

City/University	Calgary, Alberta, CANADA
Duration of the Fellowship & Funding	A two year program that includes 12 months of Endocrine Surgery and an additional 12 months rotating through the other disciplines in Surgical Oncology in order to meet the objectives of the Royal College of Canada criteria for Certification in Surgical Oncology. This two-year program allows for flexibility in meeting the candidates objectives and has dedicated time for research or pursuing advance educational degrees. Funding is provided through Resident Extender shift at the University Hospital or through the Surgical Oncology Residency Program
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Objectives of the Program	To provide advanced training in the field of endocrine surgery including parathyroid, thyroid, endocrine pancreas, adrenal and neuroendocrine tumors. This includes not only the technical surgical aspects, but the pathophysiology of these diseases, the work up, follow-up and surgical indications. This program is dedicated to meeting the AAES objectives in Endocrine Surgery. To provide an environment that fosters research in the field of Endocrine Surgery, and provide the ground work for a career in academic surgery. To provide the principles of oncological surgery and allow the candidate to provide advanced surgical oncological care in the field of Endocrine Surgery to their institution. The Candidate will be expected to attend the AAES and IAES meetings, with funding provided if they are presenting. As of 2007 the candidates will set the Royal College of Canada examination for Certification in Surgical Oncology in their final year.
Highlights of the Fellowship (including number of cases and a brief description of the overall program)	The candidate will be surgically involved in at least: 120-140 thyroidectomies/year 60 parathyroidectomies/year 15 -20 Adrenalectomies/year 15 neuroendocrine pancreas cases 10-20. Carcinoid cases. Dedicated Endocrine Surgical clinics 2/week. Dedicated Neuroendocrine multi-disciplinary clinic with an endocrinologist, nuclear radiotherapist, hepatobiliary surgery, endocrine surgeon, medical oncologist held monthly. Dedicated Hereditary Endocrine Clinic with geneticist, genetic counselor, endocrinologist and endocrine surgery held 4/year. Weekly Endocrine rounds and Surgical oncology rounds. Three to six months of research to pursue the start of a Masters degree. Flexibility to meet the needs of the applicant for their future career. THE ROCKIE MOUNTAINS 1 hour away
List of Previous Fellows from this Program	Dr. Mark Sywak – Sydney, Australia Dr. Juan Chavez- Mexico City Dr. Anthony Chambers – present fellow Dr. Thomas Ho – 2009