



ANDREW BOLTUCH, D.O.

BOARD - CERTIFIED ORTHOPEDIC SURGEON

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

Orthopedic Specialists

Palm Harbor, FL
April 2025 - Current

Orthopedic Associates of West Florida

Clearwater, FL
January 2024 – March 2025

Bay Area Orthopaedic Specialists

Pinellas Park, FL
December 2021 – December 2023

EDUCATION

Shoulder & Elbow Fellowship

Holy Cross Orthopaedic Institute
Ft. Lauderdale, FL
Graduation June 2021

Advanced Arthroscopic Upper Extremity Fellowship

Laurent and Thibault Lafosse, MD

Alps Surgery Institute
Annecy, France
Graduation November 2021

Orthopedic Surgery Residency Program

Largo Medical Center
Largo, FL
Graduation June 2020

Doctorate in Osteopathic Medicine

Nova Southeastern University
Ft. Lauderdale, FL
Graduation June 2015

Bachelors of Science in Biology

Florida State University
Tallahassee, FL
Graduation May 2011

LEADERSHIP

2nd Vice President, AOA Shoulder & Elbow Section

2024-Current

Baycare Orthopedic Trauma Subcommittee

Baycare Health System
2023-Current

Associate Professor Orthopedic Surgery Program

University South Florida, Morsani College of Medicine
Orthopedic Surgery Residency Program, Largo Medical Center
2021-Current

Peer Reviewer

Journal of Shoulder and Elbow Surgery
2021-Current

Elected Chief Resident

Orthopedic Surgery, Largo Medical Center
2019-2020

GME Resident Council

Representative Member, Orthopedic Surgery
Academic Years 2018-2020

ACGME Program Evaluation Committee (PEC)

Resident Member
Orthopedic Surgery, Largo Medical Center
Academic Years 2017-2020

Student American Osteopathic Academy of Orthopedics
Board Member
Academic Years 2011-2013

Flipany Nonprofit Adventure Camp
Volunteer Summer Camp Counselor
June 2012-August 2012

Aspiring Medical Professionals (AMP)
Founder and President
Florida State University
Academic Year 2010-2011

PUBLICATIONS - PEER REVIEWED JOURNALS

Elder N, Vollant M, Madison K, **Boltuch A**. Glenohumeral cerclage with anterior cruciate ligament guide suture retrieval for instability in reverse shoulder replacement. *JSES Reviews, Reports, & Tech*. 2025 November; 5(4): 1187-1192.

Minarro JC, Bassi C, **Boltuch A**, Urbano-Luque M, Buizje A, Lafosse L, Lafosse T. Massive rotator cuff tear augmented with a subacromial balloon spacer. Does it reduce the retear rate? A prospective study. *J of Arthroscopic & Related Surgery*. 2024 Feb;40(2):242-248.

Grewal G, **Boltuch A**, Panico L, Cannon D, Toma J, Levy J. Does critical shoulder angle predict abduction motion and acromion-tuberosity impingement in reverse shoulder arthroplasty. *Semin Arthroplasty*. 2022 December; 32(4): 720-727.

Boltuch A, Grewal G, Cannon D, Polisetty T, Levy JC. Nonoperative treatment of acromial fractures following reverse shoulder arthroplasty: clinical and radiographic outcomes. *J Shoulder and Elbow Surg*. 2022 June; 36(6): S44-S56. PMID 35066119.

Boltuch A, Grewal G, Cannon D, Toma J, Levy J. Return to golf after shoulder arthroplasty: Golf performance and outcome scores. *Semin Arthroplasty*. 2022 June; 32(2): 343-350.

Grewal G, Polisetty T, **Boltuch A**, Levy J. Does knowledge of medical risk influence patient decision for same day discharge following primary shoulder arthroplasty: a randomized control trial. *Seminars in Arthroplasty: JSES*. 2021 July; 31(2): 353-359

Grewal G, Polisetty T, **Boltuch A**, Colley R, Tapia R, Levy J. Does application of hydrogen peroxide to the dermis reduce incidence of cutibacterium acnes during shoulder arthroplasty: a randomized control trial. *J Shoulder and Elbow Surg*. 2021 Aug; 30(8):1827-1833. PMID 33813009.

Boltuch A, Harker J. Operative intervention for a chronic fifth carpometacarpal dislocation: case report and review of literature. *J Orthop Case Rep*. 2021 Jan; 11(1): 108-112. PMID 34141655.

Grewal G, **Boltuch A**, Levy J. Functional antibiotic spacer for use in treating shoulder prosthetic joint infection. *Orthop Today*. 2020 Nov.

Boltuch A, Marcotte M, Treat C, Marcotte A. The presence of the palmaris longus tendon and its association with carpal tunnel syndrome. *J Wrist Surg*. Epub 2020 Jul 30.

