

Issue II | August 2022

This newsletter will be sent out each month to the department faculty, staff, current and former residents as well as individuals affiliated with UTSW Orthopaedic Surgery. We will highlight many things in each issue including:

- Event Spotlights, and Upcoming Events
- Doctor Spotlights
- Department Spotlights
- Department and News and Press Stories
- Awards and Recognitions
- Social Media Spotlight

The purpose of these newsletters is to inform you about the amazing accomplishments as well as activities that have been going on in the department.

If you would like to submit suggestions for future newsletters, [fill out this form](#).

August Birthdays:

Rachel Ortiz - August 4
Ogonna Nwangwu - August 6
Dr. Michael Huo - August 6
Dr. Sharon Walton - August 12
Ashley Gomez-Vallejo - August 13
Catherine Acosta - August 14
Ashley Tennis - August 18
Dr. Alison Cabrera - August 18
Dr. Matthew Johnson - August 18
Morgan Ballard - August 23
Maryna Ortega - August 28
Yen-Sheng Lin - August 29

August Anniversaries:

Congratulations to all of the following people who are celebrating their work anniversaries this month:

Jazmin Almaraz (4 years)
Sybil Booth (3 years)
Ishvinder Grewal, M.D. (1 year)
Michael Khazzam, M.D. (11 years)

Featured Stories

From the Spine section, **Douglas Dickerson, M.D.** was interviewed by AARP on the pain symptoms you can't ignore, specifically with back pain. Click the story below to learn more.



12 Pain Symptoms You Should Never Ignore

These lesser-known symptoms of a

Deshawn Maydwell (7 years)
Michelle Payton (15 years)
Denise Smith (7 years)
Venessa Soldevilla (3 years)
Michael Villegas (1 year)
Sharon Walton, M.D. (4 years)

Doctor Spotlight

Congratulations to the following doctors who earned this year's faculty awards:

Harold A. Mattson Award for Outstanding Leadership
Michael Huo, M.D.

Charles M. Reinert Award
Ann Golden, M.D.

Robert W. Bucholz Award
John Herring, M.D.

Department Spotlight

Please give a warm welcome to the following new hires:

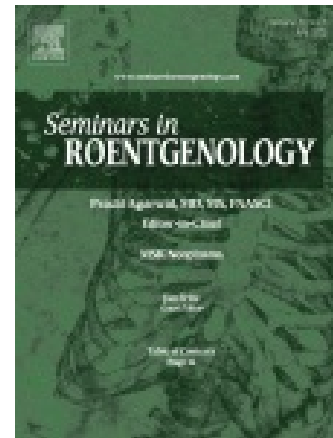
Rachel Boise (PA)
Tracy Powell (PA)

Contact [Cynthia Wright](#) if you have any ideas for upcoming **Department social events**.

heart attack are more likely to affect women, according to the American Heart Association. Nausea or vomiting, shortness of breath, dizziness and light-headedness are other heart attack symptoms to look for....

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www.aarp.org

Publication Spotlight



Multiparametric Evaluation of Soft Tissue Sarcoma:...

Imaging plays an essential role in diagnosing and managing musculoskeletal soft tissue masses. It provides anatomic details and aids in the characteri...

[Read more](#)
www.sciencedirect.com

Department News

UT Southwestern No.1 in DFW, UT Southwestern Orthopaedics earning High Performing recognition again this year



UT Southwestern No. 1 hospital in DFW

UT Southwestern Medical Center is the No. 1 hospital in Dallas-Fort Worth - the nation's fourth-largest metro area - for the sixth consecutive year and ranks among the top hospitals nationally in nine specialties ranging from brain to heart to...

