April 11, 2016

The following programs participated in the Orthopaedic Foot & Ankle Fellowship Match sponsored by the American Orthopaedic Foot & Ankle Society (AOFAS) and administered by the San Francisco Resident Matching Program (SF Match). These programs have Orthopaedic Foot & Ankle Fellowship positions still available for the 2017-2018 program year.

Fellows in programs that participate in the SF Match are eligible for benefits offered by the AOFAS. These benefits are not available to fellows in programs not participating in the match.

To apply for any of these positions, please contact the program directly.

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**Allegheny General Hospital Foot and Ankle Fellowship, Allegheny Health Network**

1307 Federal St, 2nd floor
Pittsburgh PA 15212

Hospital / Facility: Allegheny General Hospital, West Penn Hospital

Program telephone: 412-359-4212
Program fax: 412-359-6265
Website: www.wpahs.org
Contact: Chris Pilarski
Contact’s e-mail: cpilarsk@wpahs.org
Contact’s phone: 412-359-4212
Program Director: James J. Sferra, MD
Department Chair: Patrick J. DeMeo, MD
Other faculty: Victor Prisk, MD; Anthony Watson, MD
Start date: Aug 1; End date: July 31

Slots available: 1
Stipend: $50,000; Benefits: Yes
ACGME accredited: No
Accepts international (non US/Canada) applicants as full fellows: No
International (non US/Canada) research/observer positions available outside of the match: No

Application Deadline: March 7, 2016

**Program Profile:** Long standing orthopaedic foot fellowship combining the best of academic and private practice settings. The fellowship is a high volume practice emphasizing the development of the fellows' surgical skills with didactic teaching and intensive hands-on surgical experience.

**Curriculum statement:** We will use the recommended AOFAS curriculum for foot and ankle procedures. There will be regularly scheduled F&A case reviews by fellows, grand rounds presentations, and journal club reviews. The fellow will be expected to submit at least one research project (any type) to a peer-reviewed Orthopaedic journal. It will be a comprehensive fellowship, as all aspects of adult (age 14 and older) foot and ankle pathology will be addressed.

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**Brown University Foot and Ankle Fellowship**

University Orthopedics, Inc., Dept of Orthopaedic Surgery, The Warren Alpert School of Medicine at Brown University, 100 Butler Dr
Providence RI 02906

Hospital / Facility: Rhode Island Hospital, Hasbro Children's Hospital, Miriam Hospital

Program telephone: 401-330-1477
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Program fax: 401-277-0799
Website: http://biomed.brown.edu/orthopaedics/fellowships/fellowships_footankle.php
Contact: Susan Ventura, Program Coordinator
Contact’s e-mail: sventura@universityorthopedics.com
Contact’s phone: 401-330-1477
Program Director: Brad D. Blankenhorn, MD
Department Chair: Michael Ehrlich, MD
Start date: Aug 1; End date: July 31
Slots available: 1
Stipend: Commensurate with PGY-6 level; Benefits: Yes
ACGME accredited: GMEC certified
Accepts international (non US/Canada) applicants as full fellows: No
International (non US/Canada) research/observer positions available outside of the match: Yes

Application Deadline: March 7, 2016

Program Profile: At Brown, the fellow will encounter a large breadth and volume of foot and ankle pathology, including traumatic and elective cases. Learning is conducted in a one on one fashion, but the fellow will also have a sufficient amount of autonomy and self directed learning.

Curriculum statement: The Brown fellowship programs strives to give the fellow a complete foot and ankle education through both clinical activities and didactic and interactive conferences. Rhode Island hospital is the only level I trauma center in the state of Rhode Island which allows for access to a wide range of traumatic and post-traumatic conditions. This combined with the private practice at University Orthopedics, Inc allows for a breadth of additional elective procedures. Weekly indications conferences combined with self directed and monitored case learning will enable discussion of the AOFAS recommended curriculum.

