

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

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NEW PASIG LEADERS

We want to welcome Danielle Farzanegan, who will be serving as the new Performing Arts Special Interest Group (PASIG) outreach chair and Michael Tsang, our new Research Chair. Both of these leaders need PASIG members to serve on their committees, so please reach out to get involved.

NETWORKING OPPORTUNITIES

I want to remind all of you that one of the benefits of being a member of the PASIG is membership in our closed Facebook Group. We currently have 323 members on that site. Members use this space to share resources, locate providers for artists in different areas of the country, and post continuing education opportunities. That space will be more useful to everyone with increased engagement and posts. Check it out! <https://www.facebook.com/groups/1546315278934871/>

CITATION BLASTS

Another benefit of your PASIG membership is a monthly citation blast sent to you via email. You also can contribute to the PASIG as an author! We have a call for PASIG Citation Blast authors for the months of August 2022 and beyond, so please consider a written contribution! If you, physical therapy students or fellows, or your physical therapy colleagues may be interested in contributing to another Citation Blast (whether you have already been an author, or if you are interested in writing your first annotated bibliography), feel free to message our Research Chair, Michael Tsang directly on Facebook or at kinghontsang@hotmail.com for more information.

We are more than happy to have students contribute, and an Academy of Orthopaedic Physical Therapy website publication could be a nice addition to your résumé and a great networking opportunity within our performing arts community! Please spread the word and hope to hear from you soon!

The full list of Citation Blasts is on the AOPT PASIG webpage for examples: <https://www.orthopt.org/.../perfor.../citations-and-endnotes>

PASIG SCHOLARSHIPS

To recognize students for their contribution to performing arts physical therapy and to assist in defraying the cost of attending the Combined Sections Meeting (CSM), the PASIG will support up to two \$500 scholarships for one entry-level student and one post-professional student presenting research at CSM.

Eligibility:

1. Must be a student in an accredited pre-professional (DPT) or post-professional Performing Arts Fellowship Program when the research was conducted.
2. Must be a member of the PASIG.
3. Must be listed as an author on the poster/presentation.

4. Must have confirmation of acceptance as either a platform or poster presenter at the upcoming CSM meeting.
5. Topic of research must focus on performing arts physical therapy (and submitted under the Performing Arts sub-heading within the AOPT).
6. Must participate in presenting the poster/platform at CSM.

PASIG CALL FOR MEDIA!

We are extending our call for media. The PASIG would like to feature our own members in videos being created for various strategic initiatives.

You can scan the QR code to submit entries at: https://cumc.co1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_6nRQ8IQ5ZKcDBc



PERFORMING ARTS FELLOWSHIP TRAINING

Physical therapists with an orthopaedic certified specialist, sports certified specialist, or completion of an orthopedic residency may choose from one of four performing arts fellowship programs for advanced training and specialization in performing arts. If you have questions about starting a performing arts fellowship program, contact our chair, Tiffani Marulli, tiffani.marulli@osumc.edu. For specific program questions, contact the program directors.

- **Columbia University Irving Medical Center and West Side Dance Performing Arts Fellowship**
 - Program Director: Laurel Daniels Abbruzzese la110@cumc.columbia.edu
 - <https://www.ps.columbia.edu/education/academic-programs/programs-physical-therapy/performing-arts-fellowship>
- **NYU Langone-Harkness Center for Dance Injuries Performing Arts Fellowship**
 - Program Director: Angela Stolfi harkness@nyulangone.org
 - <https://med.nyu.edu/departments-institutes/orthopedic-surgery/specialty-programs/harkness-center-dance-injuries/education/professional-development-students-healthcare-practitioners/academic-observation-fellowship>
- **The Johns Hopkins Hospital Performing Arts Fellowship**
 - Program Director: Andrea Lasner danceFIT@jhmi.edu
 - https://www.hopkinsmedicine.org/physical_medicine_rehabilitation/education_training/therapy-residency/physical-therapy/performing-arts-pt-fellowship.html
- **The Ohio State University Wexner Medical Center Performing Arts Fellowship**
 - Program Director: Tiffani Marulli tiffani.marulli@osumc.edu
 - <https://hrs.osu.edu/academics/graduate-programs/clinical-doctorate-in-physical-therapy/residencies-and-fellowships/performing-arts>

PASIG PRACTICE PEARLS PODCAST

Our fifth installment of *PASIG Practice Pearls Podcast* series is a two-part series focused on Performing Arts Fellowship opportunities! All episodes are open to the public and are available on the PASIG website.

PERFORMING ARTS -SIG FEATURED CONTENT

If you have a performing arts case study or research study that we can feature in an upcoming issue of *Orthopaedic Physical Therapy Practice*, please bring it to my attention labbruzzese@orthopt.org. We are eager to share the work of performing arts physical therapists and researchers with the broader orthopaedic physical therapy community.

BECOME A PASIG MEMBER!

Direct email-blasts go to registered PASIG members. If you would like to receive the monthly citation blast and PASIG news, be sure to become a member. [https://www.orthopt.org/login.php?forward_url=/content/special-interest-groups/performing-arts/become-a-pasig-member]



Orthopaedic Certified Specialist (OCS) Exam

Are you going to join over 17,000 Orthopaedic Physical Therapists who have been awarded their OCS?

Just a reminder that registration for the OCS exam is fast approaching. Deadline is July 31, 2022.

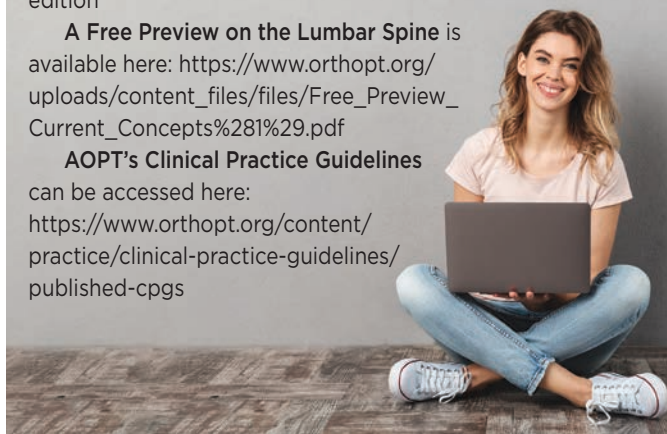
If you are thinking about applying, click here: <https://specialization.apta.org/become-a-specialist/orthopaedics>

Need Study Materials?

Current Concepts of Orthopaedic Physical Therapy, our #1 best seller, can be accessed here: <https://www.orthopt.org/course/31-2-current-concepts-of-physical-therapy-5th-edition>

A Free Preview on the Lumbar Spine is available here: https://www.orthopt.org/uploads/content_files/files/Free_Preview_Current_Concepts%281%29.pdf

AOPT's Clinical Practice Guidelines can be accessed here: <https://www.orthopt.org/content/practice/clinical-practice-guidelines/published-cpgs>



We Appreciate You and Thank You for Your Membership!

As one of our members, we support you with:

- Member pricing on independent study courses
- Subscriptions to *JOSPT* and *OPTP*
- Clinical Practice Guidelines
- Advocacy of practice issues
- Advocacy grants
- Mentoring opportunities

Stay on top of important issues and help shape the future of the profession with membership in the Academy of Orthopaedic Physical Therapy.

As a member, you are able to join any of our Special Interest Groups (SIGs) free of charge.

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- Performing Arts
- Foot and Ankle
- Pain
- Imaging
- Orthopaedic Residency/Fellowship
- Animal Physical Therapy

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