

MAX SIURALA AWARD

Tampere, 9.2.2012

Professor Risto Rintala, Helsinki



CURRICULUM VITAE

NAME: Risto Juhana Rintala
DATE OF BIRTH: 6 May, 1950, Helsinki
PLACE OF BIRTH: Helsinki, Finland

CURRENT POSITION

Professor of Paediatric Surgery, University of Helsinki
Chief, General Paediatric Surgery, Department of Paediatric Surgery, Children's Hospital, University of Helsinki

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

Licentiate in Medicine, University of Helsinki	1975
Specialist in general surgery	1984
Specialist in paediatric surgery	1985
Doctor of Medical Science (Ph.D.), University of Helsinki	1991

PREVIOUS PROFESSIONAL APPOINTMENTS

Non-academic:
Resident in general surgery 1975-1976
- Jokilaakso District Hospital
General practice 1976-1977
- Vantaa Health Centre
Resident in general surgery 1977-81

- Jorvi Hospital, Espoo
- Helsinki University Central Hospital
- Senior registrar in paediatric surgery 1981-1985
- Children's Hospital, University of Helsinki
- Consultant Paediatric Surgeon 1986-
- Children's Hospital, University of Helsinki
- Honorary Consultant in Paediatric Surgery 1995-96
- Alder Hey Children's Hospital, Liverpool, UK

Academic:

- Associate Professor in Paediatric Surgery 1993-
- University of Helsinki
- Senior Lecturer in Paediatric Surgery 1995-96
- Institute of Child Health, Alder Hey Children's Hospital, Liverpool, UK

EDITORIAL BOARD MEMBERSHIPS

- Pediatric Surgery International 1996-
 - Member of the executive editorial board
- Journal of Pediatric Surgery 1997-
- Scandinavian Journal of Surgery

MEMBERSHIPS IN SCIENTIFIC SOCIETIES

- Finnish Medical Association Duodecim
- Finnish Surgical Society
- Finnish Association of Paediatric Surgeons
- Finnish Gastroenterological Society
 - Member of the executive board
- Scandinavian Association of Paediatric Surgeons
- British Association of Paediatric Surgeons
- Society for Gastrointestinal Motility in Children
- Pediatric Surgical Colorectal Club

OTHER ACADEMIC AND PROFESSIONAL MERITS AND ACTIVITIES

- British Association of Paediatric Surgeons
 - Overseas Council Member (1998 - 2002)
- International scientific board memberships
 - Member of the scientific office of EUPSA (-2010)
 - Member of EUPSA Network office (2011-)
 - Society for Gastrointestinal Motility in Children (GIMIC) (1991-1994)
 - International Board of Paediatric Surgical Research (1993-)
 - Scientific Board of European Paediatric Surgical Congress (1995 - 2010)
 - Scientific Board of Paediatric Colorectal Annual Symposium (1995-
 - Scientific Board of International Symposium on Paediatric Surgical Research (1994-)
 - Scientific Board of Annual International Congress of British Association of Paediatric Surgeons (2000, 2002, 2003, 2004)
 - Board member, Finnish Surgical Society

Main Congress organizer

- International Symposium on Paediatric Surgical Research, Helsinki, 1999
- International Paediatric Colorectal Club, Helsinki 2006

AWARDS

Peter Paul Rickham lecturer 1998, Liverpool

David Vervat lecturer 2004, Rotterdam

Duhamel lecturer 2011, EUPSA, Barcelona

Max Siurala lecturer 2012, Finnish Gastroenterological Society

Honorary Member of Hungarian Paediatric Surgical Society, 2005

Red Cross Award 2011, State of Estonia

Supervisor for doctoral (PhD) dissertation candidates (Helsinki)

Kari Vanamo

Marja Heikkinen

Annaleena Anttila

Marja-Liisa Kokkonen

Mikko Kannisto

Timo Örmälä

Pertti Suominen

Saara Sistonen

Juhoantti Anttila

Satu-Liisa Pauniahho

Kristiina Järvi

Valtteri Virtanen

Jukka Heikkilä

Topi Luoto

Maija Piekkala

Annika Kurvinen

Malla Neuvonen

Supervisor of MD thesis (Liverpool)

Fiona McAndrew

Simon Kenny

External examiner for MD thesis

P.D. Losty, University of Dublin, Ireland: 1996

Ph.D. thesis opponent

J. Lauronen, University of Helsinki: 2001

M Kaleva, University of Turku 2004

A Faugli. University of Oslo 2009

External consultant for the competence of paediatric surgical professorship

University of Gothenburg: 2001

University of Oslo: 2001

University of Liverpool: 2004

Referee for International Journals

Journal of Pediatric Surgery
Pediatric Surgery International
Annales Chirurgiae et Gynaecologiae
British Journal of Surgery
Pediatric Research
Duodecim
Annals of Medicine
Scandinavian Journal of Surgery
Journal of Pediatric Gastroenterology and Nutrition
Lancet
Pediatrics
Journal of Pediatrics
Acta Paediatrica

Regular visiting professorships (clinical and operative consultations, and teaching)

Odense University Hospital, Odense, Denmark (2/year)
Academic Hospital, Uppsala, Sweden (3/year)
Princess Silvia Children's Hospital, Gothenburg, Sweden (1/year)
Alder Hey Children's Hospital, Liverpool, England (1 week/year)
Department of Paediatric Surgery, Oulu University Hospital (4-5/year)
Department of Paediatric Surgery, Tampere University Hospital (2/year)
Department of Paediatric Surgery, Kuopio University Hospital (2/year)
Department of Paediatric Surgery, Turku University Hospital (2/year)
Department of Paediatric Surgery, Tallinn Lastehaigla, Estonia (2/year)
Tartu University Hospital, Estonia (2/year)

195 Peer reviewed original publications

52 national and international text book chapters

> 300 Congress abstracts and invited lectures