

# **LUKASZ SOSWA, MD, FRCSC**

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## **EMPLOYMENT**

**Staff Posting at Langley Memorial Hospital  
Clinical Instructor UBC Orthopaedic Department**

## **EDUCATION**

**University of British Columbia**, Vancouver, BC; Canada  
Doctor of Medicine-May 2009

**University of Southern Illinois** Carbondale, IL; USA  
Bachelor of Science, Major in Microbiology and Minor in Chemistry; May 2005

## **TRAINING: INTERNSHIP AND RESIDENCY**

**University of British Columbia- Department of Orthopaedics:** Vancouver, BC  
July 2009- June 2014

- PGY-1 (07/2009- 06/2010): Vancouver General Hospital, St. Paul's Hospital, Burnaby General Hospital, BC Children's Hospital
- PGY-2: (07/2010- 06/2011) Vancouver General Hospital, St. Paul's Hospital, Royal Columbian Hospital
- PGY-3: (07/2011- 06/2012) Vancouver General Hospital, St. Paul's Hospital
- PGY-4: (07-2012- 06/2013) Lions Gate Hospital, Vancouver General Hospital, Lions Gate Hospital, Surrey Memorial Hospital, Royal Columbian Hospital, BC Children's Hospital
- PGY-5: (07/2013- 06/2014): Vancouver General Hospital, BC Children's Hospital; St. Paul's Hospital

## **TRAINING: FELLOWSHIPS**

- Orthopaedic Trauma Fellowship, (7/2014-2/2015), Royal Columbian Hospital, New Westminster, BC, Canada
- Foot and Ankle Fellowship, (2/2015- 8/2015), Royal Columbian Hospital, New Westminster, BC, Canada

## **WORK EXPERIENCE**

- Orthopaedic Maternity locum coverage for Dr. Kate Ball, Vernon, BC
- Orthopaedic Maternity locum coverage for Dr. Kelly Apostle, Royal Columbian Hospital, BC
- Orthopaedic Associate Coverage, Royal Columbian Hospital
- Orthopaedic Trauma locum at Surrey Memorial Hospital, BC
- Orthopaedic Trauma locum at Burnaby General Hospital, BC
- Orthopaedic Trauma locum at Lions Gate Hospital, BC

## • **LICENTIATE**

- Licentiate of the Medical Council of Canada; June 2012
- Fellow in the Royal College of Surgeons of Canada; Specialist Certificate in Orthopaedic Surgery, June 2014
- Orthopaedic Surgery License - College of Physicians and Surgeons of British Columbia (July 2015)

## **EXAMINATIONS:**

**Licentiate of the Medical Council of Canada:**

- Medical Council of Canada Qualifying Examination Part I: Pass- Fall 2010
- Medical Council of Canada Qualifying Examination Part II: Pass-Spring 2012

**Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada**

- Examinations in Orthopaedic Surgery: Pass-June 2014

**PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES****Meetings/Courses**

- AO: Basic Principles & Techniques of Operative Fracture Management Course- January 2010
- Canadian Orthopaedic Association: Basic Science Course- October 2011
- American Academy of Orthopedic Surgeons Annual Meeting February, 2012.
- American Orthopaedic Foot and Ankle Society Annual Meeting June 2012
- Canadian Orthopaedic Association Annual Meeting June 2013
- Emile Letournel Institute Course and Workshop: Fractures of the Acetabulum and Pelvis; September 2014.
- Canadian Orthopaedic Association Annual Meeting June 2014
- Orthopaedic Trauma Association General Meeting, Tampa, FL; October 2014
- Orthopaedics Today, Hawaii, January 2017

**Residency Appointments**

- Journal Club Representative: July 2012. Responsible for planning and organizing Journal clubs with staff and residents.
- Residency Training Committee Representative: July 2012-2014. Responsible for meeting with the Residency Training committee, to address any problems brought up by residents or staff, and on a monthly basis evaluate a resident site for adequacy of teaching, resident and staff experience.
- Chief Resident 2013 – Responsible for education and training of junior residents

**Volunteer/Outreach:**

- Southern Illinois Homes for the Homeless
- Just Read Foundation
- Chicago Run for Cancer
- NCAA Student Athletes for Academics
- Heartland Hospital Emergency Room Volunteer
- CHIUS Downtown Eastside Medical Clinic
- CHIUS Street Youth Project
- YMAC

**Professional Associations**

- Canadian Orthopaedic Association
- American Academy of Orthopedic Surgeons
- AO Trauma Association
- Orthopaedic Trauma Association
- Canadian Medical Association
- British Columbia Medical Association

**RESEARCH**

- Digital Blinding of Radiographs to Mask Treatment Allocation of Distal Femur Fractures in a Randomized Control Trial. Soswa L, Slobogean G. – Manuscript submitted to JOT. Abstract accepted for podium presentation at COA 2014
- Case Review: Congenital Clubfoot Complicated by Peroneal Nerve Palsy. Soswa L, Alvarez C – Manuscript revisions for submission
- Radiographic Outcome Measures in Pelvic Fractures. Lefaiivre K, Soswa L – Manuscript complete and awaiting submission
- Survival Predictors of Patients Undergoing Whipple Procedures for Pancreatic Cancer. Law JK, Bregman, Chung, W, Hassanali A, Kazemi P, Krausz SE, Sowsa L, Intaraprasong P, Enns R
- Survival Predictors of Pancreatic Cancer. Law JK, Bregman, Chung, W, Hassanali A, Kazemi P, Krausz SE, Sowsa L, Intaraprasong P, Enns R
- Chang A, Kazemi P, Chung W, Soswa L, Hassanali A, Bregman I, Krausz SE, Lee J, Haniak W, Chatur N, Enns R. Surveillance for Barrett’s esophagus in British Columbia: A retrospective analysis. Can J Gastro 2008;22:Supplement A,abstract 278, page 158A.
- Law JK, Bregman, Chung, W, Hassanali A, Kazemi P, Krausz SE, Sowsa L, Intaraprasong P, Enns R. Predictors for small bowel tumors in capsule endoscopy. Can J Gastro 2008;22:Supplement A,abstract 319, page 170A.
- Patient Satisfaction with Endoscopy Is Influenced By the Timing of the Survey .Gastrointestinal Endoscopy , Volume 65 , Issue 5 , Pages AB359 - AB359 H . Ko , H . Zhang , A . Hassanali , R . Manji , P . Kazemi , L . Soswa , J . Telford , R . Enns
- Factors Influencing Patient Satisfaction Undergoing Endoscopic Procedures .Gastrointestinal Endoscopy , Volume 65 , Issue 5 , Pages AB359 - AB359 H . Ko , H . Zhang , A . Hassanali , R . Manji , P . Kazemi , L . Soswa , J . Telford , R . Enns

## HONORS

- University of Southern Illinois Athletics Scholarship – 2001-2005
- SIU Dean’s Honour List – 2001-2005
- NCAA All-American Student Athlete award 2001-2005
- Who’s Who Award 2001-2005
- The National Dean’s List Award 2001-2005
- MCV Scholar-Athlete Award 2002-2005
- MCV New comer of the year 2001
- NCAA Community Service Award 2003,2005
- Illinois Microbiology Insight Award 2004
- SIU Men’s Tennis Team Captain 2003-2005
- SIU Men’s Tennis Team top ten all time wins and Gratitude of Service Ring Award 2005
- Golden Key International Society Member