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From the Desk of the Chair

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As we move on to the summer holidays, we have had quite an academic year. Our 50th Anniversary Gala and Alumni Specialty Update was a great success with over 100 alumni from across the globe joining us. Our gala event brought together both physician and nursing alumni as well as our community to celebrate 50 years of excellence in care and research in the National Capital region as well as to kick off our fundraising efforts for our Research Chair in Regenerative Orthopaedic Surgery.

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Chair of Division of Orthopaedic Surgery
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**Division of Orthopaedic Surgery
50th Anniversary Gala
Canadian Museum of History
May 13, 2016**



Congratulations to our graduating class of 2016!

Dr. Christopher Dowding MD, FRCSC
Dr. Adrian Huang MD, FRCSC
Dr. Andrew Tice MD, FRCSC
Dr. Kristi Wood MD, FRCSC
Dr. Vu (Brian) Le MD, FRCSC
Dr. Heathcliff D'Sa MD, FRCSC



Our 2016 Fellows

Dr. Emanuele Serra, Adult Reconstruction Fellowship
Dr. Josepha Smolders, Adult Reconstruction Fellowship
Dr. Matthew MacEwan, Upper Extremity Fellowship
Dr. Christopher de Jesus, Comprehensive Knee Fellowship
Dr. Bradley Meulenkamp, Foot and Ankle Fellowship
Dr. Natasha Holder, Musculoskeletal Oncology Fellowship
Dr. Amardeep Singh, Orthopaedic Pediatric Fellowship
Dr. Hussain Alyousif, Adult Reconstruction Fellowship

ABSENT

Spine fellows: Drs. Abdulghader Alfasi, Mohamed Alshumrani, Saad Surur, Hui (James) Xu
Trauma fellow: Drs. David Saliken, Justin Todd

DIVISION NEWS

Recipient of Jacques Robichon Award

Congratulations to Dr. Kathleen Gartke, Head of Patient Safety and Continuous Quality Improvement Committee.



New Appointment

Welcome **Johanne Samson** as our new Executive Administrator.

Rattle Me Bones is Back!

This will be a major fundraiser for our Bone Health and Oncology Unit to be held on **October 30, 2016**.

ALUMNI NEWS

Dr. Vinod Agarwala, class of 1969, retired from active medical practice in May of 2016.



Dr. Agarwala is presenting the Division with one of his major art work.

Dr. John Song, class of 1998, practicing in Welland Ontario, has founded the interactive Website **Orthogrounds** (www.orthogrounds.com).

Dr. Claude Henri Sagi, class of 1999, has joined the trauma unit at Harborview Medical Center where another one of our alumni, **Dr. David Barei**, class of 1997, heads the fellowship program.

Dr. David Healey, class of 1999, has moved his practice to Australia.

Dr. Marie-France Rancourt, class of 2014, has joined the Montfort Hospital practicing joint replacement surgery.

Dr. Kelly Hynes, class of 2015, has accepted a Foot and Ankle position at the University of Chicago.

Dr. Mark Pahuta, class of 2015, has accepted an Academic Spine position at Henry Ford Hospital, Detroit, MI.

ALUMNI PLEASE SEND US NEWS ABOUT YOU!

ACADEMIC NEWS

Promotions to Associate Professor:

Dr. Joel Werier

Dr. Allan Liew

Recipient of Staff Teaching Award:

Dr. Braden Gammon

Recipient of Resident Teaching Award:

Dr. Mitchel Armstrong

American British Canadian (ABC) Traveling Fellowship:

Dr. Wade Gofton

Research Office:

Big thanks to **JJ Ryu PhD** for all her services and wish her the best of luck.

Johanna Dobransky MSc will be taking on the role of Research Manager.

We would like to welcome to the research team:

Kirby Bucciero

Kristina Vogel

CLINICAL NEWS

Access to Patient Experience Dashboard

Integrated Spine Unit with the Division of Neurosurgery is now a reality with **Dr. Eugene Wai** as Head for the next five years.