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SUBIR NAG, M.D., F.A.C.R., F.A.C.R.O.

Dr. Subir Nag, MD, FACR, FACRO, did his pre-medical studies at St. John's Institution in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia, graduating as the Best Student in Malaysia and the Best Athlete of the Institution in 1969. He then moved to India for his medical education at the prestigious All India Institute of Medical Sciences in New Delhi. He received his medical degree and the Gold Medal for being the Best Graduate in 1976, as well as being the Best Athlete every year. He received his residency training in Radiation Oncology from 1977 to 1980 at Montefiore Hospital in New York. From 1980 to 1981, he did a fellowship in Brachytherapy under the mentorship of Dr. Basil Hilaris at the Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center in New York. He is board certified by the American Board of Radiation Oncology. Dr. Nag has served as Chief of Radiation Oncology at the University of Tennessee at Memphis, Clinical Director of Radiation Oncology at Vanderbilt University, and as the Chief of Brachytherapy and Professor of Clinical Radiation Medicine at the Ohio State University. He has directed Brachytherapy Services for Northern California Kaiser Permanente since September 2006.



Dr. Nag is one of the world pioneers in brachytherapy and intraoperative radiation therapy. He is a past-President of the American Brachytherapy Society (1999); and, as the Chair of its Clinical Research Committee, he has been instrumental in formulating national guidelines for brachytherapy. He is the Founding Chair of the High Dose Rate Brachytherapy Working Group (HIBWOG) and the Radioembolization Brachytherapy Oncology Consortium (REBOC), and he is a Founding Member of the International Society of Intraoperative Radiation Therapy (ISIORT). A Fellow of the American College of Radiology and the American College of Radiation Oncology, he has been named in Best Doctors in America for Brachytherapy and Radiation Oncology every year since 1995. He serves as an advisor to the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC), the International Atomic Energy Agency (IAEA), International Union for Cancer Control (UICC), and as consultant to several brachytherapy companies. He has received the Teacher of the Year Award from the Association of Residents in Radiation Oncology (2004-5). Author of textbooks on brachytherapy, book chapters, more than 200 scientific articles, and the American Brachytherapy Society guidelines for brachytherapy, he has presented more than 300 abstracts and lectures in brachytherapy and intraoperative radiation therapy and has organized brachytherapy symposia and workshops worldwide. He is an editor, associate editor, or reviewer for several cancer-related journals.

Dr. Nag's practice philosophy is: "Cutting edge, state-of-the-art radiation therapy with a personalized, human touch." His medical interests include brachytherapy, gynecological, urological, and pediatric cancers. His extracurricular interests include photography, hiking, and worldwide travel with his wife and two daughters.

It is a pleasure to honor Dr. Subir Nag with the 2007 Ulrich Henschke Award. The Henschke Award is the most prestigious award presented by the ABS in recognition of contributions made to the profession.