

Omar P. Sangüeza, MD (USA)

- He began his medical studies at the Universidad Mayor de San Andres also in La Paz. Later he transfer to the Universidad Literaria in Valencia, Spain, where he received his M.D. and studied dermatology.
- From 1987-1991 he completed a residency in pathology at Oregon Health Sciences University in Portland, Oregon, followed by a year as the Holtzman Fellow in dermatopathology working with the late A. Bernard Ackerman, M. D. at New York University.
- Dr. Sangüeza became Professor and director of Dermatopathology at Wake Forest University Medical Center where he remains today.
- He is in charge of the fellowship program and has trained more than 100 national and international fellows in dermatopathology.
- In addition, he has instituted an international fellowship training both dermatologists and pathologists from all over Latin America, Spain and the Middle East in the field of dermatopathology.
- In 2014 he was awarded the Walter R. Nickel Award for Excellence in Teaching of Dermatopathology.
- In 2019 he was award the President's Medal by the International Society of Dermatopathology.
- He served for 6 years as the Secretary/ Treasurer and President of the International Society of Dermatopathology.
- He was also elected to the Board of Directors of the American Society of Dermatopathology from 2010-2013.
- He was also elected President of International Committee for Dermatopathology from 2014-16 and President of the American Society of Dermatopathology 2019-2020.
- He is the current Editor-in-Chief of the American Journal of Dermatopathology and the immediate Past President of the American Society of Dermatopathology.