-2013, Orlando

### **Poster Presentations**

- Tiwari AK, Roy HK, Backman V et al. Functional Characterization of SWI/SNF Chromatin Remodeling Complex Genes through Optical Interrogation of Nuclear Chromatin Nanoarchitecture (Presidential Poster of Distinction), DDW-2013, Orlando
- Tiwari AK, Roy HK et al. Progressive Loss of ARID1a (P270) Expression During Early Stages of Colorectal Carcinogenesis is a Significant Determinant of the Colonic Epithelium Phenotype; poster presentation at DDW-2013, Orlando
- Tiwari AK, Wali RK, Roy HK et al. Histopathological Features and Molecular Determinants of The Gender Paradox in Colorectal Carcinogenesis, American College of Gastroenterology (ACG) annual meeting-2012, Las Vegas
- Tiwari AK, Backman V, Roy HK et al. Nanocytomics-Based Assessment of Cellular Transcriptional Activity: A Novel Risk-Stratification Tool for Colorectal Cancer, American College of Gastroenterology (ACG) annual meeting-2012, Las Vegas
- Tiwari AK, Backman V, Roy HK et al. Nanocytomics as a Novel Modality for Determining Transcriptional Activity (Presidential Poster of Distinction), DDW-2012, San Diego
- Tiwari AK, Roy HK et al. Prolonged Exposure to Secondary Bile Acids Leads to CDX2 Mediated Downregulation of pERK Pathway and CDX2 Independent Activation of pAKT Pathway in Colon Cancer Cells, DDW-2011, Chicago
- Tiwari AK, Roy HK et al. Mutual Regulation of Expression Between MUC4 and CDX2 in Colon Cancer Cells, DDW-2011, Chicago

- Tiwari AK, Roy HK et al. Superoxide Dismutase 2 (Sod2) is Overexpressed at an Early Stage During Colorectal Carcinogenesis: A Putative Target for Celecoxib Chemoprevention, DDW-2011, Chicago
- Tiwari AK, Backman V, Roy HK et al. Imaging Nuclear Compaction With Partial Wave Spectroscopy for Detection of Early Carcinogenesis: Role of ARID1A, DDW-2011, Chicago
- Tiwari AK, Roy HK et al. The Gender Paradox in Colorectal Carcinogenesis: Modulation by CDX2 and VEGF, DDW-2011, Chicago
- Tiwari AK, Backman V, Roy HK et al. Role of Angiogenesis in the Premalignant Micro-Circulatory Augmentation in Colon Carcinogenesis. American Association for Cancer Research (AACR) 101st Annual Meeting-2010, Washington DC
- Tiwari AK, Roy HK et al. MUC4 and AKT/ $\beta$ -Catenin Mediated Control of Cell Proliferation in Early Colon Carcinogenesis (Presidential Poster of Distinction), DDW-2010, New Orleans
- Tiwari AK, Backman V, Roy HK et al. Increased Mucosal Micro-Circulation in Colonic Field Carcinogenesis is Mediated Through Neo-Vascularization: Modulation by Pro and Anti-Angiogenic Factors, DDW-2010, New Orleans
- Tiwari AK, Roy HK et al. Mechanisms of CDX2 Suppression in Colorectal Carcinogenesis: Role of Deoxycholate-MUC 4 Signaling Cascade, DDW-2010, New Orleans
- Tiwari AK, Roy HK et al. Deoxycholic Acid Dependent Regulation of CDX2 Expression Has a Role in Gender Related Issues During Colorectal Carcinogenesis, DDW-2010, New Orleans
- Tiwari AK, Roy HK et al. MUC4: A Potential Biomarker for Early Detection of Colorectal Cancer. Early Detection Research Network (EDRN) conference-2009, Bethesda

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(Only First Author Presentations mentioned)

##### **Oral presentations**

- Tiwari AK, Backman V, Roy HK et al. Partial Wave Spectroscopic Microscopy: A Novel Tool to Assess Perturbation in the Cellular Transcriptional Activity. American College of Physicians (ACP), Michigan chapter-2013, Troy, MI (*second place in basic research category*)
- Tiwari AK, Backman V, Roy HK et al. Nanocytomics: A Novel Spectroscopic Modality For Cancer Risk Stratification. American College of Physicians (ACP) Michigan Chapter Annual Scientific Meeting-2012, Traverse City, MI (*Third place in oral presentation category*)
- Tiwari AK, Backman V, Roy HK et al. Nanocytomics-based assessment of cellular transcriptional activity for cancer risk-stratification and drug-responsiveness. Mid-Michigan Regional Research Day- 2012, East Lansing, MI (*Second place in oral presentation category*)

##### **Poster Presentations**

- Tiwari AK, Backman V, Roy HK et al. Risk stratification for cancers through spectroscopic interrogation of mucosa. American College of Physicians (ACP), Michigan chapter-2012, Dearborn, MI (*First place in Evidence-Based medicine category*)

- Tiwari AK, Laird-Fick HK et al. Infective endocarditis masquerading as punctate infarcts in an afebrile patient with dizziness. Mid-Michigan Regional Research Day- 2012, East Lansing

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#### WORKSHOPS

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