Routman H, Israel L, Moor M, **Boltuch A**. Injection of liposomal bupivacaine combined with intravenous dexamethasone reduces postoperative pain and hospital stay after shoulder arthroplasty. *J Shoulder and Elbow Surg*. 2017 Apr; 26(4):641-64. PMID: 27856266

PUBLICATIONS – BOOK CHAPTERS

Boltuch A, Lafosse L, Lafosse T. Management of upper limb palsies, from nerve release and transfers to tendon transfers. *Orthopaedic Sports Medicine – An Encyclopedic Review of Diagnosis, Prevention and Management*. Springer; 2024 June 24: 1-18.

Boltuch A, Levy J. Clavicle Fractures (medial, midshaft, lateral). In: Chebli C, Murthi A, eds. *The Resident's Guide to Shoulder and Elbow Surgery*. Springer; 2022 Oct 3: 157-165.

Boltuch A, Levy J. Shoulder Trauma: Clavicular Fractures (Chapter 12). *AAOS 2022 ROCK Resident Curriculum*.

PRESENTATIONS

Decision making in large to massive chronic rotator cuff tear. AOA Annual Fall Meeting, *National Harbor, MD. October 2025*.

Acromioplasty: Still necessary or outdated? AOA Annual Fall Meeting, *National Harbor, MD. October 2025*.

Leader/Moderator, Shoulder & Elbow Section. AOA Annual Spring Meeting, *Las Vegas, NV. April 2024*.

Augmentation techniques for rotator cuff repair (Patch, Balloon, PRP). AOA Annual Spring Meeting, *Las Vegas, NV. April 2024*.

AOA Resident Board Review: Shoulder and Elbow Section. AOA Annual Spring Meeting, *Las Vegas, NV. April 2024*.

Faculty member, Enovis's 4th Annual Hip Fracture Course for Shoulder Fellows. Tips for your first six months in practice. *Tampa, FL. April 2023*.

AOA Resident Board Review: Shoulder and Elbow Section. AOA Annual Spring Meeting, *Nashville, FL. April 2023*.

Boltuch A, Grewal G, Cannon D, Polisetty T, Levy J. Nonoperative Treatment of Acromial Fractures Following Reverse Shoulder Arthroplasty: Clinical and Radiographic Outcomes. *ASES Annual meeting, Tampa, FL. December 2021*.

The ALPS Surgery Institute Fellow Experience. *ALPS Surgery Institute. Stryker Advanced techniques within shoulder arthroscopy. Annecy, France. November 2021*.

Radiographic and Outcomes Report of Nonoperatively Treated Acromial Stress Fractures Following Reverse Shoulder Arthroplasty with Midterm Follow-up. *ASES Virtual Fellow's Symposium. June 2021*.

B2 Glenoid: Managing Posterior Wear. *Miami Orthopedic Society, Miami, FL. March 2021*.

Boltuch A, Marcotte M, Treat C, Marcotte A. The presence of the palmaris longus tendon and its association with carpal tunnel syndrome. *Consortium for Excellence in Medical Education Scientific Research Poster Competition, Largo, FL. May 2018*.

Boltuch A, Marcotte M, Treat C, Marcotte A. The presence of the palmaris longus tendon and its association with carpal tunnel syndrome. Award Winning Podium presentation at AOA Annual Meeting, Atlanta, GA. October 2018.

The Science Behind Open Fracture Management. St. Josephs-Baptist Trauma Conference, Tampa, FL. June 2018.

Case Presentation of Rectal Adenocarcinoma: Surgical Evaluation and Treatment in Accordance with NCCN Guidelines. Broward Health Tumor Board, Ft. Lauderdale, FL. Aug 2013.

Case Presentation of Small Bowel Adenocarcinoma: Surgical Evaluation and Treatment in Accordance with NCCN Guidelines. Broward Health Tumor Board, Ft. Lauderdale, FL. Sept 2013.

RELEVANT ACTIVITIES AND COMMUNITY SERVICE

Ringside Physician

2015-Present, Professional and amateur MMA/Boxing events

- Christy's Champs Charity Black Tie Boxing, April, 2021
- IKF World Classic, August, 2019

D1 Westchase Orthopedic Surgery and Sports Medicine: High School and Middle School Sports Physicals

2015-2020, Biannual physicals for multiple schools within Hillsborough and Pasco County School Districts, Tampa, FL

Sports Medicine Team Coverage Experience

2015-2020, Pasco Hernando State College, New Port Richey, FL

2015-2020, Largo High-School Football, Largo, FL

2015-2020, Clearwater Central Catholic High-School Football, Largo, FL

Volunteer Activities at Nova Southeastern College of Medicine (80+ hours of service)

