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Academic Background:

- University of San Diego – Bachelor of Arts Chemistry, 1987-1991
- Rosalind Franklin University of Health Sciences – Doctorate of Podiatric Medicine, 1992-1996
- Whittier Hospital Medical Center – Surgical Residency 1999-2001

Diplomate, American Board of Foot and Ankle Surgeons, 2002
Fellow American College of Foot and Ankle Surgeons, 2002

ACFAS Leadership Experience:

- Research Committee, 2003-2005
- Credentials and Privileging Advisory Task Force, 2012-current
- Division Presidents Council, Division 4 President, 2011-2016
- Board Nominating Committee, 2013-2015
- Health Policy Committee, 2014-2016
- Practice Management Committee, 2016- current

Professional Experience:

- Board of Directors, Association of Extremity Nerve Surgeons, 2016-current
- Chair Podiatry Section Dept. of Orthopedics, Lutheran Medical Center, 2008-2012, 2017
- Board of Directors, Colorado Podiatric Medical Association, 2000-2009
- President, Colorado Podiatric Medical Association, 2006-2008
- Residency Attending, Northern Colorado Podiatric Surgical Residency, 2000-current
- Case Reviewer, Center for Personalized Education for Physicians, 2013-current

Current Position: Partner, Table Mountain Foot & Ankle, Wheat Ridge, Colorado

Position Statement:

As a proud Fellow of the American College of Foot and Ankle Surgeons I would be honored to serve on the Board of Directors. Through my committee service and other roles with the College I believe I can be asset to the Board. We must continue to highlight ACFAS as the leaders in foot and ankle surgery. Both the College and Foot and Ankle surgery has grown tremendously throughout my 21 years of practice and this should be celebrated.

We have less restrictions regarding scope of practice issues since I began practice. This has been accomplished through many hard fought regulatory and legislative victories. ACFAS has truly led the way. I have served for many years on the ACFAS Credentialing and Privileging Task Force and unfortunately I have witnessed continued resistance from hospitals and their affiliations regarding credentialing and scope of practice despite our past success. We must continue to assist our members with our expertise so members are not limited. I think collaboration with our colleagues in other disciplines is the key to our continued success. We

must be at the table at every opportunity with our orthopedic colleagues. Alliances with other surgical professions is the pathway to continued progress.

Our members recognize that we excel at providing excellent educational programs. Serving on the Practice Management Committee since 2016 has allowed me to gain both experience and perspective on how our members practice. I believe we could expand the practice management components of our programming. Our members manage their practices in remarkably diverse ways, expanding our members expertise and knowledge in practice management is an important service to our members.

In order to collaborate with other professions, convince hospitals and legislators of our value and improve our educational programs we must have a strong foundation, and I believe that is through research. It is vital to the College and the profession. ACFAS members have led the way and the data behind what we do, day to day, continues to grow. In the digital age, ACFAS must capitalize on the good work being done by our members. Collecting and sharing data among ACFAS members can only lead to more success for all of us.

In conclusion, 2020 has been a difficult year for all of us. ACFAS members have had a dramatic reduction in surgical cases and this may have negative consequences for our future Fellows. COVID-19 may have an impact on how we gather for conferences and educational activities for some time. However, I remain optimistic that with proper dedicated and enthusiastic leadership ACFAS will arrive at the end of this dark tunnel in a stronger position. Having served as Division 4 President for 5 years I see this an opportunity for more grass roots growth of ACFAS. Less travel will encourage more local involvement and smaller, more intense discussions. In addition, the digital advantages available today can help us expand our strong educational programs abroad. I am looking forward to the opportunity and privilege to serve the ACFAS.