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Since finishing my training in 2009 I have continued to enjoy roles in leadership and education. After 7 years on the COS CPD committee, I shifted my focus to local roles in the department on Vancouver Island. This includes medical student and primary care teaching with the Island Medical Program of UBC, along with serving as Division Head and chair of our quality committees. Quality improvement has become a passion with recent projects in surgical time utilization, TASS prevention, safety checklist education, patient waitlist time reductions, and external reviews of other health authority sites.

I still carry immense gratitude for my surgical and professional mentors from my time, both as a resident and faculty, at Dalhousie. That mentorship has guided over a busy surgical practice with a focus on corneal transplant and complex cataract surgery. Family life is still my greatest priority, and I manage to just keep up with my wife and two grown boys skiing and biking at Whistler, where we spend all our free time.