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**EDUCATION**

University of Notre Dame 2004  
Notre Dame, IN  
BS, Biology

Keck School of Medicine, University of Southern California 2008  
Los Angeles, CA  
MD

**Internship**

Northwestern University Feinberg School of Medicine 2008-2009  
Chicago, IL  
Internship in General Surgery  
Nathaniel J. Soper, MD, Chairman

**Residency**

Northwestern University Feinberg School of Medicine 2009 – 2013  
Chicago, IL  
Residency in Orthopaedic Surgery  
Terrance Peabody, MD, Chairman

**Fellowship**

University of Washington School of Medicine 2013-2014  
Harborview Medical Center  
Seattle, WA  
Foot and Ankle Fellowship  
Bruce J. Sangeorzan, Fellowship Director

**Licensure**

State of Washington Medical License 2012-2015  
State of California Medical License 2014-present

**Board Certification**

American Board of Orthopaedic Surgeons Board Certified 2016

## **Professional Experience**

Assistant Professor, Foot and Ankle Surgery 9/1/2014  
UCLA Department of Orthopaedic Surgery  
Los Angeles, CA

Acting Clinical Educator/Foot and Ankle Fellow 8/1/2013-  
Harborview Medical Center 7/31/2014  
Department of Orthopaedic Surgery  
Seattle, WA

## **Academic Appointments**

Assistant Professor, Foot and Ankle Surgery 9/2014-present  
UCLA Department of Orthopaedic Surgery

## **Hospital Appointments**

Attending Surgeon: UCLA Ronald Reagan Hospital, September 2014-present

Attending Surgeon: UCLA Santa Monica Orthopaedic Hospital, September 2014-present

## **Memberships**

American Orthopaedic Foot and Ankle Society, 2012-present  
Candidate member  
American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgeons Member 2009-present  
Ruth Jackson Orthopaedic Society Member 2011-present

## **Committees**

UCLA Surgical Chairs Committee on Diversity 2014- Present  
UCLA Department of Orthopaedics Clinic Committee 2014-Present

## **National Committees**

AOFAS Young Physicians Committee 2014-Present  
AAOS Foot & Ankle Evaluation Committee 2015- Present

## **Community Service**

Junior League of Los Angeles  
Violence Intervention Program Mentor

## **Research Activities**

Incidence of Deep Venous Thrombosis after elective Hindfoot Surgery  
Total Ankle Arthroplasty Outcomes  
Total Ankle Arthroplasty Implant Retrieval Analysis  
Analysis of the Kinematics of the Tibiotalar Joint with and without Ankle Arthroplasty

## **Publications**

### **Peer Reviewed Research Papers**

#### **Published**

1. Ramirez RN, **Williams JR**, Wren TAL, Ibrahim DA, Weiss JM, Kay RM, Skaggs DL, Lightdale-Miric N, Ryan DD. A line drawn along the radial shaft misses the capitellum in 16% of radiographs of normal elbows. *JPO* April 29 2014.
2. **Williams JR**, Wegner N, Sangeorzan BJ, Hansen ST, Brage ME. Intraoperative Challenges and Perioperative Complications During INBONE II Revision Arthroplasty for Salvage of a Failed Agility Total Ankle Arthroplasty *FAI* October 6 2014
3. **Williams JR**, Schafer MF. HIPAA and its Effect on Graduate Medical Education: A Literature Review. *JBJS Am* 2014; 96(2).
4. **Williams JR**, Little MTM, Kramer P, Benirschke SK. The Incidence of Preoperative Deep Vein Thrombosis in Isolated Calcaneal Fractures. *JOT* Feb 2016
5. **Williams JR**, Brage ME. Large Intra-articular Allograft. *Foot & Ankle Clinics of North America* Dec 2016; (21)4: 847-854.