2012 Counselor, Flipany Summer Camp Ft. Lauderdale, FL

2012 Python Challenge Volunteer member, Everglades National Park, FL

NATIONAL MEDICAL BOARD EXAMS

NBOME COMLEX-USA Levels I, II, II PE, III Medical Licensing Exams – Passed

AOBOS Clinical Exam – Passed

AOBOS Board Certified Orthopedic Surgeon – 04/25/2024

CURRENT MEDICAL LICENSES

Florida License Number, OS15092

PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES

Orthopaedic Trauma Association (OTA), Candidate Member, 2022-Present

American Shoulder and Elbow Society (ASES), Candidate Member, 2020-Present

American Society for Surgery of the Hand (ASSH), Candidate Membership, 2018-2019

American Association of Ringside Physicians (AARP), Member, 2016-Present

American Osteopathic Academy of Orthopedics (AOAO), Member, 2015-Present

American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgeons (AAOS), Member, 2015-Present

American Osteopathic Association (AOA), Member, 2011-Present

AWARDS

2020 ASES Fellow's Symposium

Richard J. Hawkins, MD, Award for Highest-rated ePoster presentation

2019 Maclaren Sports Medicine Scholarship Award for Highest OITE Score

99th Percentile among all test takers

2018 Maclaren Sports Medicine Scholarship Award for Highest OITE Score

98th Percentile among all test takers

CERTIFICATIONS

2024 Board Certified Orthopaedic Surgeon (AOAO)

2023 Certified Life Care Planner (CLCP)

2021 Advanced Cardiac Life Support (ACLS)

2021 Basic Life Support (BLS)

2020 Florida State Boxing Commission Ringside Physician

2018 Advanced Trauma Life Support (ATLS)

2018 Collaborative Institutional Training Initiative (CITI)

2016 Open Water Scuba Diver (SDI)

2016 AOTrama Basic Principles of Fracture Management

COURSES ATTENDED

AOAO Annual Fall Meeting 2025

October 2025, National Harbor, MD

Shoulder360: The Comprehensive Shoulder Course 2025

April 2025, Miami, FL

31st Annual Tampa Shoulder Course: Arthroplasty & Sports

February 2025, Tampa, FL

AOAO Annual Spring Meeting 2024

April 2024, Las Vegas, NV

8TH Annual Hip, Knee, and Shoulder: Holy Cross Orthopedic Symposium

January 2024, Ft. Lauderdale FL

Annecy Live Surgery - International Advanced Shoulder Course

June 2023, Annecy, France

Enovis 4th Annual Hip Fracture Course for Shoulder Fellows

April 2023, Tampa, FL

AOAO Annual Spring Meeting 2023

April 2023, Nashville, TN

FORE Current Solutions in Shoulder & Elbow Surgery

February 2023, Tampa, FL

7TH Annual Hip, Knee, and Shoulder: Holy Cross Orthopedic Symposium
January 2023, Ft. Lauderdale, FL

6TH Annual Hip, Knee, and Shoulder: Holy Cross Orthopedic Symposium
January 2022, Ft. Lauderdale, FL

ASES Annual Meeting
December 2021, Tampa, FL

27th Annual Tampa Shoulder Course: Arthroplasty & Sports
April 2021, Tampa, FL

DJO 9th Annual Fellows Course in Shoulder & Elbow Arthroplasty
April 2021, Tampa, FL

DJO 7th Annual Revision Course in Shoulder Arthroplasty
October 2020, Tampa, FL

DJO Elbow Fellows Course
March 2020, Chicago, Illinois

Oxford partial knee course
December 2019, New York, New York

DJO 8th Annual Fellows Course in Shoulder & Elbow Arthroplasty
April 2019, Tampa, FL

DJO 6th Annual Revision Course in Shoulder Arthroplasty
June 2019, Tampa, FL

Exactech Fellows Course in Advanced Surgical Solutions for Shoulder, Hip and Knee Arthroplasty
September 2019, New York, New York

DJO Shoulder Summit
Aug 2019, Chicago, IL

FORE Current Solutions in Shoulder & Elbow Surgery
February 2019, Tampa, FL

Johnson & Johnson Depuy Mitek Masters in shoulder arthroscopy
September 2018, Palm Beach Gardens, FL

FORE Current Solutions in Shoulder & Elbow Surgery
February 2018, Tampa, FL

FORE Current Solutions in Shoulder & Elbow Surgery
February 2017, Tampa, FL

Johnson & Johnson DePuy Synthes Basic Arthroplasty Course for Residents
September 2016, Chicago, IL

AO Basic Fracture Course for Residents
October 2016, Vancouver, BC, Canada

Johnson & Johnson DePuy Synthes Basic Arthroplasty Course for Residents
September 2015, Chicago, IL

First Annual Basics of Orthopedics, presented by Dr. Kenneth Koval
September 2014, Orlando, FL