“Fracture Management of the Elbow”

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Dr. Geissler received his M.D. degree from Tulane University Medical School in New Orleans, LA, in 1985. He completed his internship and residency in orthopedic surgery at the University of Mississippi Medical Center and then completed an AO Orthopedic Trauma Fellowship in Aarau, Switzerland. Dr. Geissler completed a one-year fellowship in Advanced Arthroscopy in Sports Medicine in Richmond, VA. He returned to UMMC and completed a second fellowship in Hand and Upper Extremity Surgery under Dr. Alan E. Freeland. Dr. Geissler has served as faculty, moderator and chairman in multiple arthroscopic and upper extremity courses throughout the country as well as internationally. He has published nearly 100 articles in peer-reviewed journals and textbooks and has delivered approximately 700 presentations nationally and internationally on sports medicine and upper extremity disorders. He has published two textbooks, one on advanced wrist surgery and the second on athletic injuries to the upper extremity. Dr. Geissler serves as the chief of the UMMC Sports Medicine and Shoulder Programs. He joined the department in 1992 specializing in shoulder and elbow surgery, hand surgery and advanced arthroscopic surgery. His particular interests include upper extremity joint replacement, upper extremity trauma reconstruction and arthroscopic surgery.

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