Hospital for Special Surgery
535 East 70th Street
New York NY 10021
Hospital / Facility: Hospital for Special Surgery
Program telephone: 212-606-1878
Program fax: 212-774-2724
Website: www.hss.edu
Contact: Carol Esquivel, Service Line Coordinator for the Foot & Ankle Service
Contact’s e-mail: academictraining@hss.edu
Contact’s phone: 212-606-1878
Program Director: David S. Levine, MD
Department Chair: Jonathan T. Deland, MD
Other faculty: Walther H. Bohne, MD; Jonathan T. Deland, MD; Constantine A. Demetracopoulos, MD; Mark C. Drakos, MD; Andrew Elliott, MD; Scott Ellis, MD; John G. Kennedy, MD; Martin J. O’Malley, MD; Matthew Roberts, MD
Start date: Aug 1; End date: July 31
Slots available: 1
Stipend: $79,076.74; Benefits: Yes
ACGME accredited: Yes
Accepts international (non US/Canada) applicants as full fellows: Yes
International (non US/Canada) research/observer positions available outside of the match: Yes

Application Deadline: December 1, 2015

Program Profile: Training is primarily focused on adult reconstructive surgery, but also includes sports-related injuries, pediatric foot and ankle surgery, and trauma. Our fellows actively participate in the care of local professional sports teams such as the New York Red Bulls Major League Soccer Team and the New Jersey Nets NBA team. Surgically, each Fellow participates in the services of all the physicians. Fellows gain a wide breadth of experience, graduating with a Fellowship.
Diploma from Hospital for Special Surgery. Research possibilities are extensive and include anatomy, biomechanics, and gait laboratories with Ph.D. support. If desired, numerous projects can be accomplished. One completed project is required.

**Curriculum statement:** Comprised of nine full-time, Orthopedic Surgeons and one non-operative Podiatrist, the Foot and Ankle Service at Hospital for Special Surgery is the largest of its kind in the United States. The Service employs a multidisciplinary approach to expertly treat the broad range of foot and ankle conditions that can occur at any stage of life, from non-operative conditions to the most complex acute traumatic injuries and chronic deformities. The Service performs over 2,400 surgeries each year, and is committed to an active basic and clinical research program that seeks to improve techniques for treating the often challenging disorders of the foot and ankle. We aim to equip our fellows with as much knowledge and hands-on experience over this wide array of foot and ankle conditions. Each year, the service trains three of America's top Orthopedic Fellows who, in addition to their clinical work and apprenticeship, are involved in multiple research projects. Each fellow is provided the opportunity and encouraged to present their research findings at National conferences to surgeons, therapists, and other allied health professionals. Clinically, the Foot & Ankle Service is organized into three ‘rotations’. The fellows rotate every two months and move through the cycle two times over their year-long exposure to all of the Attending Foot & Ankle surgeons. Working in a mentorship-style through the operating rooms, offices, research labs and community clinic, each Fellow gains a vast exposure to pathologic conditions involving the Foot & Ankle. Academically, the Service maintains a weekly conference of Fellow presented topics designed to cover the ‘core curriculum’ as suggested by the AOFTS Fellowship Curriculum Task Force. A monthly Journal Club, monthly Complex Case Conference and quarterly Morbidity and Mortality Conference consolidate the Fellow’s educational experience. The goal of the Fellowship is to provide highly motivated residency graduates with the clinical knowledge, education and research skills necessary for a successful career in academic orthopedics or private practice.

**Icahn School of Medicine at Mount Sinai**
5 E. 98th, Box 1188
New York NY 10029
Hospital / Facility: Mount Sinai Hospital
Program telephone: 212-241-1621
Program fax: 212-241-9429
Website: www.mountsinai.org/orthopaedics
Contact: Bridgette Hyde
Contact’s e-mail: bridgette.hyde@mountsinai.org
Contact’s phone: 212-241-1621
Program Director: Steven B. Weinfeld, MD
Department Chair: Michael R. Hausman, MD
Start date: Aug 1; End date: July 31
Slots available: 1
Stipend: $72,662 (approximate); Benefits: Yes
ACGME accredited: No
Accepts international (non US/Canada) applicants as full fellows: Yes
International (non US/Canada) research/observer positions available outside of the match: No
Application Deadline: March 7, 2016
**Program Profile:** The mission of the Mount Sinai Foot and Ankle fellowship is to educate the fellow in the diagnosis and management of post traumatic, degenerative, and metabolic disorders of the foot and ankle. This includes both nonsurgical and surgical management of degenerative and inflammatory arthritides, diabetic foot deformities, and congenital abnormalities.

