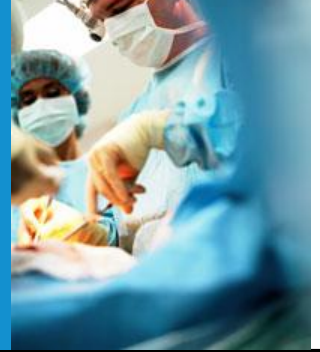




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Education



2022

All things considered FOT hit the ground running at the end of 2021 with a fall pelvic course just to get moving post pandemic. Our 2022 12th Annual meeting and Lower Extremity Dissection Course was well received January 27&28, 2022. May 20, 2022 came the 2nd Pelvic course this academic year and finally we will hold our Upper Extremity Dissection Course in Philadelphia Friday September 16, 2022

2023

Mark your calendars for 2023 events. Faculty needed. Completed research should plan to be presented at the 13th Annual meeting Resident scholarships available. Please have your PGY2+3 Residents email us* to be walked through the scholarship process.

February 2+3, 2023: Vdara Hotel-13th Annual Trauma Symposium Upper Extremity Dissection Course , Las Vegas, NV
May 19, 2023 Pelvic Acetabular Course, Tampa, FL
September 15th 2023 Lower Extremity Dissection Course Philadelphia, PA

SAVE THE DATE:

FOT Business Meeting
@OTA, Tampa, FL Thursday **October 13th**
5-7pm Location TBD

**QUESTIONS REGARDING ANYTHING IN THIS NEWSLETTER- PLEASE CONTACT: ADMINISTRATOR@FOTNORTHAMERICA.ORG*

Membership

FOT is proud to have 88 activemembers. Please get involved. This is a hands on organization as we could not continue without your involvement.

Welcome New Members:

Joseph Elsisy
Mary Kate Erdman
Joey Johnson
John Yingling

International

The OTC Annual meeting will take place June 30-July 1st in Vienna, Austria. FOT is well represented with Dr. Dunbar, and Dr. Miclau in attendance.

Research

FOT Research committee has received your submitted grants. Recipients will be notified in August of outcomes. Grant recipients who have completed will be contacted to present at the 2023 Annual Meeting.

Next research grant cycle deadline is May 1, 2023.

Humanitarian

FOT has been very busy working with industry and Dr. Israelski in getting much needed surgical equipment to Ukraine. It is one thing to secure equipment to be sent but to get into the right hands during wartime is always a challenge and one the FOT has been able to meet. So much so that we have been asked to secure equipment outside the orthopaedic realm and in conjunction with Dr. Israelski have been working to do so.

The Haitian grand rounds series continues to be a success and we may be reaching out to some members to present in 2023.

AD HOC COMMUNICATIONS COMMITTEE

We will be overhauling our website in the coming months and will be reaching out to the membership for a few good "techy's" to form this committee.

President's Message...



I welcome Bob Dunbar as our new President of FOT as well as new board members, Dr. Bob Hymes and Dr. Tony Sorkin. We are in great hands. This is my last newsletter as FOT President and I am mixed with feelings of gratitude and sadness. Going through COVID has been a challenge for all of us.

I am grateful for the FOT educating 100's of residents and sponsoring numerous great research projects that have changed the way we practice orthopedics. I'm saddened that I didn't get done the FOT "First of the month Tuesday" podcasts but it may still happen. What has given me the most gratitude is seeing the fruits of FOT's labor with the Haiti August, 2021 earthquake. Injured patients being taken care of by Haitian Orthopedic Surgeons with expedited product donation from FOT. Furthermore under FOT's guidance and Ron Israelski's can do attitude, we were the first to get 3M wound vacs and Stryker External Fixators into Ukraine via Poland. We were the "talk of the town" at both the Academy and OTA as they were asking me how we did it.

We were also one of the first organizations to get a hands on, in person, post COVID meeting on the books in September, 2021 thanks to the efforts of our education chair, Dr. Scolaro and the education committee.

FOT Research Grant program is slowly and steadily coming back to baseline thanks to our research chair, Dr. Saqib Rehman and the research committee.

New members, welcome aboard and know that FOT is not a passive organization, get involved from the outset. FOT could not continue without our hard working, active members. Their tireless volunteering has made the FOT what it is today. Nothing could have happened without our active members and the previous leadership. Issac Newton said, "If I have seen further than others, it is by standing upon the shoulders of giants." I proudly stood on the shoulders of Mel Rosenwasser, Chris Born, Dan Horwitz, David Lowenberg, and Doug Dirschl.

Have a great Summer!
Kyle Dickson

Current Members * denotes Executive board member ** denotes Past President

- Jaimo Ahn, MD, PhD
- Michael Archdeacon, MD
- Frank Avilucea, MD
- Mikhail Bekarev, MD
- Michael Beltran, MD
- Christopher Born, MD **
- Rosemary Buckle, MD
- Lisa Cannada, MD
- John T. Capo, MD
- David Carmack, MD
- Cory A. Collinge, MD
- Kyle Dickson, MD *
- Douglas Dirschl, MD **
- Derek Donegan, MD
- David Donohue, MD
- Robert P. Dunbar, MD *
- George Dyer, MD
- Daniel Dziadosz, MD
- Joseph Elsissy, MD
- Mary Kate Erdman
- Reza Firoozabadi, MD
- Mark Gage, MD
- Michael J. Gardner, MD
- Joshua Gary, MD
- Stuart M. Gold, MD
- Justin K. Greisberg, MD
- David Hak, MD
- Justin Haller, MD
- Daniel Horwitz, MD **
- Shepard Hurwitz, MD
- Robert A. Hymes, MD*
- Todd Jaebon, DO
- A. Alex Jahangir, MD
- Joseph "Joey" Johnson, MD
- Clifford B. Jones, MD
- Kevin Kang, MD
- Julie M. Keller, MD
- Laurence Kempton, MD
- Erik Kubiak, MD
- Joshua Langford, MD*
- James Learned, MD
- Adam K. Lee, MD
- Mark A. Lee, MD
- John J. Lee, MD
- Frank Liporace, MD
- David Lowenberg, MD **
- Thomas R. Lyon, MD
- Todd Mailly, MD
- Geoffrey Marecek, MD
- Samir Mehta, MD
- Theodore Miclau, MD
- Hassan R. Mir, MD
- Saam Morshed, MD
- Hamid Mostafavi, MD
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- Chinenye Nwachuku, MD
- Greg M. Osgood, MD
- Eric L. Pagenkopf, MD
- Edward Perez, MD
- Andrew Pollak, MD
- Saqib Rehman MD *
- William Ricci, MD
- Raveesh Richard, MD
- Melvin Rosenwasser, MD**
- Roy Sanders, MD
- Mara Schenker, MD
- Andrew Schmidt, MD
- Marcus Sciadini, MD
- John Scolaro, MD *
- David Seligson, MD
- Milan Sen, MD
- Anthony Sorkin, MD*
- Clay Spitler, MD
- Eric Swart, MD
- Intikhab Taufiq, MD
- Nirmal Tejwani, MD
- David Templeman, MD
- Paul Tornetta, MD
- Walter W. Virkus, MD
- J. Turner Vosseller, MD
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- Philip Wolinsky, MD
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- John Yingling, MD
- Patrick Yoon, MD*
- Richard Yoon, MD
- Brandon Yuan, MD

Have a Great Summer!