## Joseph A. Di COmo, MD

## **Ironwood Cancer and Research Centers**

# **Division of Breast Surgery**

### **Education:**

City of Hope National Medical Center	Duarte, CA
Breast Surgical Oncology Fellow	August 2019 – Present
Conemaugh Memorial Medical Center	Brooklyn, NY
General Surgery Resident	July 2014 – June 2018
Saint George University School of Medicine	Honolulu, HI
Doctor of Medicine	August 2009 – April 2014
Drew University	Ithaca, NY
Bachelor of Arts in Biology and Anthropology	August 2005 – June 2005

## **Professional Experience:**

October 2020 – Present	Breast Surgeon, Ironwood Cancer & Research Centers,
	Mesa, AZ

#### **Activities and Honors:**

#### Certifications:

American Board of Surgery (Board eligible until June 30,2023, sitting for written and oral boards in Summer/Fall 2020)

Rhode Island License Registration

# **Professional Memberships:**

American College of Surgeons	2014 – Present
American Society of Breast Surgeons	2018 – Present
Society of Surgical Oncology	2014 – Present

#### **Publications:**

### Peer Reviewed Journal Articles/Abstracts:

Di Como J.A., Fritz A, Crotty M, Hussain A, Lotton EH. Adenosquamous Carcinoma of the Pancreas: A Review of a Rare Neoplasm. Cancer Treatment Biomarkers and Prevention Open Access Open Journal. 2019; I(1): 4-6.

Di Como, J.A., Squamous Cell Carcinoma of the Pancreas: A Review of the Literature. Journal of the Pancreas. 2019, Jan 30; 20(1):01-03.

Di Como, J.A., Lee, C.W., Weber, S.M. Adrenocortical Carcinoma: A Review of Surgical Treatment. Journal of Cancer Treatment and Diagnosis. 2018, Nov; 2(6), 7–9.

Di Como, J.A., Mahendraraj, K., Chamberlain R.S. Adenosquamous Carcinoma of the Colon and Rectum: A Population Based Clinical Outcomes Studies involving 578 Patients from the Surveillance Epidemiology and End Result (SEER) Database (1973-2010). Journal of the American College of Surgeons. 2015, Oct; 221(4): 56.

Mahendraraj, K., Di Como, J.A., Chamberlain R.S. Adenosquamous Carcinoma of the Pancreas: A Population Based Clinical Outcomes Studies Involving 700 Patients from the Surveillance, Epidemiology, and End Results (SEER) database (1973-2010). Journal of the American College of Surgeons. 2014, Oct; 219(4): 109.

Di Como, J.A., Asgarian, K.T., Connolly, M.W. A Novel Technique for Clipping The Left Atrial Appendage using a Right Mini-Anterolateral Thoracotomy during Surgical Correction of Mitral Valve Regurgitation. Innovations: Technology and Techniques in Cardiothoracic and Vascular Surgery. 2014, May; 9(3): 234.

Mahendraraj, K., Di Como, J.A., Chamberlain RS. Clinical and Demographic Factors Influencing Survival in Patients with Inflammatory Breast Cancer Involving 7,823 Patients from the Surveillance Epidemiology and End Result (SEER) Database (1973-2010). Annals of Surgical Oncology. 2014, Feb; 21(1): 74.

Mahendraraj, K., Di Como, J.A., Chamberlain, R.S. Squamous Cell Carcinoma of the Pancreas: A Population Based Clinical Outcomes Studies involving 357 Patients from the Surveillance Epidemiology and End Result (SEER) Database (1973-2010). Annals of Surgical Oncology. 2014, Feb; 21(1): 102.

## **Podium Presentations**

Di Como, J.A., Endler, G., Lalka, S., Endovascular Repair of Aortobronchial Fistula Three Decades After Open Repair of Traumatic Aortic Transection. Society For Clinical Vascular Surgery 48th Annual Symposium; Boca Raton, Florida (March 2019).

Di Como, J.A., Urias, D.S., Curfman, K., Marley, M., Carney, W., Duke, D., Dumire, R.D., Morrissey, S. Efficacy of Povidone-Iodine & Staphylococcus Colonization Rates in Abdominal Wall

Herniorrhaphy with Mesh. Oral presentation at the Conemaugh Regional Research Symposium;

Johnstown, PA (April 2018).

Urias, D.S., Di Como, J.A., Marley, M., Tersine, T., Fritz, W., Dumire, R.D. Resident Implementation of an Enhanced Recovery Pathway for Colorectal Surgery in a Rural Community.

