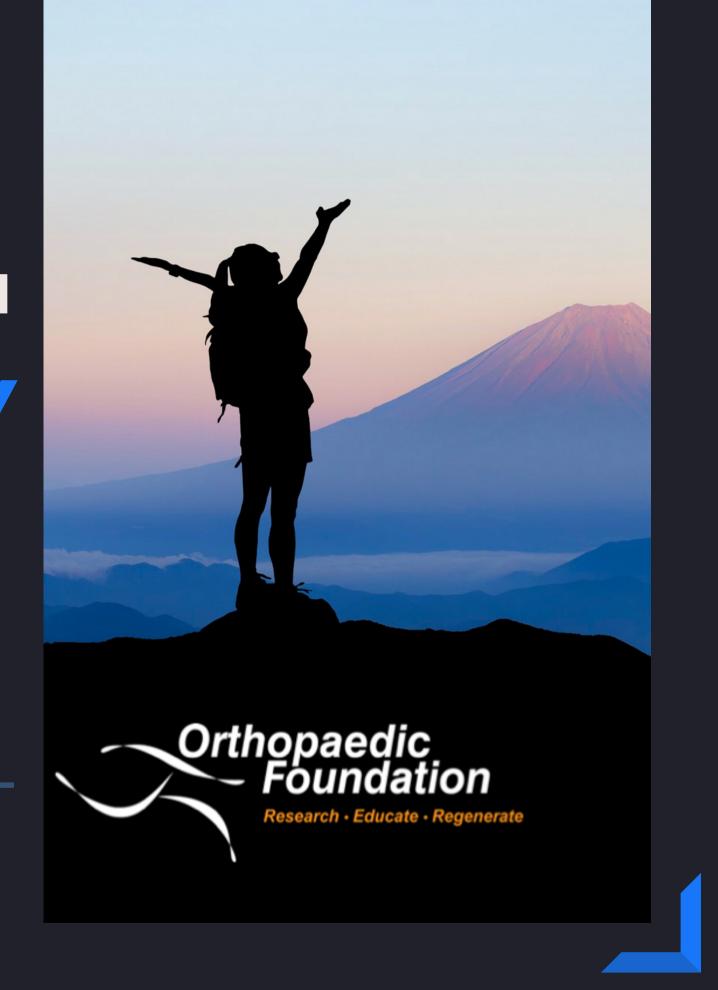
# ORTHOPAEDIC FOUNDATION 16TH ANNIVERSARY

November 17, 2020

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#### A VIRTUAL CELEBRATION

Celebrating the Contributions of our Community and our Advancements in Research and Education



## Orthopaedic Foundation

**Who We Are** 

a 501(c)(3) not-for-profit organization that improves quality of life through cutting edge research and education for the prevention and treatment of musculoskeletal diseases, with a focus on orthopaedic and sports injuries.





## What We Do

#### MEDICAL RESEARCH

Minimally invasive surgical techniques and advancements in the treatment of injuries and musculoskeletal diseases, such as arthritis, with special emphasis on knee and shoulder issues.

#### MEDICAL EDUCATION

Academically-sound and clinically-relevant updates on new technologies in the treatment of arthritis, orthopaedic injuries and musculoskeletal diseases.

#### **COMMUNITY OUTREACH**

Introducing students to a practical and hands-on approach to science and medicine through our Doctor for a Day Program, Sports Injury Prevention and Joint Rejuvenation Seminars,

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Janine D. Bahar

Executive Director

Orthopaedic Foundation

#### A Message from our Executive Director

This has certainly been an unprecedented year for all of us. The Orthopaedic Foundation used the lockdown period to increase our research production while in person events were put on hold. We sent out weekly newsletters to our network promoting ways to stay active and healthy at home.

This year we will be celebrating our 16th Anniversary Gala virtually. We will be saluting our amazing honorees over the past decade who have been instrumental in our growth as an organization. Your support of the Orthopaedic Foundation helps us produce a unique program called Doctor for a Day. Our flagship program now in its 16th year, empowers students in grades 8 - 12 to learn how to work together to rebuild broken bones in an OR simulation experience, exposing these young minds to the field of medicine. This program provides opportunities for children of diverse backgrounds to develop a lifelong love of education and self- learning.

We recently held our first socially distanced Doctor for a Day program at the end of October with a small group of 8 students who are part of the EMT's at post 53 in Darien, CT. One of the attendees named Ryan G sent us the following note after their Doctor for a Day Program: "Thank you so much for giving my friends and I the opportunity to participate in Dr for a Day. It definitely made a massive impact on our ambitions and motivations to succeed in school and hopefully become doctors ourselves one day."

