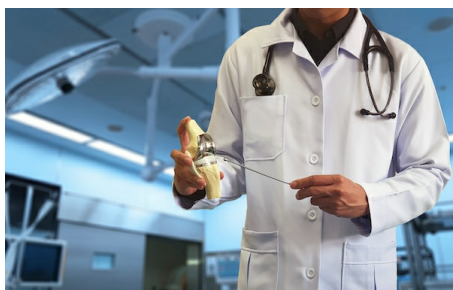

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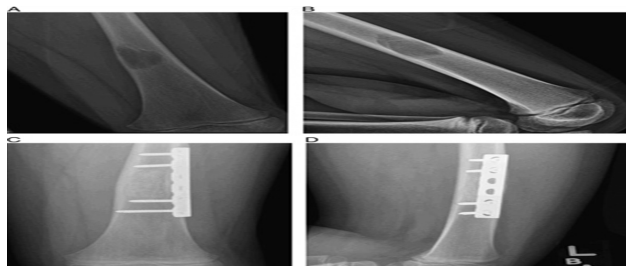


Robotic knee replacement surgery enhances precision, personalization | UT Southwestern MedBlog

Bobby Weinschenk, M.D., recently wrote a MedBlog piece about robotic assisted total knee replacement. This type of surgery has recently started to be offered at UT Southwestern Orthopaedic Surgery. The technology delivers the most precise and personalized approach for these patients.

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Publication Spotlight



Utility of 45S5 Bioactive Glass As Bone Graft Substitute for Cavitary Defects in Pediatric Bone Tumors : Journal of Pediatric Orthopaedics

Richard Samade, M.D., Ph.D., had a new study published last fall. The study focuses on evaluating the clinical and radiographic outcomes of bioactive glass used for benign cavitary pediatric bone tumors. Bioactive glass has been used increasingly for treatments in a number of orthopaedic applications.

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NEW EMPLOYEE SPOTLIGHT

In the new year, the department is excited for the continuous growth by welcoming new employees to the team. We have welcomed a new senior administrative assistant, **Devon Slider**, and a new education coordinator, **Natalie Lopez**.

[Click here](#) to learn more about Devon.

[Click here](#) to learn more about Natalie.

Martin Luther King Jr. Commemorative Celebration at UTSW

On January 11th, UT Southwestern held the annual **Martin Luther King Jr. Commemorative Celebration**. This event brought special guests to the Tom and Lula Gooch Auditorium including keynote speaker, Cynt Marshall, who is the CEO of the Dallas Mavs and NYT Bestselling Author. UTSW Ortho and many other departments came to the event in celebration of the Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.

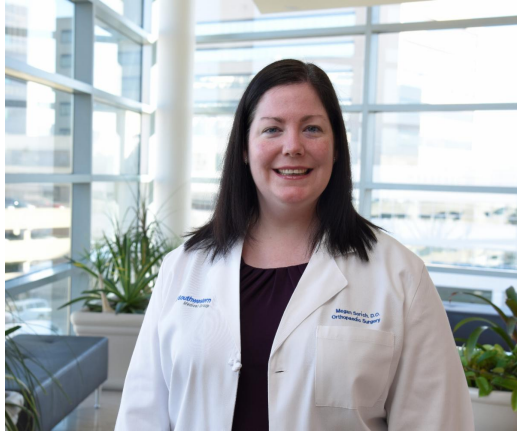


Pictured: Cynthia Wright with keynote speaker Cynt Marshall at the book signing.

Faculty News

The Joint Commission Gold Seal of Approval for Accreditation set for Hip Fracture care

Congratulations to **Megan Sorich, D.O.** and the **RESTORE program** for earning the **Gold Seal of**



Approval for Certification from The Joint Commission in Hip Fracture. This honor set the standard for the program as well as shows patients and the community the dedication to delivering the highest quality care in hip fracture.

Dr. Wukich recognized in Becker's Healthcare as "50 Orthopedic Surgeons to know in 2023"

Department Chair, **Dane Wukich, M.D.**, was recognized in Becker's Healthcare "50 Orthopedic Surgeons to know in 2023". Dr. Wukich was highlighted for his achievements and honors over the course of his tenure at UT Southwestern Orthopaedics.

[Click here](#) to read the full article.



