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EDUCATION

University of California-Davis

B.S. Biological Sciences

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Senior Project in Environmental Toxicology: Development of a pharmacologic dose-response model using Rana pipiens for undergraduate teaching laboratories, under the direction of Dr. Robert Krieger.

University of Wisconsin-Madison

M.S. Exercise Physiology

1985

Thesis: "The Effect of Lower Body Positive Pressure on the Cardiovascular, and VO₂ Responses to Graded Arm Work", under the direction of Dr. Francis Nagle.

University of Wisconsin-Madison

Ph.D. Exercise Physiology

1990

Dissertation: "The Effects of Tension Development and Muscle Mass on the Pressor Response to Sustained Isometric Exercise", under the direction of Dr. Francis Nagle.

ACADEMIC, SCHOLARLY AND PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Associate Professor

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Exercise Science Program, Department of Physical Therapy Research Focus: Fatigue in MS and other chronic diseases.

Associate Adjunct Professor

Medical College of Wisconsin

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Clinical Translational Science Institute

Research Physiologist

Zablocki VA Medical Center

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Radiation Oncology w/o compensation. Research Focus: Fatigue in cancer survivors

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Marquette University

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Exercise Science Program, Department of Physical Therapy Research Focus: Fatigue in MS and other chronic diseases.

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University of CA-San Francisco

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Department of Radiology Research Focus: Neurophysiological, autonomic and metabolic basis of muscle function and fatigue in MS, other chronic diseases and human aging.

Postgraduate Researcher

University of CA-San Francisco

10/97-10/99

Department of Radiology Research scientist, under the program directorship of Dr. Jane Kent-Braun, muscle fatigue in multiple sclerosis and muscle function during human aging.

Postdoctoral Fellow

University of CA-San Francisco

9/94-10/97

Department of Radiology Research fellowship, under the direction of Dr. Jane Kent-Braun, muscle fatigue in multiple sclerosis and muscle function during human aging. Participation in the Jimmie Heuga Center medical programs for persons with multiple sclerosis.

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University of CO-Boulder

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Department of Kinesiology Human research in aging and neural control of the circulation.

Postdoctoral Fellow

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Department of Kinesiology National Research Service Award. (NIH, AG05518-03), under the direction of Dr. D. R. Seals. Autonomic control of the circulation during aging. University of Wisconsin Hospital **Research Assistant** 1989-1990 Dept of Rehabilitation Medicine. Post-polio and, basic neuro-muscular research. **Teaching Assistant** University of Wisconsin-Madison 1982-1989 Dept of Physiology. Physiology (undergrad) and Exercise Physiology (physical therapy). lectures, laboratories, and discussions. **Exercise Physiologist, Instructor** St. Mary's Hospital 1988-1989 St. Mary's Health Works, Madison, WI. Fitness testing, exercise prescriptions, healthy cooking, cross-country skiing, and ballroom dancing instructor. **Ropes Course Facilitator** Pecos River Learning Center 8/88-10/88 Santa Fe, NM. (Wisconsin off site contract work) Use of "high ropes course" as a challenge to foster personal and corporate growth and development. **Teaching Assistant** University of Wisconsin-Madison 1984,1989 Dept of Physical Education and Dance. Developed and taught new courses in rock climbing and cross-country skiing. **Exercise Physiologist** University of Wisconsin-Madison 1984-1985 Sports Medicine and Fitness Center, Madison, WI. Exercise testing and exercise prescription. **Cardiac Rehabilitation Practicum** Meriter Hospital 1983 Madison, WI. Outpatient cardiac rehabilitation practicum **Fitness Leader YMCA** 1982 Madison, WI. Lead adult fitness classes. Radiological Control Technician Westinghouse 1979 Idaho National Engineering Laboratory Expended core facility **Asst Manager** Mountain Folk Wilderness Supply 1978-1979 Pocatello, ID. Manager Sunrise Mountaineering 1979-1980 Livermore, CA Ranger Naturalist National Park Service 1974-1976 Yosemite National Park, CA. (Seasonal). Natural history interpreter and information specialist.

