

## Curriculum Vitae

### Kenneth Martin Leavitt

**Date of Birth:** October 2, 1957  
**Place of Birth:** Stoneham, Massachusetts, USA  
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#### PROFILE

Education, training, licensure - traditional medical and surgical practice of foot and ankle medicine and surgery. Undergraduate and graduate medical degrees are from U.S. Universities and Schools. Under U.S. law - bachelors (BA and BS) and first-professional (Doctor of Podiatric Medicine – DPM) degrees. Twentyone years of clinical experience. For over 16 years, involved in post-graduate academic and clinical training, as well as cross-cultural business development of medical clinics, operating room facilities and small hospital divisions.

In 1983 developed a group practice in the Boston area. 1993 co-founded and developed the non-profit style Baltic-American Medical & Surgical Clinic in Vilnius, Lithuania, the first private joint-venture inpatient hospital in Central and Eastern Europe granted a hospital license. From 1996 to 2001 resided with family in Lithuania, working as General Manager and Foot & Ankle Surgeon of the Clinic. Have lived, worked and taught throughout Europe since 1982. In 2001 joined the group practice, Boston Arthritis & Spinal Surgery, affiliated with the prestigious Boston-based New England Baptist Hospital. Moved to private practice at the New England Baptist Hospital in 2007. Appointed Chief of Podiatric Medicine and Surgical Services at New England Baptist Hospital in November, 2009. Conversational in German and Lithuanian languages.

#### EDUCATION

1983 The Chicago Medical School, at the Finch University of the Health Sciences,  
 Foot & Ankle Surgery Faculty, (formerly the Illinois College of Podiatric Medicine -  
 Scholl College of Podiatric Medicine, Chicago, Illinois, USA  
 Doctor of Podiatric Medicine (DPM)  
 Bachelor of Science (BS)

1979 Boston University, Boston, Massachusetts, USA  
 Bachelor of Arts (BA)

1975 Wilmington High School, Secondary School, Wilmington, Massachusetts, USA

**WORK EXPERIENCE**

1983 to 1996	Private Medical Practice Foot Surgery, Wilmington, Massachusetts, USA
1996 to 2001	Private Medical Practice and General Director, Baltic-American Medical & Surgical Clinic, Vilnius, Lithuania
2001 to 2006	Private Medical Practice, Group Practice, Boston Arthritis and Spinal Surgery, Boston, Massachusetts, USA
2006 to present	Private Practice, New England Baptist Hospital, Boston, MA

**MEDICAL LICENSURE**

1983 to Present	Massachusetts, USA
1983 to 1998	Illinois, USA
1983 to 1998	Connecticut, USA
1994 to 2002	Lithuania
2001 to Present	Delaware, USA

**BOARD CERTIFICATION**

1991	Diplomat, American Board of Podiatric Surgery
2001	Re-certified, Diplomat, American Board of Podiatric Surgery

**MALPRACTICE HISTORY**

25 years of continuous medical & surgical practice with no incident of malpractice

**HOSPITAL PRIVILEGES (Past and Present)**

2001 to Present	New England Baptist Hospital, Boston, Massachusetts, USA
1990 to Present	Winchester Hospital, Winchester, Massachusetts, USA
2001 to Present	Lawrence Memorial Hospital, Medford, Massachusetts, USA
2001 to Present	New England SurgiCare, Brookline, Massachusetts, USA
1983 to 1998	Boston Regional Medical Center, Stoneham, Massachusetts, USA (Hospital closed in 1998)
1993 to 1995	Woburn Surgical Center, Woburn, Massachusetts, USA (Center closed in 1995)
1992 to 1998	Emerson Hospital, Concord, Massachusetts, USA (voluntary surrender)
1992 to 1998	Andover Surgical Center, Andover, Massachusetts, USA (voluntary surrender)
1993 to 1998	Lowell General Hospital, Lowell, Massachusetts, USA (voluntary surrender)
1992 to 1995	Melrose Hospital, Melrose, Massachusetts, USA (voluntary surrender)
1992 to 1998	Cambridge Hospital, Cambridge, Massachusetts, USA (voluntary surrender)
1994 to Present	Baltic-American Medical & Surgical Clinic, Vilnius, Lithuania
1996 to Present	Pasvalys Regional Hospital, Pasvalys, Lithuania
1996 to Present	Klaipeda City Hospital, Klaipeda, Lithuania
1997 to Present	Orthopedic and Trauma Hospital, Grodno, Belarus