#### **Submitted**

1. **Williams, JR**, Travers, C, Stulberg SD. The Socioeconomic Impact on Patient Based Outcomes and Satisfaction after Total Hip and Knee Arthroplasty
2. **Williams JR**, Lynch, JL, Kodros, SA, Kelikian AS. A Retrospective Comparison of Total Ankle Arthroplasty versus Arthroscopically Assisted Ankle Fusion for End Stage Ankle Arthritis.
3. **Williams JR**, Haloman S, Brage ME. The Effect of Preoperative Opioid Use on Total Ankle Arthroplasty Outcomes.
4. . Ramadorai U, **Williams JR**, Sangeorzan BJ. Treatment of Atraumatic Subtalar Dislocation in Adult Acquired Flatfoot Deformity

## **Non-Peer Research Papers**

### **Book Chapters**

1. **Williams, JR**, Bridgeforth, GM, Carroll IV, C. Distal Radial and Ulnar Fractures. Chapter in Lippincott's Primary Care Musculoskeletal Radiology.
2. **Williams, JR**, Bridgeforth, GM, Carroll IV, C. Forearm Fractures. Chapter in Lippincott's Primary Care Musculoskeletal Radiology.
3. **Williams JR**, Edwards SE, Nuber G. Inferior Capsular Shift. Chapter in Video Atlas of Shoulder Surgery. McCann, Peter Jaypee Brothers Medical Publishers LTD March 2013.
4. **Williams JR**, Brage ME, Reese KA. Total Ankle Shell Allograft Reconstruction. *Operative Techniques in Foot and Ankle Surgery*. Philadelphia, PA. Lippincott Williams & Wilkins, 2014

### **CHAPTERS (IN PRESS)**

## **Books**

## **Editorials**

## **Reviews**

1. Schroeder GD, Lynch TS, Patel RM, **Williams JR**, Weatherford BM, Sarwark JF: Current Concepts in the Management of Juvenile Osteochondritis Dissecans of the Knee. *Orthopaedic Knowledge Online Journal* 2013;11(3):  
[http://orthoportal.org/oko/article.aspx?article=OKO\\_PED045](http://orthoportal.org/oko/article.aspx?article=OKO_PED045)
2. **Williams JR**. Achilles Tendinosis. AOFAS Physician Resource Center 2014
3. **Williams JR**. Dorsiflexion First Metatarsal Osteotomy. FootCare MD 2015
4. **Williams JR**. Jones Fracture FootCare MD 2016

## **Published Abstracts**

1. **Williams JR**, Travers C, Stulberg SD. The Socioeconomic Impact on Patient Based Outcomes and Satisfaction after Total Hip and Knee Arthroplasty. Transactions of the International Society for Technology in Arthroplasty. September 2011. (Accepted for podium presentation)
2. **Williams JR**, Lynch, JL, Kodros, SA, Kelikian AS. A Retrospective Comparison of Total Ankle Arthroplasty versus Arthroscopically Assisted Ankle Fusion for End Stage Ankle Arthritis. Transactions of the American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgeons, American Orthopaedic Foot and Ankle Society Specialty Day. February 2012 (Accepted for podium presentation).
3. **Williams JR**, Lynch, JL, Kodros, SA, Kelikian AS. A Retrospective Comparison of Total Ankle Arthroplasty versus Arthroscopically Assisted Ankle Fusion for End Stage Ankle Arthritis. Transactions of the American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgeons Annual Meeting. February 2012 (Accepted for poster presentation).
4. **Williams JR**, Lynch, JL, Kodros, SA, Kelikian AS. A Retrospective Comparison of Total Ankle Arthroplasty versus Arthroscopically Assisted Ankle Fusion for End Stage Ankle Arthritis. Transactions of the Mid-American Orthopaedic Society Meeting. April 2013 (Accepted for podium presentation).
5. **Williams JR**, Little MT, Kramer PA, Benirschke SK. The Incidence of Preoperative Deep Vein Thrombosis in Isolated Calcaneal Fractures. Transactions of the American Orthopaedic Foot and Ankle Society Annual Meeting Long Beach, CA July 15-18, 2015. (eposter presentation).
6. Ramadorai U, **Williams JR**, Sangeorzan BJ. Treatment of Atraumatic Subtalar Dislocation in Adult Acquired Flatfoot Deformity. Transaction of the Society of Military Orthopaedic Surgeons Annual Meeting St Petersburg, FL December 6-9, 2015. (podium presentation)
7. Ramadorai U, **Williams JR**, Sangeorzan BJ. Treatment of Atraumatic Subtalar Dislocation in Adult Acquired Flatfoot Deformity. Transaction of the American Orthopaedic Foot and Ankle Society Annual Meeting Toronto, ON July 2016 (eposter presentation).