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- 54. Gaughan, A., Cowan, A., Urbiztondo, Z., and **A.V. Ng**. Accelerometer Reactivity in College Students. Slide presentation at the *Annual Meeting of the American Society of Exercise Physiologists*. Milwaukee, WI 2007.
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- 56. Heyer E.K., Farinella, J., Corrado, G., Romanowich, D., Frank, M. and **A.V. Ng**, Muscle Fatigue in Persons with HIV Infection on Highly Active Anti-Retroviral Therapy. *Med. Sci. Sports Exer.* 39(5): S443, 2007. Presented at the American College of Sports Medicine Annual Meeting, New Orleans, 2007.
- 57. Griffith EE, Schlachter KM, Kufahl TD, **Ng AV** & Hunter SK. The influence of active hyperemia on the sex difference in time to failure of an intermittent fatiguing contraction. For presentation at the American College of Sports Medicine Conference, New Orleans, *Medicine and Science in Sports and Exercise* 39(5); S471, 2007.
- 58. Farinella JM, Corrado GM, Griffith EE, Jablonski K, Romanowich D, **Ng AV** & Hunter SK. Task-dependent muscle fatigue in the tibialis anterior. For presentation at the American College of Sports Medicine Conference, New Orleans, *Medicine and Science in Sports and Exercise* 39(5); S263, 2007.

59. Wong, S., Ellingson, A., Hunter, S., and **A. Ng**. Corticospinal Response Differs with Depression: A Pilot Study. Poster presented at the College of Health Sciences Summer Research Program Symposia. August 2007.

- 60. Ellingson, A, Wong, S. Hunter and **A.V. Ng**, Type of Depression May Influence Corticospinal Responses: A TMS Pilot Study. Slide and poster presented at the College of Health Sciences Summer Research Program Symposia. August 2007.
- 61. Ellingson, A, Wong, S. Hunter and **A.V. Ng**, Type of Depression May Influence Corticospinal Responses: A TMS Pilot Study. Refereed poster presented at the Annual Meeting of the Biomedical Engineering Society, Sept 2007 (Los Angeles, CA).
- 62. Type of Feedback and Time to Task Failure in Young and Old Adults. Griffith, E.E., Yoon, T., Farinella, J.M., **Ng, A.V**., and S.K. Hunter. American College of Sports Medicine Annual Meeting, 2008. *Med Sci Sports Exerc* 40:S448, 2008.
- 63. Dixon, J., Cowdy, J., and **A. V. Ng**, Accelerometer Reactivity During Physical Activity Monitoring in College Students. American College of Sports Medicine Annual Meeting, 2008. *Med Sci Sports Exerc* 40:S321, 2008.
- 64. **Ng, A.V.**, Vanden Noven, M., Cowdy, J., Farinella, J., Heyer, E.K., and S.K. Hunter. Increased Muscle Fatigability may Contribute to Cancer-Related Fatigue in a Breast Cancer Survivor Undergoing Chemotherapy. American College of Sports Medicine Annual Meeting, 2008. *Med Sci Sports Exerc* 40:S290, 2008.
- 65. Ingraham, B.A., Woo, D., Heyer, E., Harkins, A., Dixon, J., and **A.V. Ng**. Cortisol contributes to symptomatic fatigue and heart rate variability in persons with multiple sclerosis. American College of Sports Medicine Annual Meeting, 2009, *Med Sci Sports Exerc* 41: S417, 2009.
- 66. **Ng. A.V**., Woo, D., Harkins, A., Csuka, M.E., Ingraham, B.A., Dixon, J., and P.E. Papanek. Determinants of bone mineral density in persons with multiple sclerosis. American College of Sports Medicine Annual Meeting, 2009, *Med Sci Sports Exerc* 41: S592, 2009.
- 67. B. Ingraham, B.T. Cleland, M C. Pitluck, J. Cowdy, and **A.V. Ng**, FACSM. Reproducibility of Ratings of Perceived Exertion in Persons with Multiple Sclerosis. Presented Midwest Chapter of American College of Sports Medicine annual meeting. St Charles IL, 2009.
- 68. **Ng., A.V.,** Woo, D., Csuka, M.E., Harkins, A., Cleland, B., Pitluck, M., Ingraham, B. Papanek, P. Moderate Physical Activity is Associated with Bone Density in MS. Presented at Consortium of MS Centers Annual Meeting, San Antonio TX, 2010.

SESSION CHAIR AT PROFESSIONAL MEETINGS

Invited Session Chair – 2001 American College of Sports Medicine Annual Meeting, "Exercise and Skeletal Muscle"

INVITED PRESENTATIONS - EXPERT PANELS

Consortium of MS Centers: Consensus Conference on Exercise as a Prescriptive Therapy in Multiple Sclerosis. Invited lecturer "*Physiology of Exercise in Persons with MS*". October 2010.

