

# Siddhartha Mukherjee, M.D.

Oncologist and Cancer Researcher  
Pulitzer Prize-winning Science Writer  
*New York Times* bestselling author

*A gifted physician and writer bringing new insights into the causes and cures of cancer.*



## Biography

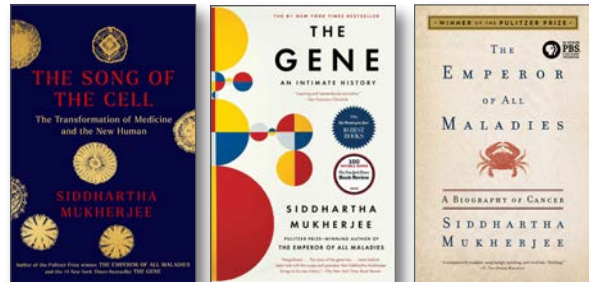
Siddhartha Mukherjee, MD, D.Phil. is a physician, researcher, and author, who serves as Associate Professor of Medicine at Columbia University and as an oncologist at the university's medical center. Dr. Mukherjee trilogy of books has made a vast contribution to the public discourse on human health, medicine, and science.

*The Emperor of All Maladies: A Biography of Cancer* earned the 2011 Pulitzer Prize for General Nonfiction, and *The Gene: An Intimate History* won international awards and was recognized by *The Washington Post* and *The New York Times* as one of the most influential books of 2016. Both books have been adapted into PBS documentaries by the renowned filmmaker Ken Burns. *The Emperor of All Maladies* was included among *Time* magazine's 100 best nonfiction books of the past century.

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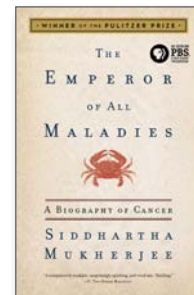
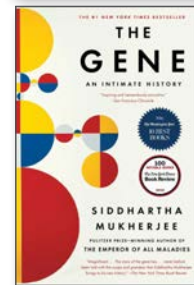
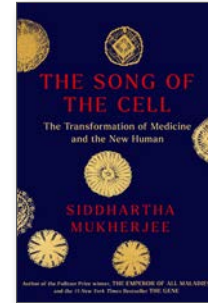
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As a medical scholar, Dr. Mukherjee has conducted innovative research that signals a paradigm shift in cancer pathology and has enabled the development of treatments that disrupt current pharmaceutical models toward new biological and cellular therapies. He was among the first to make cellular therapies available in India, and among the first to begin developing AI-based algorithms to discover human medicines. His groundbreaking research is now being translated into a record number of concurrent clinical trials across the globe, spanning novel therapies for ovarian, breast and endometrial cancer, leukemias and lymphomas, and a variety of other diseases. Only a select few medical scholars have been able to translate their work into human trials of such depth and breadth. He is a member of the National Academy of Medicine.

Dr. Mukherjee writes for *The New Yorker*, *The New York Times Magazine*, and many other publications. He has received numerous awards for his scientific work and has published his original research and opinions in journals such as *Nature*, *Cell*, and *The New England Journal of Medicine*.

A native of India, Dr. Mukherjee received his bachelor's degree from Stanford University and was a Rhodes scholar at Magdalen College, University of Oxford. After graduating from Harvard Medical School, he completed his internal medicine residency at the Massachusetts General Hospital and his hematology-oncology fellowship at the Dana-Farber Cancer Institute.



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