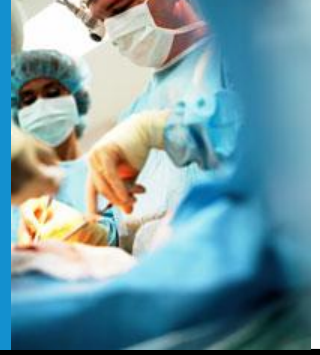




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### Education



#### 2023

It has been a productive year. FOT 13<sup>th</sup> Annual Trauma Symposium +Upper Extremity Dissection Course, Las Vegas, NV, **February 2+3, 2023**. 7<sup>th</sup> Annual Pelvic Acetabular Course, Tampa, FL **May 19, 2023**. We will wrap up this year with the **September 8, 2023** Lower Extremity Dissection Course in Philadelphia, PA **2024**

FOT 14<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting and Lower Extremity Dissection Course, Waldorf Astoria, LV, NV **March 7+8, 2024**

FOT 8<sup>th</sup> Annual Pelvic Course **May 17, 2024**, Tampa, FL

Resident scholarships available.  
Register for any of our meetings at:  
<https://fotnorthamerica.org/events/>

*FOT Business Meeting at OTA will take place Wed. October 18 5-7pm Sheraton Grand Seattle*

### Membership

FOT has increased its membership in 2023 to 94 **active** members. FOT could not continue without your involvement.

#### Welcome new Members:

Abhishek Ghanta  
Kristyn Hidden  
Jaclyn Jankowski  
Yohan Jang  
Jillian Kazley  
Jason Strezlow

### International

The OTC Annual meeting was held, June 14-16, 2023 in Madrid, Spain. FOT remains a strong chapter to the OTC. Collaborative Webinars are in the works between OTC Spain and FOT. Stay tuned for more details.



### Research

FOT Research deadline this year is **9/15/23**. New this year is an FOT research consortium with 14 involved centers. FOT Research Consortium Survey topic and first project details coming soon!

### Humanitarian

The Haitian grand rounds series continues to be a success. Thanks to some of our FOT members who have contributed their time to this effort. Thanks also to those who donated to the FOT Matching program. We were able to collect \$3000 which FOT matched. This allowed for epidural kits and other surgical supplies to be shipped for use by our Haitian colleagues.

### FOT New Website

Please take a look at our new website and feel free to let us know what you think. We also have started an FOT Channel:  
<https://www.aaos.org/videos/collection-societies/>

### President's Message...



I've just returned from Madrid, Spain, where I had the opportunity to represent the FOT at the Osteosynthesis & Trauma Care Foundation's (OTCF) Annual Meeting and General Assembly! Some of our newer members may not be aware that the FOT is the US chapter of this global fracture care organization. FOT founding father, Mel Rosenwasser (our George Washington!), and David Lowenburg (3<sup>rd</sup> FOT President – so our Thomas Jefferson?) are also past presidents of the OTCF, Dave having served just before Covid in 2019.

In November the OTCF will hold its annual Research Committee (ReCo) meeting, in Rome. The FOT's own Ted Miclau is the longterm chair of the ReCo, having served since 2008. FOT incoming member Roman Natoli will be presenting research at this meeting. As the North American regional representative, I will be there as well. Please know that just as there are research grant opportunities that folks can apply for through the FOT, Ted assures me that FOT members can also submit proposals for research funding through the OTCF as well. For more information, check out <https://otcfoundation/research>

It was great to participate in the Madrid meeting and to see folks who are now becoming old friends, as well as make new ones. I would like to think that I represented you all well. In one session on proximal femur fractures, I gave a talk on proximal femoral non-unions. I also participated in another session on residency training around the world. It was fun to share how we do things here and extremely interesting to hear how things are done elsewhere around the world. One takeaway was how competitive and highly regulated obtaining and managing residency training is here. We are currently in the works of writing this session up as a manuscript to be submitted to Injury.

While the FOT has typically chosen to forge its own path, I have to admit it was quite meaningful for me to interact with orthopaedic trauma surgeons from around the world. I think that there is so much that we can learn from each other. We are in early discussions regarding a potential collaboration (thinking perhaps a webinar as a trial) with one of the other OTC chapters. If you have thoughts or ideas on this, please do not hesitate to contact me!

I hope you all have a wonderful Summer!  
Bob

## Current Members

- Jaimo Ahn, MD, PhD
- Michael Archdeacon, MD
- Frank Avilucea, MD
- Mikhail Bekarev, MD
- Michael Beltran, MD
- Christopher Born, 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
- Jeffrey Earhart, MD
- Joseph Elsissy, MD
- Mary Kate Erdman, MD
- Reza Firoozabadi, MD
- Mark Gage, MD
- Michael J. Gardner, MD
- Joshua Gary, MD
- Abhishek Ganta, MD
- Stuart M. Gold, MD
- Justin K. Greisberg, MD
- David Hak, MD
- Justin Haller, MD
- Krystin Hidden, MD
- Daniel Horwitz, MD
- Shepard Hurwitz, MD
- Robert A. Hymes, MD
- Ron Israelski, MD
- Todd Jaeblo, DO
- Jaclyn Jankowski, DO
- Yohan Jang, DO
- Joseph Johnson, MD
- Clifford B. Jones, MD
- Kevin Kang, MD
- Jillian Kazley, MD
- Julie M. Keller, MD
- Laurence Kempton, MD
- Erik Kubiak, MD
- Joshua Langford, MD
- James Learned, MD
- Adam K. Lee, MD
- Mark A. Lee, M
- John J. Lee, MD
- Frank Liporace, MD
- David Lowenberg, MD
- Thomas R. Lyon, MD
- Todd Maily, MD
- Geoffrey Marecek, MD
- Samir Mehta, MD
- Theodore Miclau, MD
- Hassan R. Mir, MD
- Saam Morshed, MD
- Hamid Mostafavi, MD
- Scott Nelson, MD
- 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 Spittler, MD
- Jason Strelzow, MD
- Eric Swart, MD
- Intikhab Taufiq, MD
- Nirmal Tejwani, MD
- David Templeman, MD
- Paul Tornetta, MD
- Walter W. Virkus, MD
- J. Turner Vosseller, MD
- J. Tracy Watson, MD
- Philip Wolinsky, MD
- Pierre Marie Woolley, MD
- John Yingling, MD
- Patrick Yoon, MD
- Richard Yoon, MD
- Brandon Yuan, MD