



# Academy of Orthopaedic Physical Therapy: ORF-SIG Member Update

**A community of excellence in  
Orthopaedic Residency and Fellowship Education**

1/13/21

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## Leadership- Matt Haberl

- Board Liaison: Aimee Klein
- Vice President: Kathleen Geist (Outgoing)
  - Incoming- Kirk Bentzen
- Nominating Committee
  - Mary Derrick (Outgoing)
  - Robert Schroedter (Chair)
  - Tyrees Marcy
  - Incoming- Molly Malloy
- Liaisons:
  - APTE RF-SIG: Christina Gomez
  - AAOMPT: Robert Schroedter
- Committee Leads:
  - Research: Kathleen Geist, Mary Kate McDonnell
  - Practice/Reimbursement: Darren Calley
  - Membership: Bob Schroedter
  - Communication: Kirk Bentzen, Kris Porter, Kathleen Geist
- Sub-Committees:
  - Curriculum: Molly Malloy, Kathleen Geist
  - Applicant Sharing: Steve Kareha, Kirk Bentzen
  - Program Highlights:

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## 2020 Special Thank you- Matt Haberl

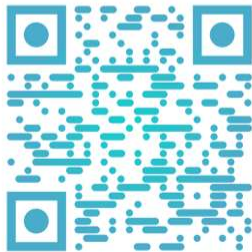
- CSM Pre-Con:
  - Tara Jo Manal, Aimee Klein, Kathleen Geist, Kirk Bentzen, Erik Robertson, Steve Kareha
- Research Committee:
  - Kathleen Geist, Mary Kate McDonnell
- Practice Committee
  - Darren Calley, Kirk Bentzen, Megan Frazee, Sarah Worth
- Membership Committee:
  - Bob Schroedter, Tyrees Shatzer, Mary Derrick
- AAOMPT Liaisons:
  - Bob Schroedter, Mike Bourassa
- ABPTRFE FAQ:
  - Chrysta Lloyd, Sara Nonaka, Mark Weber, Kendra Harrington, and Linda Csiza
- COVID Resource Manual:
  - Carrie Schwoerer, Steve Kareha, Molly Malloy, Kathleen Geist, Derek Vraa, Mike Bourassa
- AAOMPT /RFE-SIG Podcast:
  - Mark Shepard, Cameron McDonald, Elaine Lonnemann
- RFE-SIG Liaisons:
  - Christina Gomez, Sara Kraft
- CSM Submission: Creating Culture through Residency and Fellowship Education
  - Kathleen Geist, Raine Osborne, Matt Briggs, Sara Kraft



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## DASHBOARD (as of 1/16/21)- Tyrees Marcy

- Total Members: 355 (-7)
- Facebook Group: 150 (+34)
- ABPTRFE ACCREDITED PROGRAMS:
  - Residencies:
    - Orthopaedic: 117 (+5)
  - Fellowships:
    - Hand: 0 (-2)
    - Movement: 2
    - OMPT: 24 (-3)
    - Performing Arts: 2 (+1)
    - Spine: 3
    - Upper Extremity: 3
- ACOMPTE ACCREDITED PROGRAMS
  - OMPT: 34 (-1)



SCAN THIS CODE TO ACCESS THE SURVEY:

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# Newly Accredited / Re-Accredited Programs: Molly Malloy

ABPTRFE Actions: Sept 13-15,2020

## New

- Residency: (+3)
    - Lee Health Orthopedic Residency
    - Olympic Sports and Spine Orthopaedic Residency
    - University of Washington Orthopedic Residency
- Total + 8 for 2020

- Fellowship: +2 for 2020

## Re-accredited

- Residency:
    - Concordia University Orthopedic Residency
    - Louis Stokes Cleveland VA Medical Center Orthopaedic Residency
    - University of Miami Orthopaedic Residency
- Total +6 for 2020

- Fellowship: + 2 for 2020

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# Research Committee:

## 2021 CSM Post Con

- [Essentials to Enhance Education and Outcomes in Residency and Fellowship Programs](#)
- March 3<sup>rd</sup>: Combination of Synch / Asynchronous Learning
  - CEU's: 0.8 Two Tracks:

Program Director:	Faculty:
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Update on quality standards- Recorded Presentation</li> <li>• Appraisal of successful outcomes reporting- Recorded Presentation</li> <li>• Establishing innovative curriculum design based on the new quality standards: Live/ Recorded presentation</li> <li>• Establishing clinical mentoring practices and training the mentor: Recorded Presentation</li> <li>• Implementation of web based programs to streamline administrative: Recorded Presentations</li> <li>• Program assessment: Recorded Presentation</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Advancing clinical mentoring in clinical practice- Recorded Presentation</li> <li>• Managing a failing resident and remediation: Recorded Presentation</li> <li>• Assessing initial competency, advancing competency, and graduation requirements: Recorded Presentation</li> <li>• Advancing clinical expertise in practice: Live Presentation</li> <li>• Mentor/mentee factors for successful engagement in mentorship: Recorded Presentation</li> </ul>

