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ORTHOPAEDIC SURGERY | SPORTS MEDICINE & ARTHROSCOPY | JOINT RECONSTRUCTION

PROFILE

Fellowship trained orthopaedic surgeon currently practicing in Langley, BC. Experience with general orthopaedic trauma surgery and complex upper extremity trauma & reconstruction. Subspecialty practice focused on total joint replacement & sports medicine, and knee & shoulder reconstructive arthroscopy, joint preservation & regenerative orthopaedics.

EXPERIENCE

- 2012 – Present **Orthopaedic Surgeon**
Langley Memorial Hospital (LMH). Langley, BC. Fraser Health Authority.
- 2016 – Present **UBC Clinical Instructor**
Faculty of Medicine, Department of Orthopaedics. Division of Comprehensive Orthopaedics.
University of British Columbia. Vancouver, BC, Canada.
- 2017 – 2018 **Department Head of Surgery - LMH**
Langley Memorial Hospital (LMH). Langley, BC. Fraser Health Authority.
- 2014 – 2017 **Division Head of Orthopaedics – LMH**
Langley Memorial Hospital (LMH). Langley, BC. Fraser Health Authority.
- 2009 – 2011 **Locum Tenens Orthopaedic Surgeon**
Ridge Meadows Hospital. Maple Ridge, BC. Fraser Health Authority.
Kelowna General Hospital. Kelowna, BC. Interior Health Authority.
Northern Lights Regional Health Centre. Fort McMurray, Alberta. Northern Lights Health Region.
Medicine Hat Regional Hospital. Medicine Hat, Alberta. Palliser Health Region.
Aberdeen Hospital. New Glasgow, Nova Scotia. Pictou County Health Authority.
Timmins & District Hospital. Timmins, Ontario. North East LHIN.
Kootenay Boundary Regional Hospital. Trail, BC. Interior Health Authority.
Chinook Regional Hospital. Lethbridge, Alberta. Chinook Health Region.
Red Deer Regional Hospital. Red Deer, Alberta. David Thompson Health Region.
- 2000 – 2001 **Western University Research Team Member**
Collaborative Bi-Directional Learning Model. UWO-LHSC.
Western University. London, Ontario.
- 1998 **Vanderbilt University Medical Center Research Assistant**
Vanderbilt University Medical Centre. Nashville, Tennessee, USA.
- 1998 **Club Tennis Pro Instructor**
Lebanon Golf & Country Club. Lebanon, Tennessee, USA.
- 1996 – 1997 **Club Tennis Pro Instructor**
Windsor Tennis Club. Windsor, Ontario.

EDUCATION

- 2008 – 2009 **UBC Reconstructive Arthroscopy Fellowship**
University of British Columbia. Vancouver, BC. Faculty of Medicine. Dept. of Orthopaedics.
Division of Arthroscopic, Reconstructive Surgery, & Joint Preservation.
- 2003 – 2008 **UM Orthopaedic Surgery Residency – FRCSC**
University of Manitoba. Winnipeg, Manitoba. Faculty of Medicine. Section of Orthopaedics.
- 1999 – 2003 **UWO Medical School - MD**
University of Western Ontario. London, Ontario. UWO School of Medicine & Dentistry.
- 1995 – 1999 **Bachelor of Science - BS**
Cumberland University. Lebanon, Tennessee, USA.
Summa Cum Laude. Major: Biology. Minors: English & Chemistry.

COURSES

- 2017 – 2018 **UBC Sauder Physician Leadership Program**
University of British Columbia. Robson Square, Vancouver, BC. Sauder School of Business.