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Department Promotions

The Department of Orthopaedic Surgery has had many changes throughout August. We would like to highlight these individuals on their promotions that are going into effect the following month. Congrats to the following:

Clinic Staff

- **Amanda Ben Simon - Lead APP**
- **Zahra Barati - Research Senior Associate**

Department Administration

- **Brooke Ferguson - Project Manager, Health Systems Administration (Pediatrics)**

Finance

- **Michael Moreno - Financial Analyst, Senior**

Job Openings - UT Southwestern Orthopaedic Surgery

NOW HIRING

- Ambulatory RN, Orthopaedic Surgery Clinic
- Professor, Orthopaedic Biomechanics
- Associate Professor, Orthopaedic Biomechanics
- Assistant Professor, Orthopaedic Biomechanics
- Advanced Practice Provider, Orthopaedic Fellowship (APP)

For more information, visit jobs.utsouthwestern.edu.

FY23 UTSW Holiday Schedule

UT Southwestern has recently announced the dates for the FY23 Holiday Schedule. Click to view more details on Holiday and Vacation times.

FY23 UTSW Holiday Schedule				
Day and Date	Holiday	Status		
		Academic Offices/ Research Labs	Clinics and Ancillary Support	Central Administration
Monday, September 5, 2022	Labor Day	Closed	Closed	Closed
Friday, November 11, 2022	Veterans Day	Closed	Closed	Closed
Thursday, November 24, 2022	Thanksgiving Day	Closed	Closed	Closed
Friday, November 25, 2022	Thanksgiving Holiday	Closed	Closed	Closed
Monday, December 26, 2022	Christmas Holiday	Closed	Closed	Closed
Monday, January 16, 2023	Martin Luther King, Jr. Day	Closed	Closed	Closed
Monday, February 20, 2023	Presidents' Day	Closed	Closed	Closed
Friday, April 7, 2023	Spring Holiday	Closed	Open	Closed
Monday, May 29, 2023	Memorial Day	Closed	Closed	Closed
Monday, June 19, 2023	Juneteenth Emancipation Day	Closed	Closed	Closed
Tuesday, July 4, 2023	Independence Day	Closed	Closed	Closed

Hospitals remain open and adjust schedules and services as appropriate.

Department of Orthopaedic Surgery Projects



There are a few projects lined up for the department that need volunteers. Click [here](#) to view the project breakdowns, and reach out to [Efrain Solis](#) for more information.

[Click here](#) for the department project list

Event Highlights - Department Monthly Birthday Celebration

Each month, the department hosts monthly birthday celebrations to celebrate faculty and staff who have birthdays that month. Happy birthday to all who celebrated a birthday in August. The [August birthday celebration](#) put on by Cynthia Wright and the Humerus Committee.



Faculty News

Returning Seniors to Orthopaedic Excellence joins Own the Bone

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Returning Seniors to
Orthopaedic Excellence Program

The RESTORE Program, led by Megan Sorich, D.O., has joined the American Orthopaedic Association's ***Own the Bone*** program. This endeavor will take RESTORE to the next level of care when it comes to management and fracture prevention.

Learn more about [**Own the Bone**](#).



Welcome to the Department - New Faculty

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INCOMING FACULTY

Nate Boes, M.D. - Sports Medicine

Garen Collett, M.D. - Total Joints

Richard Samade, M.D., Ph.D. - Hand and Upper Extremity

Suganthi Kandasamy, D.P.M. - Foot & Ankle

Simon Tiziani, M.D. - Orthopaedic Trauma Fellow

Faculty Promotions

Congratulations to the following faculty members who have earned well-deserved promotions. The department is proud of these individuals and their hard work. These promotions will go into effect in September 2022.

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- **Ann Golden, M.D. - Associate Professor**
- **Drew Sanders, M.D. - Associate Professor**

Scottish Rite for Children

- Jane Chung, M.D. - Associate Professor
- Christopher Stutz, M.D. - Associate Professor
- Lane Wimberly, M.D. - Professor

Social Media Spotlight



UTSW Orthopaedic Surgery on Twitter:

UTSWOrtho's Megan Sorich, D.O. spoke to the Duncanville @Rotary club yesterday about hip fractures, treatment, and the RESTORE Program at #UTSW. We love seeing our physicians speaking to the community about #orthopaedic care. #orthopaedicsurgery...

