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Biographical Sketch

Dr. Ho Jin Kim is a clinician-scientist and professor of the Department of Neurology at the National Cancer Center and Department of Cancer Biomedical Science at the National Cancer Center Graduate School of Cancer Science & Policy.

He obtained his medical degree, as well as a master's degree and doctorate, from Seoul National University, where he also completed his residency in neurology, along with clinical fellowships in multiple sclerosis and neuromuscular disease. Dr. Kim furthered his academic pursuits as a research fellow in neuroimmunology at the University of Southern California, USA. Then he spent four years as a senior fellow and staff researcher in MS and neuroimmunology at the Montreal Neurological Institute of McGill University, Canada.

His primary research focus centers on autoimmune inflammatory diseases of the CNS, encompassing multiple sclerosis, neuromyelitis optica spectrum disorder, and MOG antibody associated disease.

Dr. Kim has authored over 250 peer-reviewed articles in esteemed academic journals including NEJM, Lancet, Nature Review Disease Primer, Science Translational Medicine, Lancet Neurology, JAMA Neurology, Annals of Neurology, Brain, and Neurology. Presently, he holds the position of president at PACTRIMS and at the Korean Society of Neuroimmunology. Additionally, he serves as a co-editor for the Multiple Sclerosis Journal and an associate editor for the Journal of Clinical Neurology.