COURSES	2009	Canadian Orthopaedic Resident Forum University of Calgary. Calgary, Alberta.	
	2007 – 2008	Sainte. Justine Pediatric Orthopaedic Review Course Montreal, Quebec.	
	2003 – 2007	Manitoba Orthopaedic Symposium UM. Winnipeg, MB.	
	2007	AOA – OREF Zimmer Resident Leadership Forum Asheville, North Carolina, USA.	
	2007	AO ASIF Advanced Principles & Techniques of Operative Fracture Management Course AO Foundation. Toronto, Ontario.	
	2006	AO ASIF Basic Principles & Techniques of Operative Fracture Management Course AO Foundation. Toronto, Ontario.	
	2005	COA Basic Science Conference Canadian Orthopaedic Association. Ottawa, Ontario.	
HONOURS	2007	Chief Resident Univ. of Manitoba. Orthopaedic Surgery Residency Program.	
	2000	Dr. Martin W. Stapleton Award Western University. U.W.O. School of Medicine.	
	1999	Academic Achievement Award OUA Western University. U.W.O. Men's Varsity Tennis.	
	1999	Most Outstanding Player Cumberland University. Men's Varsity Tennis.	
	1998-1999	All American Scholar Athlete International Tennis Association.	
	1997-1999	NAIA Men's National Tennis Tournament Tulsa, Oklahoma & Boca Raton, Florida. CU Men's Varsity Tennis.	
	1999	All-American Scholar United States Achievement Academy.	
	1999	Who's Who Among Students in American Colleges & Universities Cumberland University.	
	1996-1999	Mid-South Conference Champions & NAIA #1 Academic Rank Cumberland University CU Men's Varsity Tennis.	
	1996-1999	Dean's List & National Honor & Leadership Societies Cumberland University.	
	1995-1999	Academic & Athletic Scholarships Cumberland University & CU Men's Varsity Tennis Team.	
	LICENSURE	2020	CPR
2010		CPSBC	College of Physicians & Surgeons of BC
2009		FRCSC	Fellow of the Royal College of Physicians & Surgeons of Canada
2005		Principles of Surgery	RCPSC Principles of Surgery
2004		LMCC II	Licentiate of Medical Council of Canada Part II
2003		LMCC I	Licentiate of Medical Council of Canada Part I
2003		ACLS	Advanced Cardiac Life Support Certification
2003		ATLS	Advanced Trauma Life Support Certification
MEMBERSHIPS		AANA	Arthroscopy Association of North America
	AAOS	American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgeons	
	CMPA	Canadian Medical Protective Association	

MEMBERSHIPS	COA	Canadian Orthopaedic Association
	DOBC	Doctors of British Columbia
	RCPSC	Royal College of Physicians & Surgeons of Canada

PUBLICATIONS Syal A. & MacDonald P. **Arthroscopic Arthrodesis of the Shoulder.**
A Report of Two Cases. J Shoulder Elbow Surg. 2008 Mar-Apr;17(2):e23-5. Epub 2007 Oct 29.

Syal A. & Pilkey B. **Open Fracture of the Tibia & Fibula Caused by An Airbag.**
A Case Report & Review of the Literature. The Internet Journal of Orthopaedic Surgery. 2006. Vol. 3, No.1.

MEETINGS	2009 - 2019	UBC Dept. of Orthopaedics Update & BCOA Annual Meeting. Vancouver, BC
	APR 2019	Sigvaris Fitters Seminar. Burnaby, BC
	APR 2019	Skinceuticals Professional Protocols Academy. Vancouver, BC
	OCT 2018	Skinceuticals Academy. Vancouver, BC
	SEP 2018	The Aesthetic Practice Summit – Cutera. Seattle, Washington, USA
	MAY 2018	Zimmer Biomet Sports Med + Shoulder Arthroplasty Instructional Course. Phoenix, Arizona.
	APR 2018	Science of Skin & S.M.A.R.T. – Skinceuticals. Vancouver, BC
	JAN 2018	BC Summit on Surgical Improvement. Richmond, BC
	NOV 2017	D.R.E.A.M. Aesthetics Meeting. Toronto, ON
	NOV 2017	ICJR 6th Annual Shoulder Course. Las Vegas, Nevada, USA
	DEC 2016	Conmed Clearwater Arthroscopy Meeting. Clearwater, Florida, USA
	NOV 2016	AANA Annual Fall Meeting. Las Vegas, Nevada, USA
	SEP 2016	Arthrex Shoulder Meeting. New Westminster, BC
	APR 2016	Pendopharm – Monovisc Regional Consultant Meeting. Vancouver, BC
	APR 2016	Arthrex Knee Think Tank Meeting. Vancouver, BC
	FEB 2016	Oxford Advanced Instructional Course. San Francisco, California, USA
	NOV 2015	Accuro EMR Summit. Riviera Maya, Mexico
	2015, 2010, 2004	COA Annual Meeting. Calgary, AB. 2004, Edmonton, AB 2010, Vancouver, BC. 2015
	MAY 2015	Fraser Valley Orthopaedic Meeting. Langley, BC
	NOV 2014	Pendopharm – Monovisc Regional Consultant Meeting. Vancouver, BC
	JUN 2014	Oxford Masters Course. Vancouver, BC
	MAR 2014	Sanofi Viscosupplementation - Fortius Sport & Health. Vancouver, BC
	SEP 2014	Arthrex Whistler Roadshow. Whistler, BC
	APR 2014	Acumed Upper Extremity Surgeon Bio-Skills Course. Beverly Hills, California, USA
	DEC 2012	Conmed Clearwater Arthroscopy Meeting. Clearwater, Florida, USA
	NOV 2012	Biomet Comprehensive Shoulder Advanced Symposium. Tampa, Florida, USA
	SEP 2012	National Capital Knee Symposium. Ottawa, ON
	MAR 2012	Acumed Upper Extremity Surgeon Bio-Skills Course. Las Vegas, Nevada, USA
	APR 2011	AANA Annual Meeting. San Francisco, California USA