

## CV - Vlad Mihai Matei, M.D.

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### EMPLOYMENT

2/2023-Present Associate Vitreoretinal Surgeon  
Colorado Retina Associates, Denver, CO  
8/2020-1/2023 Associate Vitreoretinal Surgeon  
Rocky Mountain Retina Associates, Boulder, CO  
8/2019-3/2020 Associate Vitreoretinal Surgeon  
Denver Retina Center, P.C., Denver, CO

### POSTGRADUATE TRAINING

7/2017-7/2019 Fellowship, Vitreoretinal Diseases and Surgery  
UT Southwestern Medical Center, Dallas, TX  
7/2014-6/2017 Residency, Ophthalmology  
UT Southwestern Medical Center, Dallas, TX  
7/2012-6/2014 Residency, Internal Medicine  
UT Southwestern Medical Center, Dallas, TX  
7/2011-6/2012 Internship, Internal Medicine  
UT Southwestern Medical Center, Dallas, TX

### EDUCATION

8/2007-6/2011 Doctor of Medicine  
University of Texas (UT) Southwestern Medical School, Dallas, TX  
8/2003-5/2007 Bachelor of Arts, *Magna Cum Laude*  
Double-Major: English and Biochemistry & Cell Biology  
Rice University, Houston, TX

### BOARD CERTIFICATION

10/2018 Ophthalmology, American Board of Ophthalmology  
8/2014 Internal Medicine, American Board of Internal Medicine

### MEDICAL LICENSURE

4/2020 Interstate Medical Licensure Compact (Active)  
3/2019 Physician License, Colorado (Active)  
3/2017 Physician License, Texas (Active)

### PROFESSIONAL SOCIETY MEMBERSHIPS

American Academy of Ophthalmology  
American Society of Retina Specialists  
Vit-Buckle Society  
American Retina Forum

## HONORS & AWARDS

2019	Fellows' Foray Travel Grant Recipient, 7 <sup>th</sup> Annual Vit-Buckle Society Meeting
2017	Resident representative, American Academy of Ophthalmology Annual Meeting Secretariat
2015	CIA Nominee of the Month, VA North Texas Health Care System, Department of Veterans Affairs
2008	Southwestern Medical Foundation Scholarship for Academic Achievement
2007	Phi Beta Kappa Society
2005	Will Rice Fellow, Will Rice College, Rice University
2003-2007	President's Honor Roll, Rice University

## COMMITTEE, SERVICE, AND TEACHING EXPERIENCE

2019-Present	Writer, Journal Club Committee, Vit-Buckle Society
2018-2019	Fellow lab instructor, CSE Resident Program and Wet Lab, Alcon Laboratories, Fort Worth, TX
2017-2019	Assistant Instructor, Department of Ophthalmology, UT Southwestern Medical Center
2010-2011	MS4 Colleges Mentor, Estabrook College, UT Southwestern Medical School
2007	Tutor, C2 Educational Center—Copperfield, Houston TX
2004-2006	Writing mentor, Cain Project, Rice University

## CONSULTANCIES AND ADVISORY BOARDS

2022-Present	Vitazi.AI (Consultant)
2022-Present	Andwise (Advisory Board)
2022-Present	MDisrupt (Consultant)
2021	Zeiss (Consultant)
2021	Alcon Vit-Buckle Society 2021 Virtual Discussion (Advisory Board)
2020	Allergan DME Treatment Algorithm Forum (Advisory Board)
2020	Alimera Sciences/American Retina Forum Advisory Board

## PUBLICATIONS

1. Matei VM, Subramanian P. Early foveal involvement in acute zonal occult outer retinopathy. (Submitted for publication to *Journal of VitreoRetinal Diseases*.)
2. Matei VM, Lalwani G. What's coming in therapies for diabetic retinopathy. *Retina Specialist* 2022;8(3):32-35.
3. Weng CY, Matei V, Williams BK. Tips for handling patient distrust. *Retina Today* 2022;17(2):42-44.
4. Matei VM, He Y-G. Retinal hemorrhages during examination for retinopathy of prematurity: a form of ocular decompression retinopathy. *J Vitreoretin Dis* 2020. <https://doi.org/10.1177/2474126420936481>.
5. Matei VM. Inherited retinal disease (IRD) – Best disease. *ASRS Retina Atlas*. <https://atlas.asrs.org/article/inherited-retinal-disease-ird-best-disease-102>. Published July 2020.

6. Matei VM. Retinal folds. *ASRS Retina Atlas*. <https://atlas.asrs.org/article/retinal-folds-103>. Published July 2020.
7. Matei VM, He Y-G. Posterior retinoschisis following massive subretinal hemorrhage. *Ophthalmol Retina* 2019;3(12):1025.
8. Matei VM, Xia JY, Nguyen C. Poor outcomes despite aspirin or statin use in high-risk patients with retinal vein occlusion. *Graefes Arch Clin Exp Ophthalmol* 2017;255(4):761-6.
9. Parekh J, Matei VM, Canas-Coto A, Friedman D, Lee WM and the Acute Liver Failure Study Group. Budd-Chiari syndrome causing acute liver failure: A multi-center case series. *Liver Transpl* 2017;23(2):135-142.
10. Matei VM. Asteroid hyalosis. In: Goldsmith LA, ed. *VisualDx*. Rochester, NY: VisualDx; 2016.
11. Matei VM, Cao JH, Foster CS. Bilateral hypopyons as a presenting symptom of intraocular mantle cell lymphoma. *JAMA Ophthalmol* 2016;134(12):1439-1440.
12. Matei V, Bhushan S. Chest-wall metastasis of prostate cancer. *J Gen Intern Med* 2015;30(12):1888.
13. Mathews M,\* Bolesta MJ. Treatment of spinal fractures in ankylosing spondylitis. *Orthopedics* 2013;36:e1203-8.
14. Ernster JA, Sciotto CG, O'Brien MM, Finch JL, Robinson LJ, Wilson T, Mathews M.\* Rising incidence of oropharyngeal cancer and the role of oncogenic human papilloma virus. *Laryngoscope* 2007;117:2115-2128.