I would like to thank our Founder Dr. Plancher, our Acting Chairman Ken Wisdom, and our entire Board of Directors (a special shout out goes out to new Board member David Jansen), and our team at the Foundation: Ryan Corrigan, Dr. Stephanie Petterson, Karen Briggs, Crystal Hallisey, Michael Berg, Christopher Rish, Patrick Prophete, and Tommy Di Carlo.

We wish you all a healthy and safe holiday season and thank you for supporting our mission to advance and produce research in the field of sports medicine, orthopaedics, musculoskeletal diseases and arthritis.

#### A Message from our Director of Research

Welcome to the Orthopaedic Foundation's 16th Anniversary Virtual Gala.

Thank you for your generous support which has allowed the Orthopaedic Foundation to continue its cutting edge research and develop new avenues to reshape the delivery of orthopaedic education during these extraordinary times.

Our work has been highlighted this year in premier orthopaedic journals including Arthroscopy: The Journal of Arthroscopic & Related Surgery; Clinical Orthopaedics and Related Research; Journal of Arthroplasty; Journal of Bone and Joint Surgery: Case Connector; Orthopaedic Journal of Sports Medicine; Arthroscopy, Sports Medicine and Rehabilitation; and Techniques in Hand and Upper Extremity Surgery.

We are involved in several multicenter randomized controlled clinical trials for cutting edge advancements in the treatment of knee cartilage defects.

Your generous support continues to pave the way for us to be the leading voice in orthopaedic and sports medicine-related research to improve quality of life and allowing YOU to Stay in the Game... for Life!

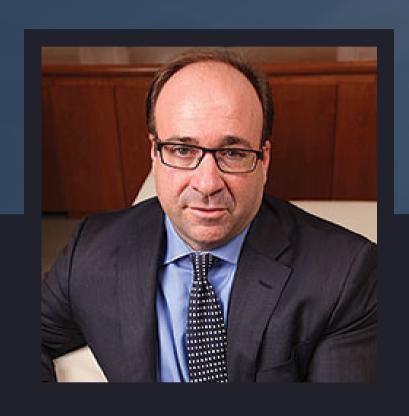
Wishing you and your families a happy and healthy holiday season!

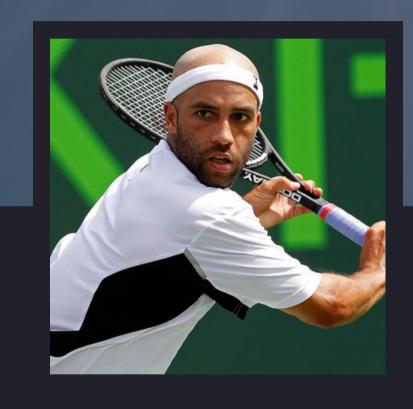


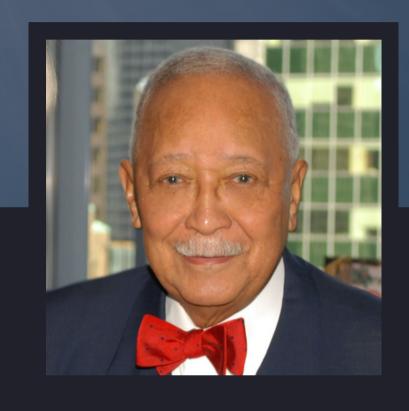
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Director of Research

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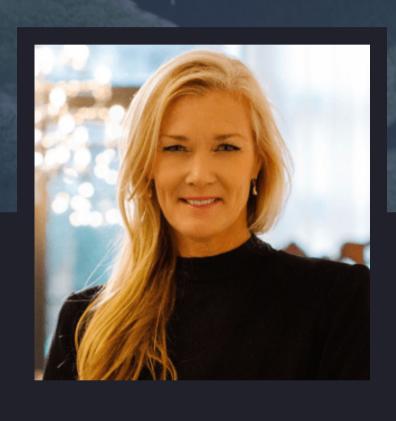
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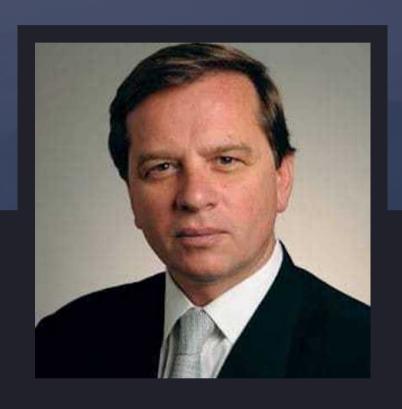
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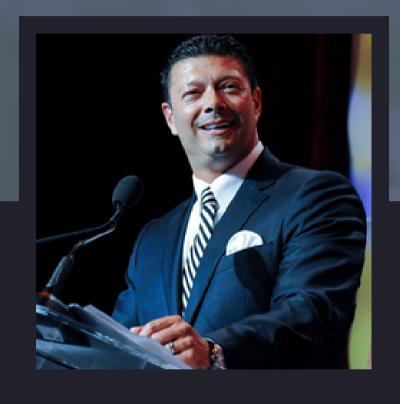


