

**NEIL M. BRESSLER, M.D.**  
CURRICULUM VITAE

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**Title:** Chief, Retina Division – The Wilmer Eye Institute – Johns Hopkins Hospital – The James P. Gills (inaugural) Professor of Ophthalmology – Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine

**Peer-Reviewed Publications:** 286

**Major Research:** Design and implement clinical trials evaluating retinal diseases. Previously, *Study Chair* of 6 multicenter randomized clinical trials: 3 sponsored by the National Eye Institute of the National Institutes of Health; 3 sponsored by industry. Currently, *Network Chair* of the Diabetic Retinopathy Clinical Research Network (DRCR.net) since 2006 involving over 18 randomized clinical trials and observation studies with over 100 community-based and university-based and community-based sites, sponsored by the National Eye Institute of the National Institutes of Health.

**Educational Roles:** Fellowship, residency, and medical student programs in retina at Johns Hopkins  
Director: Numerous annual Continuing Medical Education Courses at Hopkins

**Administrative Role:** Chief, Retina Division, Wilmer Eye Institute, Department of Ophthalmology, Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine (15 retina physicians; additional basic science faculty; 45 clinical staff; over 40 research staff)

Chair, Dean's Committee on Outside Interests (including management of financial conflicts of interest)

**Clinical Practice:** National and international referral for retinal diseases

**Editorial Boards:** *Archives of Ophthalmology* (Editor of Controversies Section); *Retina*

**Current Major National Advisory Roles:**

*Chair*, Data and Safety Monitoring Committee, National Eye Institute Intramural Program of National Institutes of Health  
*Chair*, Medical Devices Advisory Committee for the Center for Devices and Radiologic Health, FDA  
Observational Study Monitoring Board for the Epidemiology of Diabetes Interventions and Complications (EDIC) study

**Selected Honors:**

The Macula Society Rosenthal Award and Lecture  
The Society of Heed Fellows Award  
Inaugural Recipient of the Neil R. Miller Medical Student Teaching Award  
The Alvaro Rodriguez Gonzalez Lecture and Gold Medal  
National Society of Southern Dames Award  
The Macula Society J. Donald M. Gass Medal  
American Society of Retinal Specialists Honor Award  
Helen Keller Foundation Award and Lecture  
The Macula Society Research and Education Award  
American Academy of Ophthalmology Senior Achievement Award  
American Society of Retina Specialists Gertrude Pyron Award  
American Academy of Ophthalmology Secretariat Award  
2009 Healthnetwork Foundation Service Excellence Awards  
Silver Fellow in the ARVO Fellows Class of 2009  
Gold Fellow in the ARVO Fellows Class of 2010  
Research to Prevent Blindness Senior Scientific Investigator Award 2011