[Read more](#)
twitter.com



UTSW Orthopaedic Surgery on Twitter:

It is #NationalHealthCenterWeek and #UTSWOrtho would like to recognize our hard-working teams who go above and beyond to make our locations cutting-edge centers! #UTSW #orthopaedics pic.twitter.com/y1Cu4tVEFv

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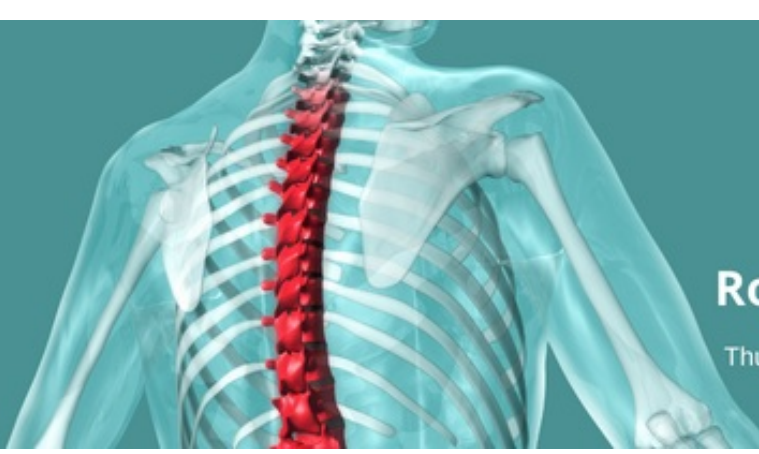


UTSW Orthopaedic Surgery on Twitter:

UTSWOrtho approach to care is multidisciplinary, meaning we collaboratively bring together an exceptional range of surgical and medical knowledge to fully treat patients. Learn more about our patient services: <https://t.co/bVwITKkqRz> #UTSW...

[Read more](#)
twitter.com

Mark your calendars for these upcoming events:



The Science of Robot-Assisted Surgery

Thursday, September 8, 2022 | 7 p.m. CST

Carlos Bagley, M.D., professor of Neurological Surgery and **Orthopaedic Surgery**, will be featured in an upcoming UT Southwestern Science Cafe. Hear about how the science of robot-assisted surgery has impacted patient care and the research and implementation involved in the process. **Click the banner** above to register.

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SPORTS MEDICINE JOURNAL CLUB

Tuesday, September 20th | 5:30-7pm

Sports Medicine Journal Club is coming up on **Tuesday, September 20th**. It will be led by Dr. Joel Wells. The topic for the session is Evidence-based updates to Femoral-Acetabular Impingement/Hip dysplasia. **Click the banner** above to sign up for the official Sports Medicine Journal Club email list.

Hansjörg Wyss

GERIATRIC FRACTURE

Symposium

DALLAS, TEXAS

June 2-3, 2023



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COMING SOON

Orthopaedic Journal 2021-2022

Department Social Events

Department Staff Bowling Event - Thursday, September 22nd from 4:30-7:00pm at Bowlounge (see Outlook invite for details)

Monthly Birthday Celebration - Wednesday, September 28th at 1:30pm (WA4-102)

Upcoming National Conferences

Scoliosis Research Society Annual Meeting

- Seattle, Washington, September 6-9, 2022

American Orthopaedic Foot & Ankle Society

- Quebec City, Canada, September 14-17, 2022

TRIA Geriatric Orthopedic Conference

- St. Paul, Minnesota, September 23, 2022

American Society for Surgery of the Hand (ASSH) Annual Meeting

- Boston, Massachusetts, September 29-October 1, 2022

Shoulder and Elbow Society (ASES) Annual Meeting

- Atlanta, Georgia, October 6-9, 2022

North American Spine Annual Meeting

- Chicago, Illinois, October 12-15, 2022

Orthopaedic Trauma Association Annual Meeting

- Tampa, Florida, October 12-15, 2022

