

CURRICULUM VITAE

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PRESENT POSITION: Orthopedic Consultant, St. Joseph's Health Centre
Professor of Surgery, University of Western Ontario
Member of the Health Council of Canada,
-Past Chair of the Wait Times and Accessibility Work
Group
-Member of the Framework and Monitoring Progress
Committee
Member of the Canadian Index of Wellbeing Research Group

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS:

September 1992 – July 1999 **Dean, Faculty of Medicine & Dentistry**
University of Western Ontario

1988- September 1992 **Professor & Head, Department of Surgery**
Faculty of Medicine
University of Calgary
Foothills Hospital
Calgary, Alberta

1984 – 1988 **Associate Professor**
Faculty of Medicine, Department of Surgery
University of Toronto
Toronto, Ontario

1975 – 1984 **Assistant Professor,**
Faculty of Medicine, Department of Surgery
University of Toronto
Toronto, Ontario

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1973 – 1975

Lecturer

Faculty of Medicine, Department of Surgery
University of Toronto
Toronto, Ontario

APPOINTMENTS --FEDERAL GOVERNMENT AND OTHER:

December 2003- present

Health Council of Canada
Chair of the Wait Times and Accessibility Work Group
(January 2004-January 2006)

May – November 2003

Expert Review Group of the Program Review
Canadian Paediatric Surveillance Program

June 2003- present

Chair—Ad Hoc Committee (Atkinson Charitable
Foundation) for development of the institution for the
Canadian Index of Well-Being

June 2003-December 2003

National Steering Committee on Climate Change and
Health Assessment

October - December 2003

Appointment to Transition Advisory Board
Government of Ontario (Appointment by Office of
The Premier)

December 2002- August 2003 Special Advisor to the Deputy Minister of Nunavut

February 2002- January 2003 Special Advisor to the Commissioner
Romanow Commission on the Future of Health Care in
Canada

March 2001 -- August 2004

Advisory Board Member
Institute for Musculoskeletal Health & Arthritis

December 2000–February 2002 Assistant Deputy Minister

Population and Public Health Branch
Health Canada

July 2000 – December 2000

Visiting Assistant Deputy Minister
(Founding—New Branch)

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Population and Public Health Branch, Health Canada

July 1999 – January 2001 G.D.W. Cameron Visiting Chair
Health Canada

1999 - 2000 Interim Governing Council
Canadian Institutes of Health Research

AWARDS AND DISTINCTIONS:

2003 June Presidential Award of Excellence
Canadian Orthopedic Association

2001 - 2002 1) Prime Minister of Canada; formal letter of
commendation
2) Employee Commendation Award by the employees of
the Population and Public Branch of Health Canada 2002
3) Certificate of Commendation, Health Canada 2001

1998 Invited & funded participant UNESCO Conference
Royaumont Abbey, France “Transdisciplinarity”

1992 – 1995 Regent American College of Surgeons

1996 – present International Who’s Who

1992 Lloyd-McLean Visiting Professorship McGill University

1992 Invited R. I. Harris Memorial Lecture
Combined Meeting of the English Speaking
Orthopedic Associations

1991 Best Research Paper
Manus Canada Meeting, Calgary

1987 – present Canada’s Who’s Who

1989 – 1992 President, Canadian Association of Surgical Chairmen

1984 – 1985 President, Trauma Association of Canada

1984 Best Paper – Eastern Canada, Trauma
American College of Surgeons

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1983 – 1988	Chairman, Advanced Trauma Life Support Courses for the Province of Ontario & American College of Surgeons
1983 –1988	Chairman, Provincial Committee on Trauma (Ontario)
1983	Named Lectureship – “Friday at Four” Dalhousie University, Halifax
1981	ABC Traveling Fellow, American, British & Canadian Orthopedic Association

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS:

Memberships 10

VISITING PROFESSORSHIPS:

1978 – PRESENT 54

INVITED LECTURES:

1976 – PRESENT 405

PUBLIC/COMMUNITY SERVICE LECTURES:

1994 – PRESENT 15

JOURNAL PUBLICATIONS:

1977 – PRESENT 70

TEXTBOOKS AND CHAPTERS

1974 – PRESENT 18