



Luiz G. M. CASTRO

Dr. Luiz G M Castro (Giga) was born and raised in São Paulo/Brazil where he currently practices the specialty of dermatology, following his father's (Prof Raymundo Martins Castro) and grandfather's (Prof Abílio Martins Castro) steps.

- Awarded a scholarship to attend high school at Atlantic College in Wales/UK, where he passed the examination for the "International Baccalaureat".
- Graduated from the University of São Paulo at Faculty of Medicine, where he remained for residency training.
- Certified board examination of the Brazilian Society of Dermatology in 1989
- Awarded the "Perry Robins (International Society for Dermatologic Surgery) Scholarship" in 1990
- Awarded the title of "Master in Dermatology" (MSc) at Escola Paulista de Medicina, presenting a thesis on Herpes zoster's association with AIDS (1992).
- Research Fellow at University of São Paulo's Dept of Dermatology (1992-94)
- Attending Physician at the Dermatologic Surgery and Tropical Dermatoses Outpatient Services at University of São Paulo's Hospital (1994-99)
- Doctorate (PhD) presenting a thesis on "Treatment of chromomycosis with cryosurgery" (2002).
- Supervisor Physician at the Division of Dermatology, Univ. Hospital in São Paulo (1999-2008).
- ISD Board of Directors (2013-17).
- Vice-President - Int. Soc. Dermatology 2017-2021
- Chair – ISD Mentorship Committee – 2023 – present
- Editorial Board Member - International Journal of Dermatology and JAAD International
- Member of AAD International Affairs Committee

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