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Michael is a Board Certified Orthopaedic Specialist, and a Fellow of the American Academy of Orthopedic Manual Physical Therapists. Michael received his Masters of Health Science from the University of Indianapolis ('99), his Graduate Diploma in Physiotherapy from the University of Sydney in Australia ('82) and his Bachelor of Science from the University of New South Wales in Australia ('81). Mr. O'Hearn is currently an adjunct clinical instructor at the University of Illinois at Chicago Fellowship Program in Orthopaedic Manual Therapy teaching courses in Orthopedic Manual Therapy and Clinical Mentorship. Michael has had a multitude of articles published in *Journal of Manual and Manipulative Therapy* and the *Journal of Orthopedic Sports Physical Therapy*, among other publications, as recently as 2012. Michael has presented on hip pain and on spine-related extremity pain at the 2011 AAOMPT Annual Conference. In addition Mr. O'Hearn presented at three MAPS Symposiums on clinical reasoning and the Maitland approach to running injuries. Michael has been awarded the Michigan Physical Therapy Association Outstanding Clinical Instructor Award and the Andrews University Physical Therapy Program Outstanding Teacher Award. Today, Mr. O'Hearn is the Chief of Physical Therapy at Lakeland HealthCare in St. Joseph, MI, in addition to being a senior MAPS instructor. With his vast experience and education, Michael fully understands the demanding environment facing all physical therapists today.