QuickShot Presentation at the 13th Annual Academic Surgical Congress; Jacksonville, Florida

(January 2018).

Urias, D.S., Di Como, J.A., Curfman, K., Marley, M., Carney, W., Duke, D., Dumire, R.D., Morrissey, S. Staphylococcus aureus Nares Colonization Rates and Decolonization Efficacy of Povidone-Iodine. QuickShot Presentation at the 13th Annual Academic Surgical Congress; Jacksonville, Florida (January 2018).

# **Poster Presentations**

Di Como, J.A., Shayesteh, K. Sebaceous Cell Carcinoma of the Chest: A Case Report and Review of the Literature. European Society of Thoracic Surgeons, Dublin, Ireland, June 2019.

Di Como, J.A., Shayesteh, K. Cardiac Bullet Embolus: A Case Report and Review of the Literature. European Society of Thoracic Surgeons, Dublin, Ireland, June 2019.

Di Como, J.A., Walkowski, B., Meade, P. Metastatic and Locally Invasive Gastrointestinal Stromal Tumor Involving the Sigmoid Colon and Bladder: A Case Report and Review of the Literature. Chicago Colorectal Symposium, Chicago Illinois, March 2019. Di Como, J.A., Meade, P., Rectal Adenocarcinoma Presenting as Fournier's Gangrene. Chicago Colorectal Symposium , Chicago Illinois, March 2019.

Di Como, J.A., Villaneuva, H. (April 2018). Compartment Syndrome of the Foot as a Sequelae of Open Reduction and Internal Fixation of a Bimalleolar Ankle Fracture. Poster presentation at the Conemaugh Regional Research Symposium; Johnstown, PA, USA, April 2018.

Di Como, J.A., Mahendraraj, K., Chamberlain R.S.. Adenosquamous Carcinoma of the Colon and Rectum: A Population Based Clinical Outcomes Studies involving 578 Patients from the Surveillance Epidemiologyand End Result (SEER) Database (1973-2010). Poster presented at: Presentation at the American College of Surgeons Clinical Congress; Chicago, IL, USA, October 2015.

Di Como, J.A., Bregg, J., Dumire, R.D. Gastric Rupture Following Blunt Abdominal Trauma: A case report and review of the literature. Poster presented at: Keystone Trauma and Emergency Medicine Summit; Johnstown, PA, USA, May 2015.

Mahendraraj, K., Di Como, J.A., Chamberlain, R.S. Adenosquamous Carcinoma of the Pancreas: A Population Based Clinical Outcomes Studies involving 700 Patients from the Surveillance Epidemiology and End Result (SEER) Database (1973-2010). Poster presented at: American College of Surgeons Clinical Congress; San Francisco, CA, USA, October 2014.

Di Como, J.A., Asgarian, K.T., Connolly, M.W. (May, 2014). A Novel Technique for Clipping The Left Atrial Appendage using a Right Mini-Anterolateral Thoracotomy during Surgical Correction of Mitral Valve Regurgitation. Poster presented at: International Society for Minimally Invasive Cardiothoracic Surgery Annual Conference; Boston, MA, USA, May 2014.

Mahendraraj, K., Di Como, J.A., Chamberlain R.S. Clinical and Demographic Factors Influencing Survival in Patients with Inflammatory Breast Cancer Involving 7,823 Patients from the Surveillance Epidemiology and End Result (SEER) Database (1973-2010). Poster presented at: Society of Surgical Oncologists Clinical Conference; Pheonix, AZ, USA, March 2014.

Di Como, J.A., Mahendraraj, K., Chamberlain, R.S. Squamous Cell Carcinoma of the Pancreas: A Population Based Clinical Outcomes Studies involving 357 Patients from the Surveillance Epidemiology and End Result (SEER) Database (1973-2010). Poster presented at: Society of Surgical Oncologists Clinical Conference; Pheonix, AZ, USA, March 2014. Di Como, J.A., Rhodes, E.C., Parikh, S.P., Bhattacharyya, N. Autoimmune Hemolytic Anemia due to a Renal Carcinoma Paraneoplastic Syndrome. Poster presented at: Northeast Osteopathic Medical Education Network Annual Research and Scholarship Forum; Biddeford, ME, USA, May 2013.

# **Research Trials:**

Sub investigator in Ironwood Cancer and Research Centers trials, please refer to website for details.