



Arthroplasty Division

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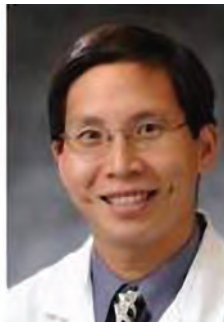
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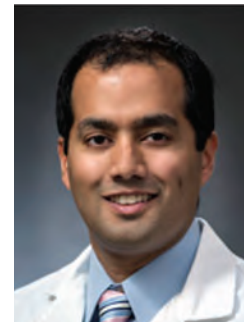
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The 2017/2018 academic year has been an outstanding year for the Penn Orthopaedics and the Adult Reconstruction Division. The adult reconstruction division has continued to increase surgical volume while improving quality, ranking at or near the top in observed to expected mortality among more than 150 participating hospitals. The annualized surgical volume this year for the total joint division was over 4000 surgical cases at the two down town hospitals.

In addition to clinical excellence, our faculty have been active in clinical education nationally and internationally, as well as in leadership and volunteer positions within most of the important national orthopaedic organizations including: the American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgeons; the American

Orthopaedic Association, the American Board of Orthopaedic Surgeons, the American Association of Hip and Knee Surgeons and the Knee Society. Our faculty were involved with more than 30 peer reviewed publications in 2017 and more than 60 scientific presentations and lectures by invitation.

This past summer we had the honor of hosting the AOA Austrian-Swiss-German Traveling fellows in Philadelphia for four days in an outstanding exchange of information. This spring, Neil Sheth, MD will be one of the two American's visiting Austria, Switzerland and Germany as an AOA Austrian-Swiss-German Traveling Fellow and Atul Kamath, MD will be visiting Japan as one of the American Orthopaedic Association Japanese Traveling fellows.