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KEYNOTE SPEAKER

DAVID G. ARMSTRONG DPM

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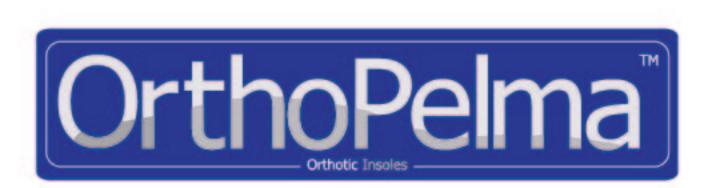


















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#### WELCOME

Dear Friends,

Welcome to CARP's Annual Scientific Conference 2023!

It is our utmost pleasure to welcome the world-renowned Dr David G. Armstrong, DPM as a keynote speaker, along other distinguished speakers and guests.

This year's topic is Diabetes and Feet, and we are pleased to say we have gathered experts in their field to share their knowledge and expertise.

This has been an important year for the Podiatry profession in Cyprus, as Podiatry services to selected categories of patients are now included in the General Health System.

The CARP's Boards have worked tirelessly towards progressing our profession through its inclusion in the public health sector, its legal protection and provision of a high-level professional development conference.

Enjoy the conference.

The organizing committee

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#### SEMINAR PROGRAMME

#### FRIDAY 08.09.2023

08:30	Welcome coffee, Registration
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09:30	Welcome by Organizers Georgia Liopetriti and Antonis Kyrmizi Welcome by CARP President Ioannis Louvarides. Greeting from Dr Andreas Stylianou on behalf of the MoH.
10:00 - 11:00	David G. Armstrong, DPM: The Diabetic Foot in Remission: New Techniques to Extend Ulcer - Free Days
11:00	pre-recorded  Dr Nikolaos Papanas, Professor in Internal Medicine-Diabetes Mellitus: Forming a Diabetic Foot Clinic: The example of Greece
11:30	Mid morning coffee break
12:00 - 13:00	David G. Armstrong, DPM: Tissue Viability - Wound healing
13:00	Ioannis Louvarides, Podiatrist MSc Diabetes: Case studies and Q&A
13:30 - 15:00	Lunch
15:00 - 16:00	David G. Armstrong, DPM: Offloading the Diabetic Foot: 30 Years of Research in (about) 30 minutes
16:00	Organizers: Recap of next day and thanks

#### SEMINAR PROGRAMME

#### SATURDAY 09.09.2023

09:00	Welcome coffee
09:30 - 11:00	Round table Multidisciplinary team - Presided by A. Kyrmizi
	Dr Angelos Karatzias MD, MSc, FEBOPRAS Plastic Surgeon, CWMS President The role of the Plastic Surgeon as a member of the MDT in the management of the Diabetic Foot.
	Marios Vasiliou PhD Nurse Education Department, Ministry of Health, CWMS Secretary The role of the Nurse as a member of the MDT in the management of the Diabetic Foot.
	Dr Antonis Kyrmizi BSc (Hons), MD, Podiatrist CWMS Treasurer The role of the Podiatrist as a member of the MDT in the management of the Diabetic Foot.
	Mrs Yiota Tsokkou Schu, Clinical Dietitian Nutritionist BSc MSc Pl The role of the clinical dietitian within the multidisciplinary diabetic foot care team.
11:00	Dr A Toursides: ABPI & toe pressures, doppler sounds. The Diabetic Foot in the Vascular Surgery Setting: Case studies and Q&A
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13:30

Organizers: Thanks and closing

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#### INTRODUCTION AND BIOSKETCH

Dr. Armstrong is Professor of Surgery with Tenure at the University of Southern California. Dr. Armstrong holds a Master of Science in Tissue Repair and Wound Healing from the University of Wales College of Medicine and a PhD from the University of Manchester College of Medicine, where he was appointed Visiting Professor of Medicine. He is founder and co-Director of the Southwestern Academic Limb Salvage Alliance (SALSA).



Dr. Armstrong has produced more than 640 peer-reviewed research papers in dozens of scholarly medical journals as well as over 100 books or book chapters. He is founding co- Editor of the American Diabetes Association's (ADA) Clinical Care of the Diabetic Foot, now entering its fourth edition.

Armstrong is Director of USC's National Science Foundation (NSF) funded Center to Stream Healthcare in Place (C2SHiP) which places him at the nexus of the merger of consumer electronics, wearables, and medical devices in an effort to maximize hospital-free and activity-rich days.

Dr. Armstrong was selected as one of the first six International Wound Care Ambassadors and is the recipient of numerous awards and degrees by universities and international medical organizations including the inaugural Georgetown Distinguished Award for Diabetic Limb Salvage. In

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2008, he was the 25th and youngest-ever member elected to the Podiatric Medicine Hall of Fame. He was the first surgeon to be appointed University Distinguished Outreach Professor at the University of Arizona. He was also the first podiatric surgeon to be selected as President of Faculty at Keck School of Medicine of USC. Furthermore, he was the first podiatric surgeon to become a member of the Society of Vascular Surgery and the first US podiatric surgeon named fellow of the Royal College of Surgeons, Glasgow. He is the 2010 and youngest ever recipient of the ADA's Roger Pecoraro Award, the highest award given in the field.

Dr. Armstrong is past Chair of Scientific Sessions for the ADA's Foot Care Council, and a past member of the National Board of Directors of the American Diabetes Association. He sits on the Infectious Disease Society of America's (IDSA) Diabetic Foot Infection Advisory Committee and is the US appointed delegate to the International Working Group on the Diabetic Foot (IWGDF). Dr. Armstrong is the founder and co-chair of the International Diabetic Foot Conference (DF-Con), the largest annual international symposium on the diabetic foot in the world. He is also the Founding President of the American Limb Preservation Society (ALPS), a medical and surgical society dedicated to building interdisciplinary teams to eliminate preventable amputation in the USA and worldwide.



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