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## Research Committee:

- Orthopaedic Practice Research Submissions
  - Scholarly Activities- 2 per year
    - Resident/Fellowship Case report, Res/Fellowship Research, Survey outcomes
  - 2021 OP Deadlines:
    - February 14 for April 2021- Research Publication
      - May 8 for July 2021
      - August 7 for November 2021- Research Publication
- Goal: Have two award winners every year
  - Prize: \$250 if they develop into full publication for OP
  - Contact [kgeist@emory.edu](mailto:kgeist@emory.edu) if you are interested in judging poster sessions

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## Poster Award: CSM 2021

The Purpose of the Award is to:

- Highlight innovative, timely, and/or unique elements in residency or fellowship education, practice or research.
- Provide an avenue for residents and fellows to showcase their scholarly projects
- Encourage best practices, with respect to Physical Therapy evaluation, diagnosis, treatment planning, and outcome assessment.

Eligibility:

- Members and student members of the ORF-SIG
- Abstracts should reflect current standards of orthopaedic practice.
- Study type may include prospective or retrospective designs
- Any work that has been presented at a national/international conference or has previously been accepted for publication/published is excluded

Link: <https://www.orthopt.org/content/special-interest-groups/residency-fellowship/poster-award>

Due: January 31

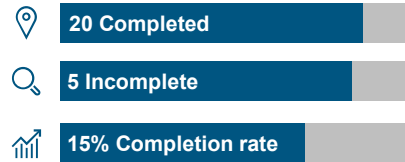
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## Practice/Reimbursement Committee

Mentorship Survey Update

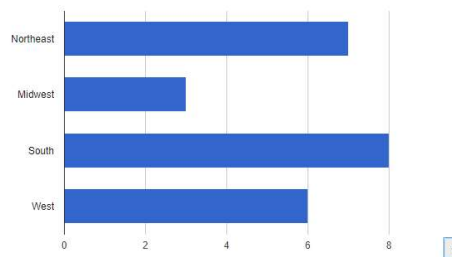
Mentorship survey sent out to 135  
orthopaedic residency and fellowship  
Program Directors (11/25/20 & 12/22/20).

[dcalley@mayo.edu](mailto:dcalley@mayo.edu)



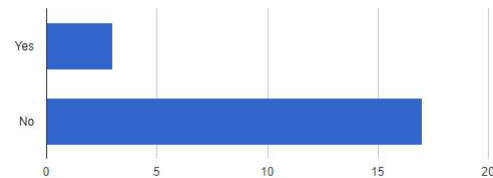
### Location of Residency/Fellowship

Counts/frequency: Northeast (7, 30.4%), Midwest (3, 13.0%), South (8, 34.8%), West (6, 26.1%)



### Is there a career ladder for mentors at your clinic?

Counts/frequency: Yes (3, 15.0%), No (17, 85.0%)



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## Kirk Bentzen's PhD – Please participate!

- Topic – looking at a small part of the ABPTRFE Accreditation rubric – the onsite mentoring observation section – and whether this section of the rubric has content validity or not?
- Survey is very short – 5-10 minutes (rate each element as 1. necessary, 2. useful, but not necessary, 3. not necessary)
  - Program Directors and Program Coordinators
  - Mentors
  - Residency Graduates
  - Current Residents
- Feel free to share the link with those that will participate!

[https://oxy.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV\\_01HGWTTZejg1V1X](https://oxy.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_01HGWTTZejg1V1X)

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## Membership Committee- Molly Malloy

### Member Recruitment:

- **Current Program Directors:**
  - The ORF-SIG is seeking to get >90% of Program Directors to be members of the ORF-SIG where we are working on emailing all current Program Directors to highlight the benefits of membership.
- **Recently Accredited Programs**
  - ORF-SIG contacting to congratulate and highlight the benefits of ORF-SIG membership
- **Developing / Candidacy Program Directors:**
  - ORF-SIG is reaching out to programs who seek candidacy to highlight our Grant Program and the benefits of Membership

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## Membership Committee- Bob Schroedter

- **Website development:**
  - AOPT Developing new Website
  - Working on the development of the resident/fellow experience.
    - Future hope is to capture interested Res/Fellow information who wish to share information with programs
- **Public Relations activities**
  - Monthly Res/Fellowship Program Spotlight
  - Monthly Faculty/Mentor Spotlight
  - Scholarship/Grant promotion through social media
  - Coordination of SIGs to propose a streamlined process of approving resources for the public that originate from SIGs
- **Microsoft Teams Committee work**