**AFFILIATIONS (Past and Present):**

1990 to Present	Fellow, American College of Foot and Ankle Surgeons
1986 to 1996	Fellow, American Society for Laser Medicine and Surgery
1985 to 1995	Fellow, American Association of Hospital Podiatrists
1983 to Present	American Podiatric Medical Association
1983 to Present	Massachusetts Podiatric Medical Association
1988 to Present	Christian Medical and Dental Society
1986 to 1996	International Society of Podiatric Laser Surgery

**ACADEMIC AND TEACHING POSITIONS**

1998	Professor (Hon.), Department of Orthopedics, Grodno Medical School, Grodno, Belarus
1991	Cambridge Hospital Podiatric Surgical Residency, Cambridge, Massachusetts, USA Harvard Medical School Affiliated Hospital
1984	Clinical Professor, Dr. William M. Scholl College of Podiatric Medicine, Chicago, Illinois, USA
1986	Clinical Professor, New York College of Podiatric Medicine, N.Y., N.Y., USA
1986	Director of post-graduate 1-year training program, Northeast Podiatric, Wilmington, Massachusetts, USA

**PROFESSIONAL AWARDS**

1995	Award for Outstanding Academic and Clinical Contributions, Residency Training Program, Cambridge Hospital (Harvard Teaching Hospital), Cambridge, Massachusetts, USA
1996	Award for Outstanding Academic and Clinical Contributions, Residency Training Program, Cambridge Hospital (Harvard Teaching Hospital), Cambridge, Massachusetts, USA

**CONSULTANT POSITIONS**

2000 to Present	Lufthansa Airlines, Frankfurt, Germany
1985 to 1987	Directed Energy Laser Systems, California, USA
1987 to 1992	Pfizer Laser Systems, Colorado, USA
1989 to 1994	Dow Corning Medical Implant Division, Virginia, USA
1993	WHDH TV, Boston, Massachusetts, USA
1992 to 1993	Health Payment Review Corporation, Inc., 316 Newbury St., Boston, USA
1993	WLLH Radio, Lowell, Massachusetts, USA

## **PUBLICATIONS**

1. Leavitt KM: Titanium Hemi-Great Toe Implant: A Preliminary Study of Its Efficacy, The Journal of Foot Surgery, Vol. 30, 3, 1991.
2. Leavitt KM. "CO<sub>2</sub> Laser Excision of Plantar Verrucae: Surgical Advantages, Clinical Experiences Using Carbon Dioxide Lasers in Podiatric Medicine", independent publication
3. Directed Energy – CO<sub>2</sub> Laser Surgery for Verrucae – A technique, Laser Letter, Winter 1991, Issue 23, International Society of Podiatric Laser Surgery.
4. CO<sub>2</sub> Laser Biophysics: A Primer/Review, Laser Letter, Spring 1992, Issue 24, International Society of Podiatric Laser Surgery, Leavitt
5. Laser Safety Glasses – Do you have the real thing?, Laser Letter, Fall 1992, Issue 25, Leavitt
6. "Z" Osteotomy of the 1<sup>st</sup> Metatarsal During Hallux Valgus Correction, review of 3,000 cases, Lithuanian Traumatology Society, Year 2000 Conference and Abstract publication, Leavitt

