



## LLRS Quarterly Newsletter Fall 2023



### Update from the LLRS President Dr. Steve Quinnan

I am very excited and honored to provide this first update as your new LLRS President! There is much to report, but first congratulations to Dr. Reid Nichols for her excellent leadership over the past year and heading a fantastic annual meeting in Lake Tahoe. The meeting was a scientific and collegial success on every level with many high-quality presentations, educational activities, and an engaging social agenda. We are also happy to report on another year of highly successful traveling fellowship with both Drs. Becher and Ugochuku finishing the trauma track in August.

We now look forward to the 2nd Annual Essentials of Lower Extremity Reconstruction (ELER) Course that will be held in Dallas at Scottish Rite for Children January 26-27, 2024. This will offer

## Upcoming Events

### 2nd Annual Essentials of Lower Extremity Reconstruction Course (ELER)

**Jan 26-27, 2024**

Scottish Rite for Children  
Dallas, TX

- learn more [here](#)

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### AAOS Specialty Day - In collaboration with SOMOS

**Feb 16, 2024**

Moscone Center  
San Francisco, CA

- agenda coming soon!
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education in the foundation of deformity correction and will build on the success of last year's program. Beyond that, we are excited about our program at the AAOS Annual Meeting. For the first time ever, we will have our own category at the meeting! This is a huge accomplishment for our society and has taken many dedicated members many years to achieve. Specialty Day will be on February 16, 2024, during the meeting and will highlight a combined session with SOMOS that promises to be outstanding. We also have five ICLs and expect a record number of presentations and posters.

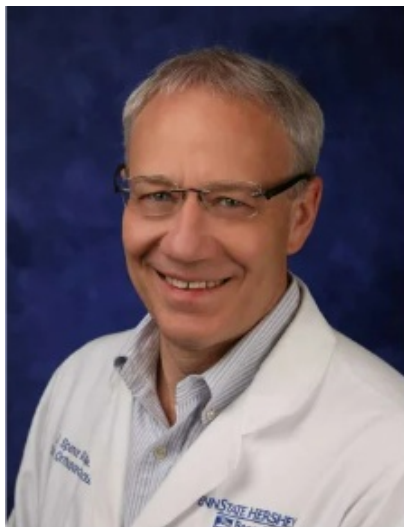
We also want to make sure you keep your calendar marked for what will be an epic 2024 Annual Meeting at Margaritaville in Hollywood, FL. We expect record-breaking attendance from the membership as well as from our colleagues abroad in Europe and Latin America. Please be sure to join your colleagues and friends for an education event loaded with opportunities for adventure and family fun and the camaraderie so unique to the LLRS!

## 33rd Annual LLRS Scientific Meeting

**Jul 11-13, 2024**

Margaritaville Hollywood  
Beach Resort  
Hollywood, FL

- learn more [here](#)



### LLRS Member Spotlight - Dr. Spence Reid

[Read about former LLRS president](#) - Dr. Spence Reid and his balanced life between trauma and his hobbies of road biking and photography.

## LLRS - MEMBER PUBLICATIONS

[Click here](#) to read recent publications from our LLRS members.

### AAOS ICL Updates

*Dr. Mani Kahn*

This is a reminder that Limb Deformity will have **ITS OWN CATEGORY** at AAOS 2024. Be on the lookout for these high yield ICLs and symposia accepted for the annual meeting:

- [Dr Christopher lobst](#): Cosmetic Limb Lengthening
- [Dr Elizabeth Hubbard](#): Managing Post-Traumatic Deformity in

### Report From The Adult-Track Travelling Fellows

*Dr. Jaclyn Hill*

Doctors Stephen Becher and Akpati Ugochuku recently completed the LLRS travelling fellowship adult track.

They visited Hospital for Special Surgery, The Paley Institute, and the International Center for Limb Lengthening, and finished their

- Pediatric and Adolescent Patients
- [Dr Paul Matzuszewski](#): The Role of Lower Limb Alignment in Hip Preservation
  - [Dr Lee Zuckerman](#): Reconstruction of Bony Defects with Motorized Intramedullary Nails: State of the Art
  - [Dr Quinnan](#): Treatment of Malunited Fractures

fellowship at the Baltimore Deformity Course.

We look forward to hearing more about their travels at LLRS 2024.

Interested in applying? [Read more about it here.](#)



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