



AO Trauma NA Fellows Webinar—Addressing Lower Extremity Angular Deformity



May 14, 2024 - May 14, 2024
Online, N/A, USA

Time: 8pm Eastern Time

Target Audience: Orthopedic Fellows

Webinar Overview:

Lower extremity angular deformity may commonly result from lower extremity trauma. Understanding how to evaluate patients with lower extremity deformity, and to plan for and execute deformity correction surgery is important; this understanding will aid surgeons in treating periarticular injuries and performing nonunion and malunion surgery.



Event Summary

Tuition:

Level Name: Participant - Orthopaedic

Pricing Tier: Fellow

Tuition: \$0.00

Course Prerequisite(s):

No Prerequisites

Venue:

No Venue

Language(s):

English

Directly Provided by:



Professional Level Prerequisite(s):

No Prerequisites

CME

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Learning Objectives

Upon completion, participants should be able to:

- Obtain and analyze lower extremity alignment radiographs
- Plan an osteotomy and demonstrate how osteotomy location will affect the final bony and limb alignment.
- Plan and execute acute correction of angular deformity
- Plan and execute gradual correction of angular deformity

Faculty



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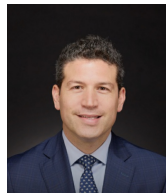
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