- **Neuro-Rehabilitation Dept., Froedtert Hospital** "Does Exercise Play a Central or Peripheral Role in Multiple Sclerosis: Research and Applied Considerations." April, 2009
- University of Chicago Medical Center, Geriatrics and Oncology. "Muscle Fatigue in Cancer Survivors"
- **YMCA of Metropolitan Milwaukee,** Cancer Survivorship Expert Panel, a local panel to provide training and to oversee exercise based wellness programs for cancer survivors. August 2008 present
- YMCA/Lance Armstrong Foundation Collaborative Expert Panel, to develop and oversee research based initiative to promote exercise and wellness in cancer survivors at select YMCAs. August 2007 present.
- **Concordia University, Department of Physical Therapy,** Mequon, WI *Mechanisms of Fatigue in Multiple Sclerosis: an update.* 2007.

- University of California Irvine Medical School, Irvine, CA, Successful Grantsmanship July 2006
- Concordia University, Department of Physical Therapy, Mequon, WI Mechanisms of Fatigue in Multiple Sclerosis, April, 2006,2007
- Medical College of Wisconsin Dept of Phys. Med. and Rehab. Milwaukee, WI Neurophysiologic Assessment of Fatigue in Chronic Disease. March 2006
- National Multiple Sclerosis Society (WI Chapt.) Hartland, WI, MS Research Update for Health Care Professionals. July 10, 2005.
- **University of Wisconsin- Milwaukee**, WI. Seminar in Human Movement Sciences. *Mechanisms of Fatigue in Persons with Multiple Sclerosis*. March 2005
- **Biomedical Technology Alliance**, Milwaukee, WI. Opportunities for Partnering in Rehabilitation and imaging. Member of expert panel on Imaging and Rehabilitation. November, 2004.
- Lance Armstrong Foundation, Austin TX, Invited Speaker. "Muscle Fatigue in Cancer Survivors" November, 2004
- **American Society of Exercise Physiologists,** Indiannapolis, IN Invited Speaker. "Basis of Muscle Fatigue in Multiple Sclerosis" April 2004
- **Marquette University**, Milwaukee WI, Integrated Neuroscience Research Center seminar series. *Fatigue in Multiple Sclerosis-Is it all in the head?* October, 2002.
- **Marquette University**, Milwaukee WI, Bioengineering Department, Brotz Seminar Series on Biomedical Engineering *Fatigue in Multiple Sclerosis- Getting to the Heart of the Matter*. Oct. 12, 2001.
- National Multiple Sclerosis Society Wisconsin Chapter, Milwaukee, WI, Cardiovascular Health and Fitness in Multiple Sclerosis Annual MS Family Day at the Zoo, National MS Society, Wisconsin MS Chapter. Sept. 2001
- **Multiple Sclerosis Support Group**, West Allis, WI, Fatigue in Persons with MS: a Research Update. March. 2001.
- National Multiple Sclerosis Society Wisconsin Chapter, Milwaukee, WI, Exercise and Fatigue in Persons with MS: Current Research and "Ask the Doctor" Annual MS Family Day at the Zoo, National MS Society, Wisconsin MS Chapter. Sept. 2000
- American College of Sports Medicine National Annual Meeting, St. Louis, MO, Tutorial Lecture. "Central and Peripheral Factors Affecting Exercise in Neurologic Diseases: Lessons from Multiple Sclerosis." June, 2000.
- Marquette University, Milwaukee, WI, Program in Exercise Science. Seminar. Cardiovascular and Metabolic Regulation in Multiple Sclerosis: an Integrated Approach. April, 2000.
- University of Utah, Salt Lake City, UT, Department of Exercise and Sport Science. Seminar. EMG Analysis of Fatigue and Low Back Pain; Blunted Pressor Response in Multiple Sclerosis. March, 2000.
- San Francisco State University, San Francisco, CA, Kinesiology Department Colloquium. November, 1999.
- University of Arizona, Tucson, AZ. "Doings in Motor Control" seminar series.
 - "Blunted Pressor and Intramuscular Metabolic Responses to Exercise in Multiple Sclerosis: Altered Cardiovascular Regulation or Altered Muscle Function?" Sept. 1999.
- **University of California Berkeley Extension** for Biology of Aging course. "Aging and skeletal muscle function". Spring, 1995.
- **Arizona Exercise Science Symposium**, Tucson, AZ. "Influence of isometric intensity on the recovery of maximal voluntary contraction." April, 1991.
- University Hospital Sports Medicine and Fitness Center. Madison, WI
 - "Training for Recreational Cross-Country Skiers", 1988.
 - "A Physiological Profile of Citizen Cross-Country Ski Racers", 1987.
 - "Conditioning for Cross-Country Skiing", 1985.
- **Wisconsin Special Olympics**. Winter sports medicine for the Special Olympics Nordic Ski Training School, 1986.
- League of American Wheelmen, National Rally, Madison, WI. "Training Year-Round", 1985.
- WHA Radio, Madison, WI. Winter exercise public radio call in program. 1984, 1985.