Study on New ACL Repair Technique lead by Dr. Shah and Department research team receives official approval

Congratulations to **Jay Shah, M.D.**, and the **department research team** for recent approval on the study, ***A Prospective Cohort Clinical Trial Evaluating Age as a Risk Factor for Poor Outcomes of Bridge-Enhanced ACL Restoration (BEAR®)***. The purpose of the study is to test an investigational new study technique to repair torn ACLs using a new implant called the BEAR® implant.

Read more about the [BEAR® implant clinical trial](#)



Dr. Singleton on the sidelines with Top-Ranked College Football

Team

Steven Singleton, M.D., has been busy throughout this football season. Dr. Singleton was one of the team doctors for the TCU Football team this season. He even traveled with the team to provide sideline care for the Fiesta Bowl and the College Football National Championships. What a great experience for Dr. Singleton and our sports medicine team.

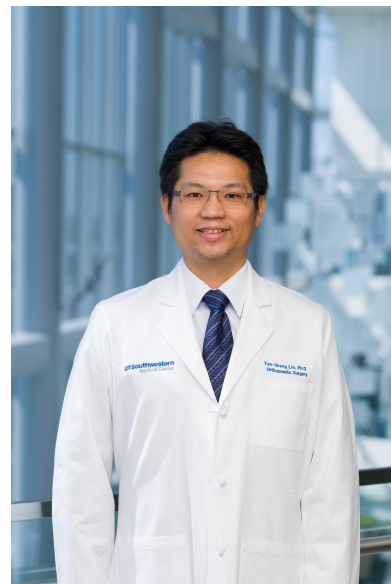


Upcoming Faculty Events:

ORS Annual Meeting 2023 in Dallas

We are a few weeks away from the **Orthopaedic Research Society (ORS) Annual Meeting** that will be hosted in Dallas on **February 10-14, 2023**. UTSW Orthopaedic Surgery's **Yen-Sheng "Johnny" Lin, Ph.D.** will be speaking and leading a conference workshop. Register to attend!

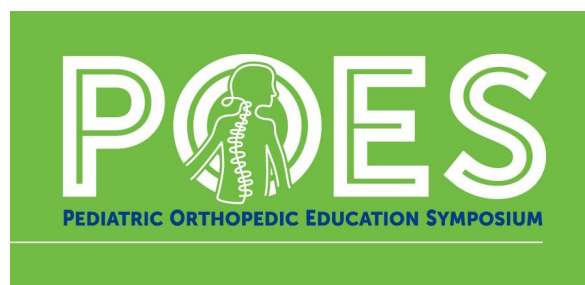
[ORS 2023 Annual Meeting Information](#)



Pediatric Orthopaedic Education Symposium - Scottish Rite

Scottish Rite for Children will be hosting the **Pediatric Orthopaedic Education Symposium (POES)** in person on February 25th. Directed by Scottish Rite Orthopaedic Surgeon and UTSW Orthopaedic Surgery Assistant Professor **Megan Johnson, M.D.**, topics will include an emphasis on the musculoskeletal exam for the pediatric and adolescent knee, foot, ankle, back, shoulder and hip followed by breakout sessions of exam demonstrations with patient models.

[Click here to register](#)



Celebrate the RESTORE Program's 2nd Anniversary

The **UT Southwestern RESTORE Program** is celebrating its second anniversary in **February**. This program, led by **Megan Sorich, D.O.** has grown over the past two years. Stay tuned as we celebrate the program and its accomplishments.

[Learn more about RESTORE](#)

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Education Spotlight

PGY 5 Residents on their International Rotation

Our Orthopaedic Surgery Residency Program offers many opportunities designed for our residents to learn and explore pathways in Orthopaedic Surgery. PGY 5 residents get the chance to participate in a 3-month international rotation. One is located in Auckland, New Zealand. The other is a new rotation in Chur, Switzerland.

[Click here](#) to see the highlights of the PGY 5 International Rotations



Pictured: David O'Neill (right) in Chur, Switzerland with colleagues.



UTSW Orthopaedic Surgery Residency Interviews

Residency Program Interviews occurred in-person on December 12, 2022 and January 6, 2023. Throughout the two days, candidates came from all over the country to interview in person with our faculty. Thank you to the faculty and current residents that helped conduct the interviews as well as the Education team and volunteers for their hard work and preparation for the interview days.

Prospective residents can visit [the department website](#) for more information.

