

## Allen Silbergleit, MD, PhD

### Summary

Dr. Silbergleit's illustrious career as a surgeon, researcher, and educator is marked by numerous accomplishments and awards, some of which are highlighted below:

- Performed the world's first successful resection and graft of a ruptured mycotic/tuberculous abdominal aortic aneurysm.
- Longtime Professor of Surgery and Physiology at Wayne State University School of Medicine
- 40 years as Director of the St. Joseph Mercy Oakland surgical residency program
- 26 years as chief of surgery for St. Joseph Mercy Oakland Hospital.
- Founding member of SEMCME (formerly the Oakland Health Education Program) and recipient of the SEMCME Lifetime Achievement Award for Excellence in Medical Education
- Fellow and Governor of the American College of Surgeons
- 2007 Parker J. Palmer Courage to Teach Award from the Accreditation Council for Graduate Medical Education.
- Recipient of the Alexander J. Walt Award of the American College of Surgeons Michigan Chapter
- Recipient of numerous Wayne State University awards including the WSU Distinguished Service Award and the WSU Surgical Alumnus of the Year Award