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Board Certified in Orthopedic Surgery

Articulate, Board certified Orthopedic Surgeon with more than 50 years of clinical expertise and 26 years of medical-legal expertise. Highly specialized in advanced hip, knee, and shoulder surgery.

EDUCATION

- **John Hopkins University, Baltimore, MD (1965)**
Undergraduate Degree
- **University of Michigan Medical School, Ann Arbor, MI (1969)**
Doctor of Medicine, MD, Cum Laude
- **Stanford University Hospital, Stanford, CA**
Internship – Surgery (1970)
Residency – Orthopedic Surgery (1971)
- **National Institute of Health**
Residency – Chief Resident Orthopedic Surgery (1971)

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- **National Institute of Health, U.S. Public Health Service, Military Surgeon (1971 to 1973)**
- **Children’s Hospital at Stanford, Assistant Chief Orthopedic Service (1974 to 1976)**
- **Good Samaritan Hospital, Active Staff Membership (1975 to Present)**
- **Arthritis and Orthopedic Medical Clinic, Los Gatos, CA (1977 to Present)**
- **El Camino Hospital, Los Gatos, CA (1977 to Present)**
- **Silicon Valley Surgery Center (1997 to Present)**
- **Bascom Surgery Center (1997 to Present)**

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

- National Institute of Health, Consultant, Rheumatology and Orthopedic Surgery (1971-1973)
- Stanford University, Division of Orthopedic Surgery, Clinical Assistant Professor (1974-1980)
- National Institute of Health, Orthopedic Educational Achievements Programs (1987-1998)

LICENSURE AND CERTIFICATION

- American Board of Orthopedic Surgery
- Orthoscopy Board of North America
- California Board Certified Medical License
- Qualified Medical Evaluator

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

- American Academy of Orthopedic Surgeons (AAOS)
- American Association of Hip and Knee Surgeons (AAHKS)
- California Orthopedic Association
- California Society for Industrial Medicine and Surgery
- Santa Clara County Medical Association
- Santa Clara Valley Orthopedic Club
- Alpha Omega Alpha (AOA), Honorary Membership

HONORS AND AWARDS

- Dean's Award; Medical School (1967-1969)
- Richmond Cerebral Palsy Center Award