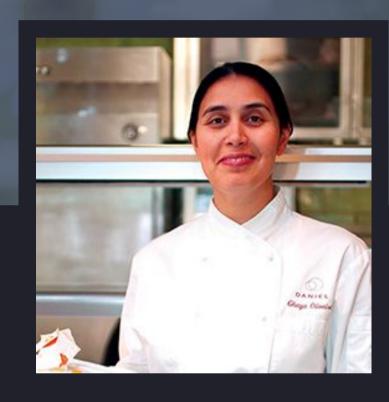
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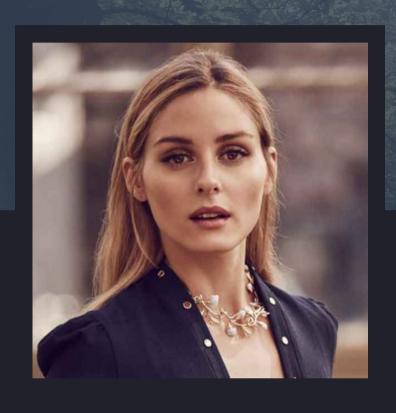
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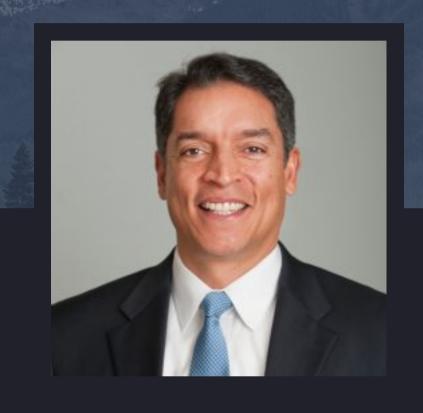
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## Doctor for a Day Program





We bring students into our Bioskills Lab and teach them how to use actual surgical instruments to mend broken bones in realistic but synthetic forearms

#### UNIQUE LEARNING EXPERIENCE

Hands-on interactive scientific approach to medicine with real doctors and surgeons.

#### MEDICAL & SURGICAL CONCEPTS

Provides an understanding of surgical techniques, while encouraging students to consider a career in the health and science fields.

#### INSPIRE AND EMPOWER OUR YOUTH

Scientific education that some students might not normally be able to receive is now available to themselves and their teachers.



## THANK YOU!

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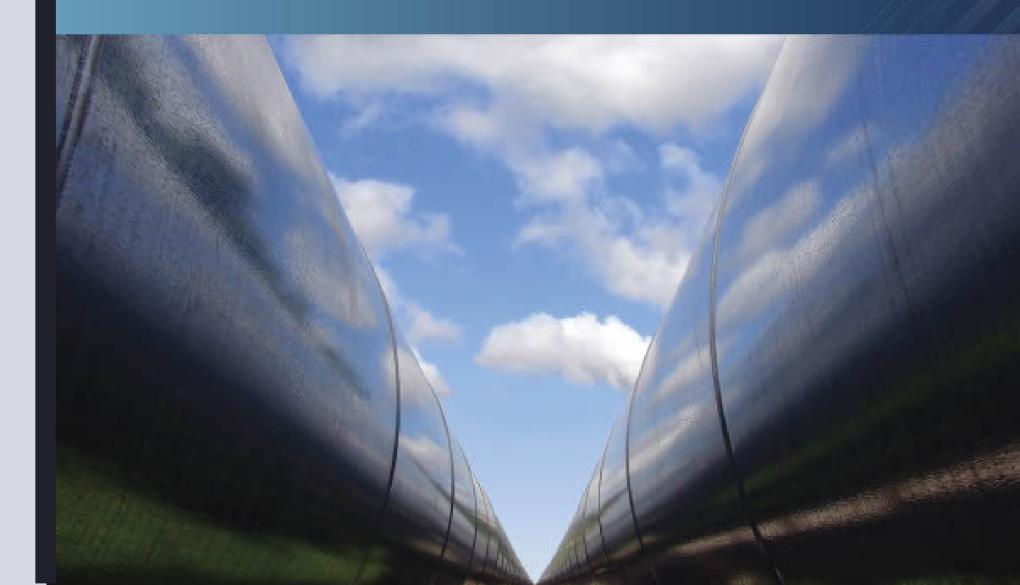




