

## Guilherme Porto, M.D.



**Start Date:** 7/1/2016

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### **Education**

Medical University of South Carolina, M.D., 2016

Honors College of Charleston, B.S., Biology, 2012

### **Clinical Interests**

Neuroendovascular Surgery, Minimally Invasive Spine Surgery, Neurosurgical Oncology, Skull Base Surgery

### **Research Interests**

Neurocritical Care, Neuroendovascular Surgery, Neuro-Oncology

### **About Guilherme Porto**

#### **Why did you choose to train at MUSC?**

During my medical school years at MUSC I became involved in clinical research in the department and was extremely well-supported by the faculty, who went above and beyond to help me succeed in a research project involving neurocritical care multimodal monitoring in the Neuroscience ICU. This experience not only further defined my interest in neurosurgery but it also made me realize the great learning atmosphere this department would provide me as a resident. When I rotated through the Neurosurgery service, the comradery and friendliness of the residents made me truly enjoy my time on service. MUSC is also one of the highest volume centers for Neuroendovascular surgery in the nation, which is currently my area of most interest, and this was also a huge factor in guiding me into choosing this program. Lastly, Charleston is a beautiful place, and between the beach, having close friends and family in the area and the weather, I knew this would be an ideal place for me to spend 7 years of residency.

#### **What do you enjoy the most about your residency program?**

I most definitely enjoy the recent fitness program that our program directors have decided to put in place inspired by the La Sierra physical training program. Also, I enjoy the variety of cases and the hands-on experience residents receive throughout their neurosurgical training at MUSC.

#### **When I'm not at work you can find me ...**

At the beach, trying to do some form of aerobic exercise at the gym and resisting the temptation to just lift weights, cooking a nice meal, and spending time with family and friends.