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ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

- Clinical Associate Professor, Pediatrics - Hematology & Oncology
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PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION

- Residency: Children's Hospital of Philadelphia Dept of Pediatrics (2014) PA
- Board Certification: Pediatric Hematology-Oncology, American Board of Pediatrics (2019)
- Fellowship: NY Presbyterian Hospital Columbia Pediatric Hematology and Oncology Fellowship (2017) NY
- Board Certification: Pediatrics, American Board of Pediatrics (2014)
- Medical Education: Indiana University School of Medicine (2011) IN
- BA, Columbia University (2006)

Research & Scholarship

CLINICAL TRIALS

- A Study to Evaluate Tabelecleucel in Participants With Epstein Barr Virus (EBV) Associated Diseases, Recruiting
- Tiragolumab and Atezolizumab for the Treatment of Relapsed or Refractory SMARCB1 or SMARCA4 Deficient Tumors, Not Recruiting
- Trastuzumab Deruxtecan for the Treatment of HER2+ Newly Diagnosed or Recurrent Osteosarcoma, Not Recruiting

Publications

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Green, M., Marks, L. J., Agarwal, M., Goss, C. W., Dharnidharka, V. R.
WILEY.2025
- **METABOLIC-ONLY RESPONSE ASSESSMENT ALLOWS FOR OMISSION OF RESIDUAL NODE RADIATION THERAPY (RNRT) FOR THE MAJORITY OF PATIENTS WITH CLASSICAL HODGKIN LYMPHOMA (cHL) WHILE MAINTAINING EXCELLENT EVENT FREE (EFS) AND OVERALL SURVIVAL (OS): A REPORT FROM THE PEDIATRIC HODGKIN CONSORTIUM'S PHASE 2 STUDY cHOD17 (NCT03755804)**
Flerlage, J. E., Feraco, A. M., Zhou, Y., Zheng, Y., Lucas, J. T., Dixon, S. B., Blake, J., Wilemon, L., Roberts, B. A., Marks, L. J., Friedmann, A. M., MacDonald, S., Weinstein, et al
PERGAMON-ELSEVIER SCIENCE LTD.2025
- **IMPACT OF TIME OF ONSET OF PEDIATRIC POST-TRANSPLANT LYMPHOPROLIFERATIVE DISORDER OUTCOMES: RESULTS FROM A PROSPECTIVE/RETROSPECTIVE MULTICENTER STUDY**
Marks, L. J., Green, M., Agarwal, M., Goss, C. W., Dharnidharka, V. R., PTLD-MSMS Grp
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- **Primary Splenic Nodular Lymphocyte Predominant Hodgkin Lymphoma (NLPHL): First Reported Case in a Young Child.** *Pediatric and developmental pathology : the official journal of the Society for Pediatric Pathology and the Paediatric Pathology Society*
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- **Advances and updates in pediatric anaplastic large cell lymphoma.** *Blood advances*
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- **Metabolic-only response assessment for omission of residual node radiation therapy (RNRT) for patients with classical Hodgkin lymphoma (cHL) and impact on event free (EFS) and overall survival (OS): A report from the Pediatric Hodgkin Consortium's phase 2 study cHOD17 (NCT03755804).**
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