**Las Vegas Orthopaedic Foot and Ankle Fellowship**
2800 E. Desert Inn, Ste 100
Las Vegas NV 89121
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Hospital / Facility: Institute of Orthopaedic Surgery (IOS)
Program telephone: 702-731-1616
Website: www.doclv.com
Contact: Leanna Fabean
Contact’s e-mail: lfabean@doclv.com
Contact’s phone: 702-697-7248 or 702-731-1616
Program Director: Troy S. Watson, MD
Program director e-mail: feetmd@me.com
Other faculty: Abdi Raissi, MD; James Granata, MD
Start date: Aug 1; End date: July 31
Slots available: 2
Stipend: $65,000; Benefits: Yes
ACGME accredited: No
Accepts international (non US/Canada) applicants as full fellows: No
International (non US/Canada) research/observer positions available outside of the match:

Application Deadline: March 7, 2016

Program Profile: The Las Vegas Orthopaedic Foot and Ankle Fellowship is a program that provides an exceptional opportunity to learn a broad spectrum of foot and ankle reconstruction. Fellows will be given the tools to run a successful private practice or join an established academic practice. A structured didactic program integrated with a very hands-on approach to patient care provides fellows with a well-balanced and comprehensive learning experience. Emphasis is in adult complex forefoot, hindfoot, and ankle reconstruction, sports related pathology and arthroscopy.

Curriculum statement: The Las Vegas Orthopaedic Foot and Ankle Fellowship will utilize the curriculum of recommended foot and ankle procedures and topics developed by the Fellowship Curriculum Task Force to provide a well-rounded experience during this one-year fellowship. Each fellow will log their surgical cases during the academic year and provide the fellowship director quarterly updates on the cases they have participated in during that time period. This list will be used and cross-referenced with the list of recommended procedures to ensure fellows receive adequate surgical exposure. There will be monthly didactic sessions where fellows meet with the attending staff and review topics on the recommended list as well as topics of interest that may not be on the recommended list. There will be assigned reading to prepare for these monthly sessions. Fellows will be expected to give a brief synopsis on the topic to be discussed as well as present a few cases to stimulate discussion.
Each fellow will be expected to read Foot & Ankle International each month. We will hold a quarterly journal club to discuss interesting articles. Additionally, articles from the Journal of Bone and Joint Surgery may be selected for journal club.
Fellows will be expected to complete a research project during their year that is publishable in a peer reviewed foot and ankle journal. Additionally, fellows are encouraged to write a review or technique article for publication.

Medical College of Wisconsin
Department of Orthopaedic Surgery, 9200 W Wisconsin Ave
Milwaukee WI 53226
Hospital / Facility: Medical College of Wisconsin; Froedtert Memorial Lutheran Hospital
Program telephone: 414-805-7433
Program fax: 414-805-7499
Website: www.mcw.edu/ortho
Contact: Tara Fikejs, Medical Education Coordinator
Contact’s e-mail: tfikejs@mcw.edu
Contact’s phone: 414-805-7433
Program Director: Richard M. Marks, MD
Program Director’s email: rmarks@mcw.edu
Department Chair: Jeffrey P. Schwab, MD
Other faculty: Brian Law, MD
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Start date: Aug 1; End date: July 31
Slots available: 1
Stipend: $66,690 (2016-2017); Benefits: Yes
ACGME accredited: No
Accepts international (non US/Canada) applicants as full fellows: Only with a full WI Medical License
International (non US/Canada) research/observer positions available outside of the match: Yes
Application Deadline: January 1, 2016

