



O. Sahap Atik, MD CURRICULUM VITAE

- Born in Turkey, on Feb 14, 1951
- Current Status: **Professor in the Department of Orthopaedic Surgery
Medical Faculty Gazi University, Ankara, Turkey**
- Had degree of
 - Professor** in Gazi University in 1989
 - Associate Professor** in Gazi University in 1984
 - Assistant Professor** in Gazi University in 1983
 - Orthopaedic Surgeon** in Hacettepe University in 1979
 - Medical Doctor** in Hacettepe University in 1975
- Established **Turkish Joint Diseases Foundation** in 1990, and **President** of the **Foundation** since 1990
- **Chief Editor** in the Journal of **Joint Diseases and Related Surgery** (former **Journal of Arthroplasty Arthroscopic Surgery**) since 1989 (indexed in Science Citation Expanded, Pubmed/Medline, Scopus)
- **Deputy Editor** in the **Clinical Orthopaedics and Related Research (USA)** 2006- January 2012
- **Associate Editor** in the **Bulletin of the NYU Hospital for Joint Diseases (USA)** since 1998
- **Editorial Board Member** in the **Photomedicine and Laser Surgery** (former **Journal of Clinical Laser Medicine & Surgery (USA)**) since 1999
- **Associate Editor** in the **Bone and Joint Research (UK)** 2012-2013

- **Guest Editor** in the *Bulletin Hospital for Joint Diseases (USA)* in 1999 and 2005
- **Guest Editor** in the *Clinical Orthopaedics and Related Research (USA)* in 2001 and 2006
- **Member of the following medical societies**
 - APKS, ISAKOS, ESSKA, IMLAS
 - AAOS, SICOT, EFORT, AGS
 - ICRS, OARSI, ESCEO
- **National Delegate and Ambassador of *Bone and Joint Decade***
- **National Delegate of *International Musculoskeletal Laser Society***
- **Senior Member of Association of Bone and Joint Surgeons (USA)**

- **Chairman** of the Department of Orthopaedics and Traumatology (1989-1996)
- **Member** of Executive Committee in Turkish National Orthopaedic Society (1992-1994) (2011-2013)
- **President** of Honorary and Ethic Committee in Turkish National Orthopaedic Society (2006-2008) (2008-2010)

- **Author of the following books:**
 - Joint Surgery (1997)*
 - Osteoporosis (1998)*
 - Orthopaedics and Traumatology (1996)*
- **Author of four chapters in the following books:**
 - Arthroscopic Laser Surgery (1994-USA)*
 - Lasers in Musculoskeletal Surgery (2001-UK)*
- **He has been pioneer in the fields of**
 - Cartilage repair** (carbon fiber, cartilage transfer, bioresorbable matrix),
 - Artificial joints** (hip, knee, shoulder, elbow, wrist, small joints), **Arthroscopic surgery** (knee, shoulder, ankle, wrist, elbow), **Arthroscopic laser surgery** (Nd:YAG, Ho:YAG), **Bioresorbable materials, Osteoarthritis and Osteoporosis.**
- **He wrote articles, chapters, and books; gave lectures on these issues in the domestic and international scientific media.**
- **He organized several international and national scientific meetings (more than 30) as chairman *summer and spring institutes for current concepts on arthroscopic surgery and arthroplasty; annual congresses on osteoporosis / osteoarthritis and joint surgery.***
- **Performed in vivo and in vitro experimental and clinical studies in *meniscus, cartilage, and bone.***

- Gave lectures to the *public*, organized press meetings and TV programs for the *patients*.
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