## POSTERS AND PRESENTATIONS

1. Matei VM. Splitting layers: understanding retinal OCT. Continuing education lecture: Insight Vision Group 19<sup>th</sup> Annual Vision Congress; 2022 November 13; Boulder, CO.
2. Matei VM, Lee K. Smaller pupils, broader perspectives: miotics and the retina. Continuing education virtual lecture: 2022 April 14; Denver, CO.
3. Matei VM. Silent subretinal fluid. Case presented at: Third Coast Retina Club Annual Meeting; 2022 April 9; Austin, TX.
4. Matei VM. Retina grand rounds: dots, spots & lines. Continuing education virtual lecture: 2022 April 7; Denver, CO.
5. Matei VM, Majcher C. Know when to fold 'em or hold 'em: retinal co-management pearls. Continuing education virtual lecture at Salus University Dynamic Duos 2022: 2022 March 20.
6. Matei VM, Lalwani G. Understanding floaters. Virtual lecture for Boulder Community Health system: 2022 March 7.
7. Matei VM, Lalwani G. Retina grand rounds: dreaming of a white retina. Continuing education virtual lecture: 2021 December 15; Denver, CO.
8. Matei VM, Majcher C. Retinal findings: when to refer & when to manage with OCT-A. Virtual lecture at Zeiss Eyes on 2022 Symposium: 2021 December 3.
9. Matei VM, Lalwani G. Retina grand rounds: practical learning from our patients. Continuing education virtual lecture: 2021 September 9; Denver, CO.
10. Matei VM, Majcher C. Retinal findings: when to refer & when to manage with OCT-A. Virtual lecture at Zeiss Ophthalmic Medical Education Summit 2021: 2021 September 1.
11. Data in the wake of COVID-19. Guest on podcast: New Retina Radio Journal Club; 2021 August 12.
12. Autologous retina transplant for macular holes. Guest on podcast: New Retina Radio Journal Club; 2021 June 25.
13. Matei VM, Lalwani G. Mad about myopia, glad it's not glaucoma: clinical aspects of pathologic myopia. Continuing education virtual lecture: 2021 June 3; Denver, CO.

14. Matei VM, Lalwani G, Gupta I. Vessels less traveled: non-diabetic retinal vascular diseases. Continuing education virtual lecture: 2021 February 16; Denver CO.
15. Matei VM, Lalwani G, Gupta I. Close encounters of the surgical kind. Continuing education virtual lecture: 2020 October 20; Denver, CO.
16. Matei VM. Cystoid macular zebras. Lecture at: American Retina Forum 2020 Annual Meeting; 2020 August 14; virtual meeting.
17. Matei VM. Retinal hemorrhages during pars plana vitrectomy. Lecture at: American Retina Forum 2020 Annual Meeting; 2020 August 14; virtual meeting.
18. Matei VM. Unexpected intraoperative retinal vein occlusion. Video presented at: Vit-Buckle Society 2019 Annual Meeting; 2019 April 6; Las Vegas, NV.
19. He Y-G, Matei VM. Posterior segment manifestations of hematologic diseases. Lecture presented at: 2018 Ophthalmology Review for the Primary Care Physician; 2018 August 26; Dallas, TX.
20. Matei VM, GoldenMerry YP, He Y-G. Variability of 10-2 automated perimetry results in screening for hydroxychloroquine retinopathy. Poster presented at: The Association for Research in Vision and Ophthalmology 2018 Annual Meeting; 2018 May 2; Honolulu, HI.
21. Matei VM, Bourneuf M, He Y-G. The progression of hydroxychloroquine retinopathy after cessation of therapy. Paper presented at: The UT Southwestern Department of Ophthalmology 36<sup>th</sup> Annual Resident & Alumni Day; 2016 June 11; Dallas, TX.
22. Matei VM, Winslow R. Cancer-associated retinopathy related to lymphoma: a diagnostic challenge. Case presented at: Third Coast Retina Club 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting; 2016 April 23; Dallas, TX.
23. Matei VM, Xia JY, Nguyen C. The role of aspirin and statins in retinal vein occlusions. Poster presented at: The Association for Research in Vision and Ophthalmology 2016 Annual Meeting; 2016 May 2; Seattle, WA.
24. Matei VM, Xia JY, Nguyen C. The role of statins in the outcomes of retinal vein occlusions. Poster presented at: The UT Southwestern Department of Ophthalmology 35<sup>th</sup> Annual Resident & Alumni Day; 2015 June 20; Dallas, TX.
25. Alloju S, Mathews M, Bowman RW. Comparison of visual outcomes in the treatment of astigmatism during cataract surgery: toric intraocular lens vs. peripheral corneal relaxing incisions. Paper presented at: The UT Southwestern Department of Ophthalmology 32<sup>nd</sup> Annual Resident & Alumni Day; 2012 June 16; Dallas, TX.

\*Prior to 2014, my name was officially “Michael Mathews.”