Program Profile: This one-year fellowship program offers a broad spectrum of orthopaedic foot and ankle disorders at a busy Level I academic trauma center. The curriculum provides a well-rounded experience of managing operative and non-operative care to orthopaedic foot and ankle patients. It is designed to cover all aspects of adult foot and ankle disorders, as well as those topics outlined in the AOFAS recommended foot and ankle curriculum. Fellows participate in preoperative, intraoperative and postoperative management of surgical patients as well as using advanced pedorthic, orthotic, and prosthetic techniques for non-surgical patients. Opportunities to perform basic science and clinical research are provided.

This fellowship requires successful completion of an approved residency in orthopaedic surgery and eligibility for a Wisconsin state medical license. This fellowship participates in the San Francisco match program.

Curriculum statement: This one-year fellowship program offers exposure to a broad spectrum of orthopaedic foot and ankle disorders at a busy Level I academic trauma center. The curriculum provides a well-rounded experience of managing operative and non-operative care to orthopaedic foot and ankle patients. It is designed to cover all aspects of adult foot and ankle disorders, as well as those topics outlined in the AOFAS recommended foot and ankle curriculum. Fellows participate in the reoperative, intra-operative and postoperative management of surgical patients as well as using advanced pedorthic, orthotic, and prosthetic techniques for non-surgical patients. Opportunities to perform basic science and clinical research are provided. Fellows are expected to attend regularly scheduled lectures, journal club, foot conferences, and anatomy dissection sessions as well as participate in relevant research projects in conjunction with the orthopaedic biomechanics laboratory and gait laboratory. As a clinical instructor, the fellow is also responsible for teaching medical students and residents, as well as lecturing at conferences and participating in journal clubs. By the end of the fellowship, completion of two papers of publishable quality is required. Successful completion of an approved residency in orthopaedic surgery and eligibility for a Wisconsin state medical license are prerequisites for this fellowship. This fellowship participates in the San Francisco match program.

New England Foot and Ankle Specialists
195 Fore River Parkway, Ste 210
Portland ME 04102
Hospital / Facility: Mercy Hospital
Program telephone: 207-553-6681
Program fax: 207-553-6682
Website: www.mercyhospital.org
Contact: Heather Ouellette, Office Manager
Contact’s e-mail: OuelletteH@emhs.org
Contact’s phone: 207-553-6015
Program Director: Gregory C. Pomeroy, MD
Department Chair: Samuel S. Scott, MD
Start date: Aug 1; End date: July 31
Slots available: 1
Stipend: $56,800 ($40,000 plus housing - $16,800); Benefits: Yes
ACGME accredited: No
Accepts international (non US/Canada) applicants as full fellows: No
International (non US/Canada) research/observer positions available outside of the match: No
Application Deadline: March 7, 2016
Program Profile: The New England Foot and Ankle Specialists fellowship provides in-depth training in a range of non-operative and operative care of traumatic, degenerative, sports, rheumatoid and diabetic foot and ankle problems. You'll manage patients along the continuum of care, participate in preparing and presenting lectures and produce at least two publishable research projects.

Curriculum statement: The fellowship is weighted heavily towards operative care of the midfoot, hindfoot and ankle. We serve as a tertiary center for treating trauma of the foot and ankle. We also have a large number of flatfeet and cavus feet. We do enough forefoot surgery so the fellow is exposed to those techniques as well. The criteria listed are well met by the end of the fellowship year.