Upcoming Education Events:

Controversies in Pediatric Limb Reconstruction

The **Controversies in Pediatric Limb Reconstruction** Symposium will be held on **February 3-4, 2023** at **Scottish Rite**. It will focus on the latest techniques and controversies in deformity correction and lengthening of pathologic bone among other topics. This interactive event is directed by **Drs. David Podeszwa and Mikhail Samchukov, M.D.**

[Click here for course information](#)



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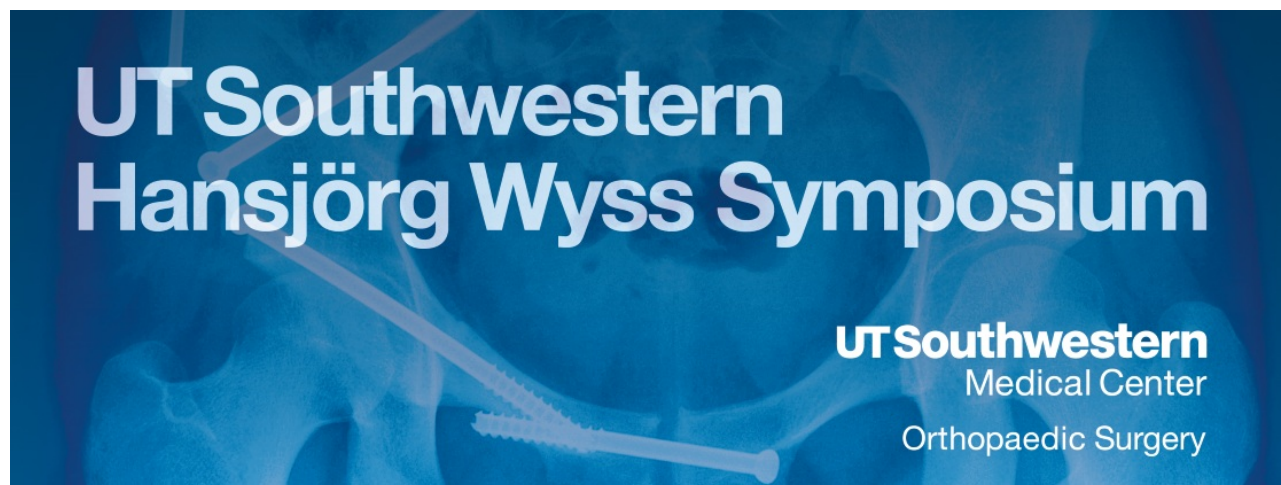
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SCOTTISH RITE
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Department Announcements

Now Live! - UT Southwestern Hansjörg Wyss Symposium Event Page



**UT Southwestern
Hansjörg Wyss Symposium**

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The **UT Southwestern Hansjörg Wyss Symposium Event Page** is now live on our department website! This symposium focuses on orthopaedic case studies from special guest speakers from around the country and internationally. **The UT Southwestern Hansjörg Wyss Geriatric Fracture Symposium** will be held on June 2-3, 2023 at the UT Southwestern Campus.

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UTSW Orthopaedic Journal 2021-22

The **UT Southwestern Orthopaedic Journal 2021-22** is live! This journal recaps what happened throughout this year in the department such as program updates, highlighting faculty and resident academic achievements, and summarizing research. We even highlight several department events that brought faculty, residents, and friends of the department from all over.

[Click here](#) to read the full journal



Check out Orthopaedic Surgery on the UTSW Physician Portal!



The Department of Orthopaedic Surgery is on the UTSW Physician Portal. This portal actively engages physicians, provides peer-to-peer education, resources for CME courses, and presents patient-focused health information. Please contact [Marilyn Clark](#) if there is any content you would like to feature on the portal.

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Upcoming Events

Upcoming OS Conferences

Cervical Spine Research Society

- February 4-8, 2023

ORS Annual Meeting

- Dallas, TX, February 10-14, 2023

AAOS Annual Meeting 2023

- Las Vegas, NV, March 7-11, 2023

Texas Orthopaedic Association (TOA) Annual Conference

- San Antonio, TX, April 14-15, 2023

Save the Date - OS Conferences 2023

POSNA Annual Meeting 2023

- Nashville, TN, April 26-28, 2023

American Orthopaedic Association (AOA) Annual meeting

- Salt Lake City, UT, June 13-17, 2023

SPORTS MEDICINE JOURNAL CLUB

Tuesday, February 21, 2023 | 5:30-7pm | via
Zoom



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UT Southwestern Hansjörg Wyss GERIATRIC FRACTURE Symposium

DALLAS, TEXAS

June 2-3, 2023

[Click to view more event details](#)



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Newsletter Poll: Did you make new years resolutions for 2023?

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**Have an idea for the next newsletter?
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better?**

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