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1995-1998 Physician, St. John’s Medical Center, Joplin, MO

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2012-present Medical Director, Smilow Cancer Hospital, Guilford Care Center, Guilford, CT

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**Board Certification:**

American Board of Internal Medicine, Internal Medicine, 1991, recertification, 2011

American Board of Internal Medicine, Medical Oncology, 1995, recertification, 2005,2015

American Board of Internal Medicine, Hematology, 1996, recertification 2006, 2016

**Professional Honors & Recognition:**

**International/National/Regional:**

1994: Department of Medicine Cash Award for Scholarly Activity

1994: American Society of Clinical Oncology Merit Award

1995: Trainee Investigator Award, American Federation of Clinical Research

2015-2017 NCCN panel for neuroendocrine cancer

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**PROFESSIONAL SERVICE**

**Memberships in Professional Organizations**Fellow, American College of Physicians  
Member, American Society of Clinical Oncology

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**Yale University**

IRB member since 2012

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NCCN panel

**Teaching**

Yale University Medical students since 2002

LCE teaching program since inception

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Yale medical students Oncology work shop since 2012

Abstracts and Presentations

1. Zaheer W, et al. Taxol in the elderly. Presented at the American Society of Clinical Oncology Meeting in Dallas, TX. May 1994. Recipient of ASCO Merit Award.

2. Zaheer W, et al. Detection of occult lymphoma in bone marrow and peripheral blood of patients with non-Hodgkin’s lymphoma presenting for bone marrow transplantation. ASH Meeting, Nashville, TN. December 1994.

3. Zaheer W, et al. Essential thrombocythemia in pregnancy. Presented at the New York Blood Society Meeting, May 1994.

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5. Symposium : Diagnosis and treatment of Oral cavity and Head & Neck tumors: Advances in Chemotherapy for Head and Neck cancer. Hospital Of Saint Raphael Oct 22, 2005

6. ASCO PALLIATIVE CARE SYMPOSIUM/ GOALS OF CARE QUALITY PROJECT

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7. Dec 1, 2017 - SSA01-05, Cancer Detection with **Digital Breast** Tomosynthesis (DBT) Compared with ... Maryam Etesami, MD | Michelle Y. **Giwerc** | Malini Harigopal, MD | Laura J. Horvath, MD | Wajih Zaheer Kidwai | **Liane** E. **Philpotts**, MD.

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