The Orthopaedic Foot & Ankle Center
2922 Telestar Ct
Falls Church VA 22042
Hospital / Facility: Inova; Virginia Hospital Center
Program telephone: 703-584-2040
Program fax: 703-560-7218
Website: www.footankledc.com
Contact: John Mendicino
Contact’s e-mail: j mendicino@footankledc.com
Contact’s phone: 703-560-2040
Program Director: Steven K. Neufeld, MD
Co-director: Matthew M. Buchanan, MD
Other faculty: Daniel J. Cuttica, DO
Start date: Aug 1; End date: July 31
Slots available: 1
Stipend: $60,000; Benefits: Yes
ACGME accredited: No
Accepts international (non US/Canada) applicants as full fellows: No
International (non US/Canada) research/observer positions available outside of the match: No
Application Deadline: March 7, 2016
Program Profile: A unique opportunity for the motivated fellow, located in a high-volume, private orthopaedic foot and ankle practice. The fellow will be exposed to a wide range of foot and ankle surgery, including total ankle replacement, post-traumatic reconstruction, arthroscopy, hindfoot and forefoot reconstruction. Weekly didactic and xray conferences, orthopaedic surgery resident teaching, as well as research opportunities with full access to a biomechanics lab, and exposure to business aspect of medicine are available.

Curriculum statement: The Orthopaedic Foot & Ankle Center strongly believes in the importance of education in its fellowship. Education occurs through multiple modalities in order to ensure the fellowship exceeds the goals as outlined by the AOFAS.

Education and training will occur through firsthand experience and consist of 2-month rotations with each attending physician. Additionally, there will be exposure to physical therapy, coding, and brace/orthotic fabrication. While assigned to a particular attending’s service, the fellow will cover surgical cases and clinic. Exceptions can be made on a case-by-case basis, in order to facilitate a broad surgical experience. Preparation and discussion prior to cases are expected. The Fellow will be autonomous and run a fellow – foot and ankle service”.
Weekly didactic X-ray/indications conferences. The fellow will learn to critically evaluate radiographs of the foot and ankle, and also gain an understanding of surgical indications for foot and ankle conditions. There will be a journal club every other month, which will be a multidisciplinary conference involving community foot and ankle providers and will cover the latest articles relating to the particular subject matter.

The textbook “Surgery of the Foot & Ankle” by Coughlin and Mann will be covered throughout the year. Each week, the fellow and attending whose service they are on will discuss key concepts. The fellow is responsible for resident and student teaching, with 1 required lecture per month. Regular lectures will also allow the fellow to improve their lecture and public speaking skills.
Research throughout the fellowship year is expected. Biomechanical and clinical research opportunities are available. A minimum of 1 research project is required for publication in a peer-reviewed journal, and presentation at an AOFAS meeting.

University of Iowa Hospitals and Clinics/Dept. of Orthopaedics and Rehabilitation, Orthopaedic Foot and Ankle Fellowship

200 Hawkins Drive, JPP 01022, Dept of Orthopaedics and Rehabilitation
Iowa City IA 52242-1088
Hospital / Facility: University of Iowa Hospitals and Clinics, Dept. of Orthopaedics
Program telephone: 319-356-7160
Program fax: 319-353-6754
Website: www.uiortho.com/index.php/education/fellowship-information.html
Contact: Angie Poulsen, Fellowship Coordinator
Contact’s e-mail: angela-poulsen@uiowa.edu
Contact’s phone: 319-356-7160
Program Director: John E. Femino, MD
Department Chair: J. Lawrence Marsh, MD
Other faculty: Phinit Phisitkul, MD; Matthew Karam, MD; J. Lawrence Marsh, MD
Start date: Aug 1; End date: July 31
Slots available: 1
Stipend: $75,000; Benefits: Yes
ACGME accredited: No
Accepts international (non US/Canada) applicants as full fellows: No
International (non US/Canada) research/observer positions available outside of the match: No
Application Deadline: December 14, 2015

Program Profile: Under the direction of John E. Femino, M.D., Phinit Phisitkul, M.D., and with faculty including J. Lawrence Marsh, M.D., Matthew Karam, M.D. and Michael Willey, M.D., this fellowship offers an outstanding diversity of experience in all areas of adult and adolescent foot and ankle surgery including sports medicine, trauma, and reconstruction of the foot and ankle. We require applicants to be a graduate of a U.S. or Canadian medical school and orthopaedic surgery residency and obtain an Iowa medical license. For graduates from a Canadian medical school and a Canadian orthopaedic residency, an H1B Visa is preferred, which requires possession of a valid ECFMG certificate. All U.S. graduates and Canadian graduates with H1B status will be appointed as junior faculty with an academic title.