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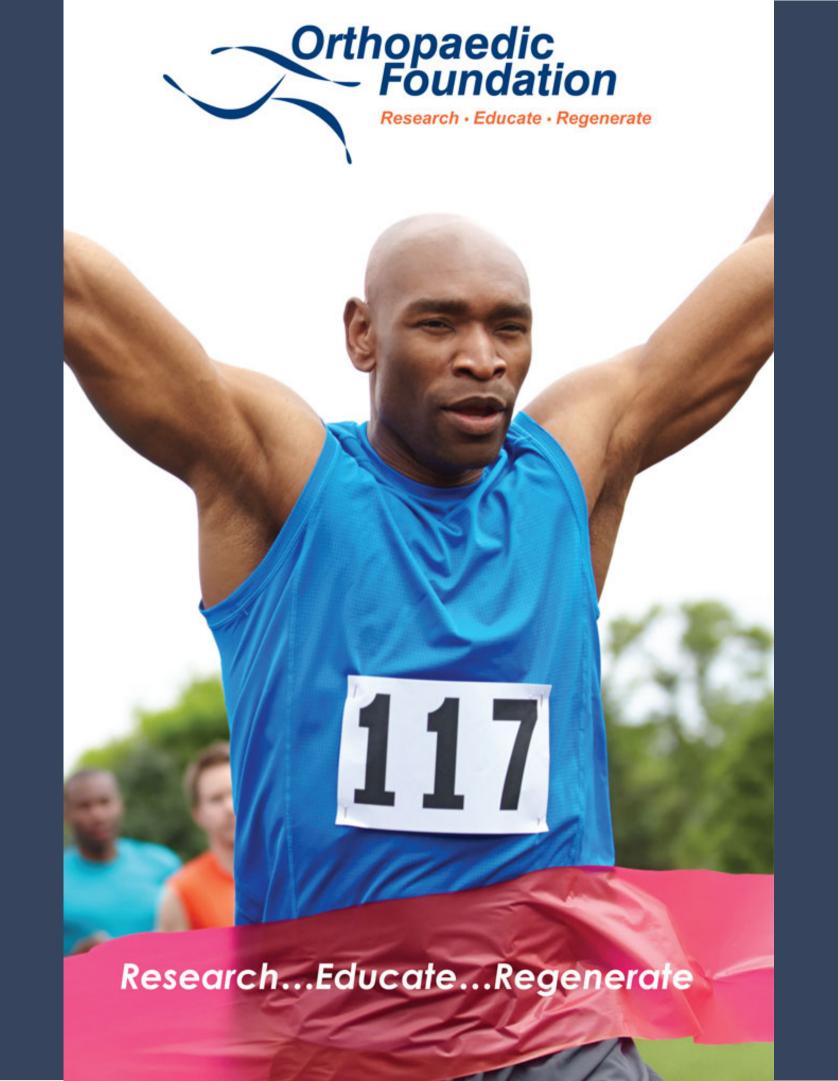




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# Congratulations and thanks to the Orthopaedic Foundation for keeping us whole, healthy and active.

JOHN & PEGGY BADER

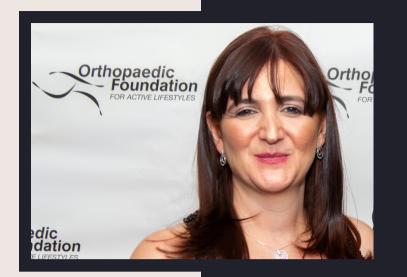
## Congratulations to this year's honorees!

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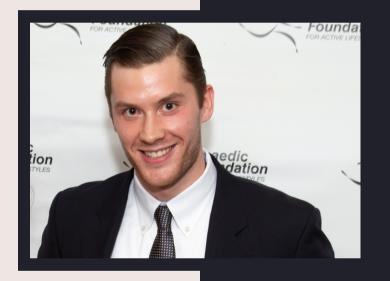


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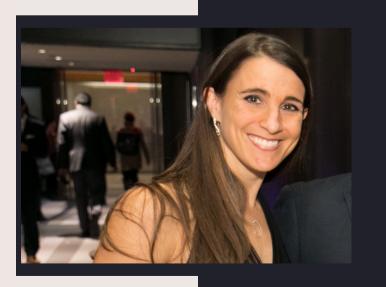


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