## **Presentations**

### **International**

**Williams JR**, Travers C, Stulberg SD. The Socioeconomic Impact on Patient Based Outcomes and Satisfaction after Total Hip and Knee Arthroplasty. Transactions of the International Society for Technology in Arthroplasty. Brugge, Belgium September 2011. (Accepted for podium presentation)

**Williams JR.** Talus Osteochondral Defects. Scientific Seminar on Surgery of the Lower Extremity. Hanoi, Vietnam June 11, 2016

**Williams JR.** Lisfranc Injuries. Scientific Seminar on Surgery of the Lower Extremity. Hanoi, Vietnam. June 11, 2016.

## **National**

**Williams JR,** Lynch, JL, Kodros, SA, Kelikian AS. A Retrospective Comparison of Total Ankle Arthroplasty versus Arthroscopically Assisted Ankle Fusion for End Stage Ankle Arthritis. Transactions of the American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgeons, American Orthopaedic Foot and Ankle Society Specialty Day. San Francisco, CA February 2012 (Accepted for podium presentation).

**Williams JR,** Lynch, JL, Kodros, SA, Kelikian AS. A Retrospective Comparison of Total Ankle Arthroplasty versus Arthroscopically Assisted Ankle Fusion for End Stage Ankle Arthritis. Transactions of the American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgeons Annual Meeting. San Francisco, CA February 2012 (Accepted for poster presentation).

**Williams JR,** Little MT, Kramer PA, Benirschke SK. The Incidence of Preoperative Deep Vein Thrombosis in Isolated Calcaneal Fractures. Transactions of the American Orthopaedic Foot and Ankle Society Meeting. Long Beach, CA July 2015 (accepted for eposter presentation)

**Williams JR,** Little MT, Kramer PA, Benirschke SK. The Incidence of Preoperative Deep Vein Thrombosis in Isolated Calcaneal Fractures. Transactions of the Orthopaedic Trauma Association Meeting. San Diego, CA October 2015 (accepted for poster presentation)

**Williams JR** Passing the Written Boards. American Orthopaedic Foot and Ankle Society Meeting Young Physician Forum. Long Beach, CA July 2015 (podium presentation)

Ramadorai U, **Williams JR,** Sangeorzan BJ. Treatment of Nontraumatic Subtalar Dislocations in Adult Acquired Flatfoot Deformity. Transactions of the Society of Military Orthopaedic Surgeons Annual Meeting. St. Petersburg, FL December 2015 (podium presentation)

Ramadorai U, **Williams JR,** Sangeorzan BJ. Treatment of Nontraumatic Subtalar Dislocations in Adult Acquired Flatfoot Deformity. Transactions of the American Orthopaedic Foot and Ankle Society Annual Meeting. Toronto, ON July 2016 (eposter presentation)

## **Regional**

**Williams JR**, Lynch, JL, Kodros, SA, Kelikian AS. A Retrospective Comparison of Total Ankle Arthroplasty versus Arthroscopically Assisted Ankle Fusion for End Stage Ankle Arthritis. Transactions of the Mid-American Orthopaedic Society Meeting. Amelia Island, FL April 2013 (Accepted for podium presentation).

**Williams JR**, Little MT, Kramer PA, Benirschke SK. The Incidence of Preoperative Deep Vein Thrombosis in Isolated Calcaneal Fractures. Transactions of the Western Orthopaedic Association Annual Meeting. Cour d'Alene, ID July 2015 (accepted for podium presentation)

## **Local**

**Williams JR**, Haloman S, Sangeorzan BJ, Hansen ST, Brage ME. The Effect of Preoperative Opioid Use on Total Ankle Arthroplasty Outcomes. Transactions of the Summit in Seattle July 2014 (podium presentation)

## **UCLA**

**Williams JR**. Ankle Arthritis. UCLA Department of Orthopaedics Grand Rounds. Los Angeles, CA October 1, 2014.

**Williams JR**. Common Foot and Ankle Sports Injuries UCLA Department of Rheumatology Grand Rounds Los Angeles, CA February 3, 2017.

## **Conferences**

Speaker at the National Youth Leadership Forum on Medicine 2015

## **Miscellaneous**

Literature analysis and question composer for monthly Orthopaedic Knowledge Online topics (OKO/AAOS) 2012-2013

Health Volunteers Overseas 2012- Present

Reviewer of Abstracts for 2016 AOFAS National meeting

OFAR Vietnam Medical Mission June 2016