Curriculum statement: Under the direction of John E. Femino MD, Phinit Phisitkul MD, J. Lawrence Marsh, MD and Matthew Karam, MD, this fellowship offers an outstanding diversity of experience in all areas of adult and adolescent foot and ankle surgery including sports medicine, trauma, and reconstruction of the foot and ankle. The curriculum includes a 4 week rotation with the orthopaedic trauma service with a focus on foot and ankle trauma for the rotating fellow. The fellowship includes exposure to a wide variety of foot and ankle surgical techniques including:
- Advanced arthroscopic and endoscopic technique of the ankle and foot
- Total ankle arthroplasty, arthrodesis, and other treatments of ankle and foot degenerative joint problems
- Minimally invasive and open fracture reduction and fixation techniques
- Osteotomies of tibia, ankle, hindfoot and forefoot
- Deformity correction including joint sparing techniques and arthrodesis
- Limb salvage include the use of hybrid, circular and spatial frame constructs for deformity correction
- Current approaches for diabetic limb salvage, including Charcot reconstruction and amputation techniques

Participation in all customary academic activities of the department and completion of at least one publishable research project are expected, with multiple foot and ankle specific research opportunities available. Expertise for IRB processing and grant writing is readily available. Excellent research facilities and staff, with interaction with residents and faculty, and minimal night or weekend call expectation for the foot and ankle fellow allows for a focused approach to the year.
University of Pennsylvania Health System / Pennsylvania Orthopaedic Foot & Ankle Surgeons
230 West Washington Square, 5th floor
Philadelphia PA 19106
Hospital / Facility: Pennsylvania Hospital
Program telephone: 215-829-5186
Program fax: 215-829-5002
Contact: Marianne K. Ostrow, RN,MSN,ONC, Fellowship Coordinator
Contact’s e-mail: ostrowm@pahosp.com
Contact’s phone: 215-829-5186
Program Director: Daniel C. Farber, MD
Program director e-mail: daniel.farber@uphs.upenn.edu
Department Chair: L.Scott Levin, MD
Other faculty: Wen Chao, MD; Keith L. Wapner, MD; Kathryn M. O’Connor, MD; L. Scott Levin, MD
Start date: Aug 1; End date: July 31
Slots available: 2
Stipend: $65,166; Benefits: Yes
ACGME accredited: No
Accepts international (non US/Canada) applicants as full fellows: No
International (non US/Canada) research/observer positions available outside of the match: Yes

Application Deadline: March 7, 2016

Program Profile: Approximately 450 outpatient visits and 35 operative procedures are performed weekly at the hospital. Weekly didactic teaching conferences and case reviews are conducted. The fellowship covers adult reconstructive surgery and includes management of posttraumatic disorders, rheumatoid disorders, acquired adult disorders of the foot and ankle, sports medicine, and diabetic and neuropathic disorders of the foot and ankle. The majority of the research done in this program is clinically-based.

Curriculum statement: Through a comprehensive didactic curriculum, journal clubs, cadaver labs and hands on clinic and surgical experiences, we strive to cover all aspects of the AOFAS Foot and Ankle fellowship curriculum. Utilizing four experienced foot and ankle surgeons, all elements of adult orthopaedic foot and ankle care are addressed as well as some pediatric and adolescent care. Surgical procedures not routinely performed by staff are discussed at conference so fellows learn the entire range of procedure options for foot and ankle disorders.

