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Jeffrey W. Kolff, MD, became a Doctor of Medicine in 1999 at Case Western Reserve School of Medicine in 1999. He completed his residency, in General Surgery, at the Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania in 2005. Dr. Kolff is a board-certified general surgeon with several years of experience in private practice, and a strong background in clinical research.

While a general surgery resident at Pennsylvania Hospital, Dr. Kolff received the Ronald Savarese Award for Excellence in Surgical Research for three consecutive years (2002-04), as well as the Excellence in Scientific Research Award at the Thomas Bond Symposia for 2003 and 2004. He was awarded the Chairman's Award of the Department of Surgery (AMH) for his "Dedicated Service" to the Department of Surgery in 2011

Dr. Kolff has been the author/co-author of several studies published in peer-reviewed journals including the *Annals of Surgery*, *Annals of Thoracic and Cardiovascular Surgery*, the *Annals of Thoracic Surgery*, and the *American Surgeon*. He also contributed a chapter on symptomatic splenomegaly to the textbook *Clinical Scenarios in Surgical Oncology*. He is a Fellow of the American College of Surgeons. He is a Member of the American Medical Association, the Society of American Gastrointestinal Endoscopic Surgeons, and the Metropolitan Philadelphia Chapter of the American College of Surgeons Executive Committee. Past President (2017) and Governor at Large (2017-2020).

Dr. Kolff's areas of special surgical interest include:

- Advanced laparoscopy
- Trauma

Background

Allegheny College
Meadeville, PA
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University of Utah School of Medicine
Salt Lake City, Utah
(Research Assistant, Division of Artificial Organs, 1988)

Temple University School of Medicine
Philadelphia, PA
(Research Assistant, Department of Physiology, 1990)

Rijksuniversiteit Groningen
Groningen, Netherlands
(Research Assistant, Department of Biomedical Technology 1992)

Villanova University
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(MA, 1992 - 1994)

Texas Heart Institute, St. Luke's Hospital
Cullen Cardiovascular Research Laboratories
Houston, TX
(Research Fellow, 1994 - 1995)

Case Western Reserve School of Medicine
Cleveland OH
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Pennsylvania Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania
Philadelphia, PA
(Residency, General Surgery, 1999 - 2005)
(Postdoctoral Research, Department of Cardiothoracic Surgery, 2002 - 2003)

Drexel University College of Medicine
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