University Hospital and Clinics, Clinical Laboratories Education and Development, Madison, WI "Glycogen Utilization and Exercise". 1983.

RESEARCH GRANTS

Funded:

Integrative Neuroscience Research Center (Schmit B.D., PI,). 2001. Autonomic reflexes triggered by group III/IV muscle afferents in spinal cord injury. Direct costs: \$1200, Graduate Student Support, \$10,000. Ng A. V., Co-Principal Investigator

National Multiple Sclerosis Society Research Grant (*Ng A.V.*, PI). Autonomic function and fatigue in multiple sclerosis. Period: 10/1/00-9/30/04. Direct Costs: \$409,543. *Ng A.V.*, *Principal Investigator*, 50% effort..

Lance Armstrong Foundation Research Grant (Ng A.V., PI, 15% effort). *Mechanisms of Muscle Fatigue in Cancer*. Period: 1/1/04-12/31/06. Direct Costs: \$150,000. A. V. Ng, Principal Investigator, 15% effort

National Institute on Aging, RO3 (S. Hunter, PI) Task Dependence of Muscle Fatigue in Older Adults. 7/1/04-6/30/06. Direct Costs: \$100,000. Ng A.V., Co-Principal Investigator, 5% effort

National Science Foundation, Research Experience for Undergraduates (Rapella K., PI) *Imaging, Modeling and Rehabilitation of Neurosystems*. 2005-2008. Direct cost: \$275,000 *Ng A.V., Participating faculty mentor* (Research Director for undergrad research assistant)

Sigma-Tao Pharmaceuticals (Ng A.V., PI). *Characterization of fatigue in persons with HIV infection*. 7/1/05-12/31/06. Direct Costs: \$26,000. Ng A.V., Principal Investigator

National Multiple Sclerosis Society Pilot Project Grant (Morrison E., MD, UC Irvine, PI). Ratings of Perceived Exertion During Aerobic Exercise in Multiple Sclerosis. 11/1/05-10/31/06.Direct Costs: \$40,000. Ng A.V., Co-investigator

Dr Judith Stitt Women's Faculty Scholar Wisconsin Women's Health Foundation (Johnson, M PI). *Gender differences in the role of robotic rehabilitation therapy after stroke*. Period: 10/2006-09/2008. Direct Costs: \$50,000. Ng A.V., Co-Investigator 5% effort.

Department of Engineering: Dean's pilot research program for Cluster grants. (Schmit, B., PI) *The Neurosystems Innovations Cluster: A Pilot Project.* Control of movement in persons with multiple sclerosis. Period 3/1/07 – 2/28/08. Direct Costs: \$40,000 requested. *Ng*, *A.V.* Co-I.

National Multiple Sclerosis Society. (Ng, A.V., PI) *Bone Mineral Density in MS: Endogenous and Exogenous Factors.* Period 4/1/08-3/31/09. Direct Costs: \$40,000 requested. *Ng, A.V., Principal Investigator*

The Heuga Center. Effect of a Wellness Program on Self-Reported Health, Self Efficacy, and Physical Activity in Persons with MS. Period 1/1/2009 – 12/31/2009. Direct Costs: \$9,260.00. Ng, A.V. Principal Investigator

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES AND SERVICE

Memberships in Professional Societies

American Physiological Society Member (since 1991)
American College of Sports Medicine Member (since 1982) Fellow (FACSM).

Member of Chronic Disease and Disabilities, and Aging interest groups. Member of the **Northland Regional Chapter ACSM**. **Society for Neuroscience** Member (since 2003)

Other Professional Organizations/Activities/Service

Can Do MS (formerly "The Heuga Center") since 1994. A non-profit educational and research program for persons with multiple sclerosis. Several times a year I work as a clinical exercise physiologist in an interdisciplinary health care setting with MDs, PTs, OTs, RDs, etc. to promote wellness in persons with MS. Also a research consultant.

Fellow of the American College of Sports Medicine Conferred 2000. Abstract reviewer, Continuing Education program reviewer.

Editorial Services

Manuscript reviewer for:

Journal of Applied Physiology Muscle and Nerve Medicine Science Sports and Exercise Journal of Gerontology Sports Medicine Chest	(3/yr) (3-4/yr) (1-2/yr)	1994-present 1995-present 1993-present 1995-2000 2001 1997
Neurology	(1/yr)	2004-present
International J. Sports Med. J. Rehab. Res. Dev.	(1/yr) (1/yr)	2004-present 2005-present
Clin. Neurophysiology	(2/yr)	2006-present
Multiple Sclerosis International J. Sports Nutr. Exer. Metab.	(1/yr) (1/yr)	2006-present 2006-present
Archives of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation	(2-3/yr)	2007-present
Experimental Aging Research	(1)	2007
Acta Neurol. Scan. Disability and Health J.	(1) (1)	2009 2009

Book Chapter review for:

Clinical exercise physiology: Application and physiological principles by LeMura L. and van Duvillard S., Lippincott, Williams & Wilkins 2001.