## **LASER TRAINING AND LECTURING – ‘CO<sub>2</sub> DERMATOLOGIC USES’**

1. Lecture and training course, Brussels, Belgium, public hospital, September 1987.
2. Lecture and training course, Brussels, Belgium, public hospital, March 1988.
3. Lecture and training course, Pfizer Laser Systems - sponsor, Atlanta, Georgia, USA, November, 1988.
4. Lecture and training course, Pfizer Laser Systems – sponsor, Rhode Island, USA, April, 1989.
5. Lecture and training course, Pfizer Laser Systems – sponsor, Detroit, Michigan, USA, June, 1989.
6. Lecture and training course, Pfizer Laser Systems – sponsor, Cambridge, Massachusetts, USA, July, 1989.
7. Lecture and training course, Pfizer Laser Systems – sponsor, American College of Foot Surgeons Seminar, Buffalo, New York, September, 1989.
8. Lecture and training course, Pfizer Laser Systems – sponsor, Louisville, Kentucky, USA, February, 1990.
9. Lecture and training course, Pfizer Laser Systems – sponsor, American College of Foot Surgeons Seminar, Buffalo, New York, September, 1990.
10. Lecture and training course, Pfizer Laser Systems – sponsor, Scholl College of Podiatric Medicine, Chicago, Illinois, USA, October, 1991.
11. Lecture and training course, Directed Energy Laser Systems – sponsor, Regional Education Seminar, Newport, Rhode Island, USA, May 1992.
12. Lecture and training course, Vilnius University Emergency Hospital, Vilnius, Lithuania, November, 1992.
13. Lecture and training course, Directed Energy Laser Systems – sponsor, Rhode Island Podiatric Medical Association and the American College of Foot Surgeons, Newport, Rhode Island, USA, May 1993.

14. Lecture and training course, Directed Energy Laser Systems – sponsor, Brighton, England, October, 1993.
15. Lecture and training course, Baltic-American Clinic training program, Vilnius, Lithuania, November, 1996.

#### **LECTURES – “HEMI-GREAT TOE IMPLANT”**

1. St. Louis Podiatric Medical Society, St. Louis, Missouri, USA, March, 1992.
2. Vilnius University Emergency Hospital, Vilnius, Lithuania, November 1992.
3. The Cambridge Hospital, Cambridge, Massachusetts, USA, January, 1993.
4. The Royal Society of Medicine, London, England, May, 1993.
5. Lecturer, Brighton Hospital, Brighton, England, October, 1993.
6. The Cambridge Hospital, Cambridge, Massachusetts, USA, January 1994.
7. Klaipeda City Hospital, Klaipeda, Lithuania, December, 1995.

#### **LECTURE – “ENDOSCOPIC PLANTAR FASCIOTOMY”**

1. Didactic and hand-on cadavaric and clinical application in St. Mary’s Hospital, London, England, October, 1993.
2. Lecture, Cambridge Hospital, Cambridge, Massachusetts, USA, April, 1994.
3. Lecture, Sturdy Memorial Hospital, Attleboro, Massachusetts, USA, May, 1994.
4. Lecture Cambridge Hospital, Cambridge, Massachusetts, USA, September 1994.

#### **GENERAL LECTURES – ‘VARIOUS ASPECTS OF FOOT AND ANKLE SURGERY’**

1. Great Toe Pain, Causes and Treatment, Brussels Rehabilitation Hospital, Brussels, Belgium, September, 1990
2. Great Toe Pain and Heel Pain – Causes and Treatment, Marktoberdorf, Germany, November, 1992.
3. Forefoot Surgery, Vilnius University Emergency Hospital, Vilnius, Lithuania, November, 1992.
4. Hallux Valgus Correction, Siauliai City Hospital, Siauliai, Lithuania, January, 1995.
5. The Rheumatoid Foot, Pasvalys Regional Hospital, Pasvalys, Lithuania, January, 1997.
6. Hallux Valgus Correction and other forefoot surgical procedures, Grodno Orthopedic Hospital, Grodno, Belarussia, April 1997
7. “Z” Osteotomy of the 1<sup>st</sup> Metatarsal During Hallux Valgus Correction, review of 3,000 cases, Lithuanian Traumatology Society, Year 2000 Conference, Vilnius, Lithuania, April, 2000.

**ADDITIONAL POST-GRADUATE TRAINING**

1. Internal fixation techniques workshop, Yankee Podiatric Medical and Surgical Conference, Boston, Massachusetts, USA, 1986.
2. Advanced internal fixation techniques workshop, Doctor's Hospital Podiatric Medical Research Institute, Atlanta Georgia, USA, 1988.
3. CO<sub>2</sub> Laser training, Medical Education and Preceptorship Training Program, Staten Island Medical Center, July 1986.
4. Intensive 50 hour – one week hands-on workshop with live rat specimens, in micro-vascular anastomosis of rat femoral artery, and human clinical applications, Prato Italy, March 1987.
5. Endoscopic plantar fasciotomy training program with hands-on clinical applications, April, 1993.
6. Advanced Cardiac Life Support, Boston Division Training Program, Boston, Massachusetts, USA, 1987 and 1989.