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- Texas Scottish Rite Hospital for Children
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Internship:
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  Surgical Internship

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  Orthopaedic Surgery

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  Harrington Fellowship of Pediatric Orthopaedics and Scoliosis

Honors and Awards:
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- Passed Written Boards in Orthopaedics, 1986
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Professional Associations/Affiliations:
- American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgeons
  Chair, Section Editor for Pediatrics, Your Orthopaedic Connection
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  president, 2008-2009
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- Scoliosis Research Society
  president, 2011-2012
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- Texas Medical Association
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- Spine Deformity Study Group,
  Associate Editor
- ***Tachdjian's Pediatric Orthopaedics, Third, Fourth and Fifth Editions,***
  contributing author
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