

Mark D. Stegall, M.D.

Professor of Surgery



Mark D. Stegall, M.D., is a consultant jointly appointed in Transplantation Surgery and the Department of Immunology at Mayo Clinic in Rochester and serves as director of the Transplant Immunology Research Laboratory. He holds the academic rank of professor of surgery, Mayo Clinic College of Medicine, and in 2015 was recognized as the James C. Masson Professor of Surgery. Dr. Stegall joined the staff of Mayo Clinic in 1998.

Dr. Stegall received his B.A. from Harvard University and completed a creative writing program at Trinity College, University of Oxford. He received his M.D. from the College of Physicians and Surgeons at Columbia University. He completed a residency and research fellowship at the Presbyterian Hospital in New York, New York, and a fellowship in transplantation at the University of Wisconsin, Madison. Dr. Stegall also completed Leadership Development

for Division Chiefs in Academic Health Centers at the Center for Continuing Professional Education at the Harvard School of Public Health.

Dr. Stegall has received numerous awards and honors, including the Upjohn Prize for Best Original Paper through the New York State Transplantation Society, the Upjohn Award for Outstanding Paper on Transplantation by a Resident or Fellow through the American Society of Transplant Surgeons, and the Ortho Faculty Development Award through the American Society of Transplant Surgeons. Additionally, in 2011 Dr. Stegall was the recipient of the Paul I. Terasaki Clinical Science Award through the American Society for Histocompatibility and Immunogenetics and the Novel Methodology Development Award at Mayo Clinic.

Dr. Stegall has held numerous committee positions with organizations and associations, including the American Society of Transplant Surgeons, the American College of Surgeons, the Food and Drug Administration, and the National Institutes of Health. At Mayo Clinic, Dr. Stegall earned the Mayo Clinic Quality Fellow Bronze Level Certification through the Mayo Clinic Quality Academy.

Dr. Stegall has had a long-term commitment to teaching and mentoring. He served as director of the Transplant Surgery Fellowship for many years and has mentored more than a dozen surgical fellows in his laboratory. He also mentors several junior faculty members in their academic efforts. Clinically, Dr. Stegall served as surgical director of the Kidney and Pancreas Transplant Program for more than a decade and oversaw significant growth in innovation during his tenure, especially in the area of living-donor kidney transplantation.

Dr. Stegall's primary research efforts are aimed at improving the long-term outcomes of kidney transplant recipients and overcoming antibody barriers to transplantation. His research will impact patient care through improving transplant survival and solving two of the most important unsolved issues in transplantation. Through his NIH-sponsored research, Dr. Stegall has developed united research efforts at the three Mayo Clinic transplant programs at Rochester, Florida, and Arizona and has plans to enhance this collaboration going forward.