Grant Reviewer Activities

National Multiple Sclerosis Society	Invited (ad hoc) pilot and regular grant reviewer (1-2/year)	
		2001- present
Fondazione Italiana Sclerosi Multipla	Invited (ad hoc) grant reviewer (1/yr),	2005,2009

External Reviewer For Promotion and Tenure

University of Massachusetts, Amherst (1 candidate, exer. science)	2001
University of Utah, Salt Lake City (1 candidate, exer. science)	2003
Marquette University, Milwaukee (1 candidate, biomedeng.)	2004

Dissertation and Theses Committees

Dissertation committee member for Kevin Garrison (Biomedical Engineering, Marquette). "Autonomic reflexes triggered by group III/IV muscle afferents in spinal cord injury. Completed Fall 2005.

Dissertation committee member for Christine M. Sauer (Education, Marquette). "The effects of a visual cue of physical disability on the development of peer relationships". Completed Summer 2005.

Dissertation committee member and <u>primary research mentor/director</u> for Carlyn Alt, PT (Interdisciplinary, Marquette). "*Mechanisms of muscle fatigue in cancer survivors*". Completed May 2006.

Dissertation committee member for Manda Keller(Interdisciplinary, Marquette) "The Impact of Stress on the Neuromuscular Mechanisms of Muscle Fatigue in Young and Old Men and Women". Accepted April 2006.

Dissertation committee member for Marnie Vanden Noven (Interdisciplinary, Marquette) "Aging and Neuromuscular Mechanisms of Muscle Fatigue". Accepted Dec 2006.

Dissertation committee member for Matthew Chua (Biomedical Engineering)" Balance and Coordination in personse with Multiple Sclerosis. 2009-

Dissertation director (proposed) for Sherri Bunyan (Interdisciplinary, Marquette) Mechanisms of Strength Gain in Persons with MS. in progress.

COMMITTEES AND UNIVERSITY SERVICE

University/College Services

Academic Senate (restructured), College representative, 2007-2010

Committee on Faculty (COF), College representative, term 2003-2006, 2006-2007, 2009-

Research Focus Groups, for ORSP and Taskforce on Research 2005

Health Sciences Scholarship Competition, Speaker 2001,2002

<u>Integrative Neuroscience Research Center,</u> Executive Governing Board member 2001-present

<u>Manressa Common Reading Program,</u> Faculty discussion leader, Fall 2003, Summer 2006,2008, 2009

Established an all University Employees choir. 2009

Program/Departmental Services

Academic Standards Committee, Department of Physical Therapy 2000 - present

Freshman PREVIEW, volunteer 2002, 2003,2005

Search Committee, Tenured, Non-tenured Faculty, Dept. of Physical Therapy, 2003-2004, 2006

Search Committee, Clinical Faculty, Program in Exercise Science 2001

Search Committee, Biomechanist Faculty, Exercise Science 2001

Search Committee, Exercise Physiologist Faculty, Exercise Science 2001-2002

COMMUNITY SERVICE

Wisconsin Winter Special Olympics volunteer (1986) Henry Vilas Zoo, Madison, WI volunteer (1989)

Marin Museum of the American Indian volunteer, invited lecturer (1998-2000)

Novato, CA

Wauwatosa School System volunteer, "Art for Youth" (2003-2004)

Speaker "What is an Exercise

Physiologist?" Fifth grade career lunch. volunteer "guest curator" (2004) for Navajo

weaving exhibit

Villa Terrace Art Museum (Milwaukee)

Ruffing Middle School (Cleveland, OH)Hosted an 8th grade student for a Spring career intership/mentorship in Ex Sci/PT.

May 8-10, 2007.

National Multiple Sclerosis Society Wisconsin Chapter volunteer, guest

speaker at support group meetings (2001and 2005, 2009) invited lecturer (2000 to 2002, 2005), Keynote Speaker – Walk MS, 2009. Nominated for "Volunteer

of the Year", 2009.

Can Do MS (formerly, "The Heuga Center") 1993-present. See prof. org. above.

AWARDS

Non-resident scholarship, University of WI-Madison, 1982,1983 National Research Service Award (NIH, AG05518-03), 1990-1993