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Academic degrees

B.A., Chemistry, Queens College, New York, U.S.A (1964)
 M.D. Upstate Medical Center, Syracuse, New York, U.S.A. (1968)

Prizes and honors

Phi Beta Kappa, 1964
 Presidential Award for Best Scientific Presentation, Society of Gynecologic Oncology (1985)
 Recognition Award, International Academy of Pathology (1987)
 Presidential Award for the Best Paper, Society of Gynecology Oncology (1988)
 National Faculty Award for Excellence in Resident Education in Obstetrics and Gynecology, (1994)
 Alpha Omega Alpha (2004)
 The Fred W. Stewart Award of Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center (2009)
 Maude Abbott Lecturer, USCAP meeting, Vancouver (2012)

Editorial board

International Journal of Gynecological Pathology, 1982
 Seminars in Diagnostic Pathology, 1983
 Modern Pathology, 1987-2005
 Surgical Pathology, 1988
 Journal of Gynecologic Surgery, 1989
 Gynecologic Oncology, 1992
 Cancer Cytopathology, 1996
 International Journal of Surgical Pathology, 1993

Human Pathology, 1999

Advisory Board, American Journal of Obstetrics and Gynecology, 2006

Scientific and Medical Advisory Board, Ovarian Cancer National Alliance, 2009

Selected publications

Kurman RJ and Norris HJ: Evaluation of criteria for distinguishing atypical endometrial hyperplasia from well differentiated carcinoma. *Cancer* 1982; 49:2547-2559.

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Selected text books

Silverberg SG, Kurman RJ: Atlas of Tumor Pathology. Tumors of the Uterine Corpus and Gestational Trophoblastic Disease, Third Series, Fascicle 3, Armed Forces Institute of Pathology, Washington, D.C., 1992.

Kurman RJ, Norris HJ, and Wilkinson E: Atlas of Tumor Pathology. Tumors of the Cervix, Vagina and Vulva, Third Series, Fascicle 4, Armed Forces Institute of Pathology, Washington, D.C., 1992.

Kurman RJ, Solomon D: The Bethesda System for Reporting Cervical/Vaginal Cytologic Diagnoses. Definitions, Criteria, and Explanatory Notes for Terminology and Specimen Adequacy. Springer-Verlag, New York, 1994.

Kurman RJ, Ronnett BM, Sherman ME and Wilkinson E: Atlas of Tumor Pathology. Tumors of the Cervix, Vagina and Vulva, Fourth Series, Fascicle 13, Armed Forces Institute of Pathology, Washington, D.C., 2010.

Kurman RJ, L Hedrick Ellenson, BM Ronnett (eds): Blaustein's Pathology of the Female Genital Tract. 6th ed, Springer-Verlag, New York, 2011.