University of Tennessee-Campbell Clinic Dept. of Orthopaedic Surgery
1458 W. Poplar Ave., Suite 100
Collierville TN 38017
Hospital / Facility: The Campbell Clinic; Baptist Memorial Hospital; LeBonheur Children’s Medical Center; Methodist Hospitals; Regional Medical Center; Veterans Administration Medical Center
Program telephone: 901-759-5509
Program fax: 901-759-5571
Website: www.uthsc.edu/ortho/foot&anklefellowship.htm
Contact: LaToya Ford
Contact’s e-mail: lford@campbellclinic.com
Contact’s phone: 901-759-5509
Program Director: Susan N. Ishikawa, MD
Department Chair: James H. Beaty, MD
Other faculty: G. Andrew Murphy, MD; David R. Richardson, MD; Benjamin J. Grear, MD; Clayton C. Bettin, MD
Start date: Aug 1; End date: July 31
Slots available: 2
Stipend: PGY-6; Benefits: Yes
ACGME accredited: No
Accepts international (non US/Canada) applicants as full fellows: Yes
International (non US/Canada) research/observer positions available outside of the match: Yes
Application Deadline: December 1, 2015

Program Profile: The University of Tennessee-Campbell Clinic Foot and Ankle Fellowship is a 12-month fellowship during which five days a week are spent with the 5 foot and ankle staff members in an office practice nearly exclusively weighted toward foot and ankle problems with excellent exposure to acute and reconstructive surgery of the foot and ankle, as well as a broad exposure to clinical non-surgical problems. The fellowship is focused on education, with ample time for reading, research, and conferences and no mandatory night call.

Curriculum statement: The Foot & Ankle Fellows at the University of Tennessee/Campbell Clinic will have the opportunity to work with the 5 foot & ankle staff, and will have full exposure to the elective procedures on the AOFAS website of Recommended Foot & Ankle Curriculum Procedures. In addition, fellows are encouraged to participate in cases at Regional One Health, the Level I Trauma Center in the Tri-state area (TN, MS, AR) that is a part of our residency program. Previous fellows’ case logs have demonstrated the full breadth of cases with which the fellows are involved. The fellows are encouraged to develop a reading program, with guidance from Foot & Ankle Staff, to cover the Recommended Foot & Ankle Curriculum Topics listed on the AOFAS website. Discussions on these topics are periodically held between the fellows and staff. There is sufficient time for reading to cover these topics, as there is no week night or weekend call obligations.

Fellows periodically make presentations to staff & residents rotating on the Foot and Ankle Service, at our weekly Foot & Ankle meetings, discussing updates on various Foot & Ankle topics. This provides another opportunity for further reading to enhance foot & ankle knowledge. At these meetings, we also discuss difficult cases from our clinics, and those cases sent in from former fellows and colleagues for advice on treatment options. These various aspects of our weekly meetings provide a forum for further discussion on various topics.

We have occasional journal clubs that include orthopaedic foot and ankle surgeons besides those at the Campbell Clinic. We discuss the latest articles of the fellows’ choosing, further contributing to the fellows’ education.

Fellows are able to take advantage of various educational meetings as another means of covering curriculum topics.

As a result of these opportunities, we believe that our fellows are equipped with a well-rounded and thorough understanding of the care of patients with foot & ankle conditions.

University of Texas Medical School at Houston - Foot & Ankle Fellowship
6400 Fannin, Suite 1700
Houston TX 77030
Hospital / Facility: Univ. of TX Medical School at Houston; Memorial Hermann Hospital; Texas Orthopedic Hospital; The Methodist Hospital; Memorial Hermann Houston Orthopedic & Spine Hospital; St. Luke's Episcopal Hospital; Methodist Willowbrook Hospital; Rice University
Program telephone: 713-486-6844
Program fax: 713-512-7235
Website: www.uth.tmc.edu/ortho
Contact: Michele Byrne, Fellowship Coordinator
Contact’s e-mail: Rexah.M.Byrne@uth.tmc.edu
Contact’s phone: 713-799-2429 or 281-633-1796
Contact’s fax: 713-790-0505
Program Director: William C. McGarvey, MD
Department Chair: Walter Lowe, MD
Other faculty: Michael Greaser, MD; Richard Beaver, MD; Jay C. Oates, MD; Travis W. Hanson, MD; Oladapo Alade, MD; David M. Bloome, MD
Start date: Aug 1; End date: July 31
Slots available: 1
Stipend: $59,187; Benefits: Yes
ACGME accredited: No
Accepts international (non US/Canada) applicants as full fellows: No
International (non US/Canada) research/observer positions available outside of the match: No