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## CoVid-19 Communication- Bob Schroedter

- ORF- SIG Facebook Group



• <https://www.facebook.com/groups/741598362644243>

- AOPT ORF-SIG Communities HUB



• <http://communities.apta.org/p/fo/st/thread=15235>

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## ABPTRFE Update: Kirk Bentzen

- ABPTRFE Annual Report – due end of January!
- ABPTRFE P&P **Glossary of Terms Update**
- **Primary Health Conditions** to change to **Medical Conditions** list
- ABPTRFE Practice Site Chart
- ABPTRFE CoVid Impact Survey Results
- Call for applicants- Onsite Reviewers



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## COVID-19 Resource Manual- Kirk Bentzen

- Thank You: Kirk Bentzen, Kathleen Geist, Steven Kareha, Molly Malloy, Carrie Schwoerer, Megan Frazee
- Table of Contents
  - Accreditation Interim Standards
    - ABPTRFE / ACOMPTE
  - Ensuring Participant Completion
    - Change in Educational Delivery
    - Utilization of Telemedicine
  - Program Sustainability
    - Applicant and Program Sharing
    - Alt. Financial Resources



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## Program Sustainability: Applicant Sharing- Steve Kareha

**Applicant Survey Link**



**Program Information**



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## ORF-SIG 2021: Looking Forward- Matt Haberl

**GOAL: Increase the diversity of members and leaders and engage in efforts to make AOPT a more inclusive organization**

- AOPT: Create and define AOPT's position and promotion of DE&I as an essential belief to be included in all our communications with all constituencies
  - ORF-SIG: Survey all current and new members for their background and demographics.
- Employ 2-3 active strategies to engage members in leadership development to increase our pool of DEI for the volunteer pool for active participation across the Academy
  - ~~ORF-SIG: Identify current ORF-SIG Membership and their affiliation with accredited R/F programs by 12/2020~~
  - ~~Send membership recruitment emails to all orthopaedic R/F accredited programs who are not currently members by 03/2021~~
  - ORF-SIG: Incorporate Microsoft TEAMS for committee communication



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## ORF-SIG 2021: Looking Forward- Matt Haberl

**GOAL: Grow payment for services by demonstrating the value of physical therapy**

- AOPT: The Payment and Value Workgroup In coordination with our constituents (e.g APTA, Sections and Academies), create and disseminate 2-3 resources or initiatives to enhance or ensure payment for delivery of PT services by December 31, 2021
  - ORF-SIG: Propose educational program to highlight the value of Residencies/Fellowships on creating culture and employee engagement in medical institutions (Complete by Oct 30<sup>th</sup> 2021)

**GOAL: Promote the development and implementation of evidence to best practice**

- Develop and disseminate innovative and varied educational opportunities (i.e. micro-learning, new types of podcasts); seeking 6-8 innovative and varied learning products by December 1, 2021
  - ~~ORF-SIG: Survey to programs about mentorship June 30, 2021~~
  - ORF-SIG: Develop and disseminate an ABPTRFE Q and A resource to support residency and fellowship programs - March 30, 2021
- Facilitate the translation of evidence to practice of the use of patient-reported and performance-based tests and measures appropriate to orthopaedic practice; developing 2-3 implementation methods by Nov 1, 2021
  - ~~ORF-SIG: Develop website to include resident/fellow poster publications for shared learning.~~



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## ORF-SIG 2021: Looking Forward- Matt Haberl

**GOAL: Position members as experts in managing movement and functional performance impairment**

- AOPT Leverage #choosePT to improve public awareness of PT. (focus on consumer)
  - ▲ ORF-SIG: Highlight Res/Fellow Poster awards at CSM via AOPT social media blasts and publish in OPTP Q2 and Q4 of 2021
  - ORF-SIG: Provide alternative CSM Career Development reception to promote the field to prospective residents and fellows May 2021 / November 2021
  - ▲ ORF-SIG: Develop a Program Highlight opportunity to recognize different Res/Fellowship programs.
  - ▲ ORF-SIG: Enhance Applicant sharing program survey within membership for recruitment (March 30, 2021)
  - ▲ ORF-SIG: Develop Interested Resident / Fellow registry for ORF-SIG members by June 2021
- AOPT: Produce 3-4 educational resources (in any format) on the value proposition of the PT professional for current practices and as an aid to future employment/advancement opportunities; complete by December 1, 2021.
  - ORF-SIG: Move “Residency/Fellowship pre con” to purchasable micro learning option (July 31, 2021)
  - ▲ ORF-SIG: Propose educational program to highlight the value of Residencies/Fellowships on creating culture and employee engagement in medical institutions (May 31, 2021)



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## Thank You!



Don't forget the next SIG  
Member meeting

March 3<sup>rd</sup> – Time TBD



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