Application Deadline: March 7, 2016

Program Profile: The University of Texas Medical School at Houston foot and ankle fellowship program has been training exceptional orthopaedic surgeons for over twenty years in the Texas Medical Center. We have three faculty members all of whom have been fellowship trained in the subspecialty of foot and ankle surgery. This fellowship program offers a comprehensive learning experience that includes exposure to sports injuries and trauma, all types of forefoot and hindfoot reconstruction, total ankle replacement, as well as ample clinical and research time.

Curriculum statement: This program provides sufficiently advanced education to allow the fellow to acquire special expertise in foot and ankle orthopaedics and meets the AOFAS recommended foot and ankle curriculum. This education consists of academic and technical components. The academic component emphasizes a scholarly approach to clinical problem-solving, self-directed study, teaching, development of analytic skills and surgical judgment, and research. The technical component ensures the ability of the fellow to perform skillfully the procedures required for practice of foot and ankle orthopaedics as outlined in the AOFAS approved Fellowship Curriculum.

Vancouver Adult Foot and Ankle Reconstruction Fellowship
1081 Burrard St., Room B339A
Vancouver BC V6Z 1Y6 Canada
Hospital / Facility: St. Paul's Hospital
Program telephone: 604-806-9049
Program fax: 604-806-9965
Website: www.sphortho.com
Contact: Donna Becker, Fellowship Coordinator
Contact’s e-mail: orthoadmin@providencehealth.bc.ca
Contact’s phone: 604-906-9049
Program Director: Kevin Wing, MD
Program director e-mail: kwing@vbjc.ca
Co-director: Murray Penner, MD
Department Chair: Murray Penner, MD
Other faculty: Alastair Younger, MD; Andie Veljkovic, MD
Start date: Aug 1; End date: July 31
Slots available: 1
Stipend: $50,000 CAD; Benefits: Yes
ACGME accredited: No
Accepts international (non US/Canada) applicants as full fellows: No
International (non US/Canada) research/observer positions available outside of the match: Yes

Application Deadline: January 30, 2016

Program Profile: Experience all aspects of foot and ankle care while working with four orthopaedic foot and ankle surgeons in beautiful Vancouver, British Columbia. This program provides high-level experience in total ankle replacement and ankle arthroscopy techniques, as well as, clinical research opportunities in ankle arthritis outcomes.

Curriculum statement: The American Orthopaedic Foot & Ankle Society sponsored Fellowship Match offers a 12 month comprehensive orthopaedic foot & ankle curriculum and procedures. Training is preceptor-based, under the supervision of 4 fellowship-trained orthopaedic foot & ankle surgeons (Dr. M. Penner, Dr. A, Veljkovic, Dr. K. Wing, Dr. A. Younger). The fellowship is located at St. Paul’s Hospital in downtown Vancouver, BC. This site serves as the tertiary care centre for all complex adult foot and ankle problems for the province of British Columbia (pop. 4.5 million). This fellowship provides extensive exposure (up to 1000 cases/yr) to all aspects of adult foot & ankle surgery (Ankle Replacement, basic & complex fusions and osteotomies, forefoot reconstruction, diabetic foot problems, sports medicine, acute fractures, and post-traumatic, flatfoot, congenital, and neurological deformities). Fellows are also expected to participate in the Foot & Ankle Screening & Triage (FAST) Clinic, the Foot & Ankle
Consultation Clinic, the preceptors' private offices, and in the F&A Research Office. This program is a major contributor to the ongoing multi-center Canadian Orthopaedic Foot & Ankle Society ankle arthritis outcome study. One major research presentation and publication is expected. Participation in resident and medical student teaching, and in weekly foot & ankle rounds is required. This is a fully funded, full-time position. Applicants must have successfully completed an approved residency in orthopedic surgery and be eligible for an educational medical license in British Columbia.