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## PROFESSIONAL PROFILE

Sports chiropractor and clinician-educator with more than a decade of experience in collegiate, professional, and international sport. Clinical Coordinator of Chiropractic Education in Troy University's inaugural Doctor of Chiropractic Program, overseeing the outpatient clinic, clinical courses, and resident programs. President of the American Chiropractic Board of Sports Physicians (ACBSP), directing strategic planning, credentialing policy, and governance for a national certifying body, and an active contributor to national examination development through the National Board of Chiropractic Examiners (NBCE).

## EDUCATION

Master of Science, Strength & Human Performance — Parker University, Dallas, TX *2023*

Doctor of Chiropractic — Parker University, Dallas, TX *2015*

Bachelor of Science, Anatomy — Parker University, Dallas, TX *2015*

Bachelor of Science, Health & Wellness — Parker University, Dallas, TX *2015*

## CERTIFICATIONS & CREDENTIALS

- Diplomate, American Chiropractic Board of Sports Physicians (DACBSP®)
- Certified Strength & Conditioning Specialist (CSCS), National Strength and Conditioning Association
- International Certificate in Sports Chiropractic (ICSC®)
- NBCE Acupuncture Certification

## ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

**Clinical Coordinator of Chiropractic Education; Assistant Professor of Practice** *August 2026 – Present*

*Doctor of Chiropractic Program, Troy University — Dothan, AL*

- Oversee clinical operations, clinical education, and faculty supervision for the program's outpatient chiropractic clinic, the primary clinical training site for the Doctor of Chiropractic Program.
- Work with the program director to ensure clinical training meets Council on Chiropractic Education (CCE) accreditation standards, including supervised patient-contact requirements.
- Direct the Sports and Tactical Residency & Fellowship Program within the Integrated Performance Center, overseeing postgraduate clinical training and supervision for residents and fellows.
- Develop the clinic as a community healthcare resource for the Wiregrass region that integrates patient care with student clinical training.

**Clinic Faculty Doctor** *May 2021 – February 2023*

*Parker University — Dallas, TX*

- Developed and implemented the sports chiropractic meta-competency curriculum, the educational framework for intern clinical training.
- Supervised 16–20 sports chiropractic interns per trimester in clinical care, documentation, and professional decision-making, supporting more than 5,000 patient interactions in 2022.
- Designed intern competency modules associated with a 93% first-time pass rate on capstone examinations.
- Contributed to the Outcome Assessment Tool working group on implementation of patient-reported outcome measures (PROMs) and methods for measuring clinical effectiveness.

**Adjunct Faculty, Chiropractic Technique** *January 2021 – May 2021*

*Parker University — Dallas, TX*

- Taught diversified chiropractic technique, emphasizing psychomotor skill development and safe application of spinal and extremity adjusting.

**Adjunct Faculty, Anatomy & Physiology** *August 2019 – May 2021*
*Texas Woman's University — Denton, TX*

- Delivered anatomy and physiology instruction with clinical application, supporting laboratory practicals and student assessment.

## CLINICAL & SPORTS MEDICINE EXPERIENCE

**Sports Performance & Sports Medicine Specialist** *February 2025 – January 2026*
*Delta S Performance — Golden, CO*

- Delivered integrated sports medicine and performance services for competitive athletes within a multidisciplinary team; served as sports medicine staff for professional ultimate teams Colorado Summit and Colorado Alpenglow.

**Sports Medicine Specialist** *February 2023 – January 2025*
*Canyon Ranch — Tucson, AZ*

- Developed performance assessment services including $VO_2$max testing, force production, gait analysis, and biomechanics (Noraxon) in a multidisciplinary wellness setting.

**Owner & Sports Chiropractor** *October 2016 – May 2021*
*Victory Sports Rehab — Flower Mound, TX*

- Founded and operated an integrative sports rehabilitation and performance clinic serving competitive athletes.

**Sports Chiropractor** *June 2015 – September 2016*
*Stack Velocity Physical Medicine — Southlake, TX*

- Provided sports chiropractic care to high school, collegiate, and professional athletes, including athletes in MLB, NFL, NBA, NHL, and NWSL.

## PROFESSIONAL LEADERSHIP & SERVICE

**President, Board of Directors (re-elected for 2026–2029 term)** *July 2024 – Present*
*American Chiropractic Board of Sports Physicians (ACBSP) — National*

- Provide strategic leadership for a national certifying body overseeing sports chiropractic education, credentialing, and continuing education.
- Lead strategic planning, governance modernization, and credentialing policy development.

**Treasurer, Board of Directors** (July 2023 – June 2024)

**DACBSP Practical Examination Committee Member & Volunteer** (2021 – 2023)

**Part IV Examiner** *March 2026 – September 2026*
*National Board of Chiropractic Examiners (NBCE) — Greeley, CO*

- Evaluate candidates on OSCE-based clinical performance in the redesigned Part IV examination, applying standardized criteria to support inter-rater reliability.
- Participated in the Part IV Advancement and Development (PAD) Project stakeholder focus group (2021–2022) during redesign of the examination format.
- Served on the NBCE Special Purposes Examination for Chiropractic and Acupuncture Test Development Committee and Standard Setting Workshop (2022), contributing to item development and cut-score determination.

**Director of Performance & Sports Medicine** *February 2024 – Present*
*US Fistball Association — National*

- Direct sports medicine and performance programming for U.S. national teams, including training load, recovery, travel, and competition preparation; coordinate medical and performance staff for international competition, including the World Games.

**Director of Education (2023 – 2024); Faculty Liaison Advisor (2022 – 2023)**
*American Chiropractic Association (ACA) Sports Council — National*

## PUBLICATIONS

Pohlman KA, Stuber KJ, Monier Z, **Graham RB**, Muller R, Cerf K, Boylan P, Browning AB, Malaya CA, Tom L, Palmgren PJ, Eklund A. Evaluation of chiropractic students' perspectives on back pain management following one of three clinical evidence-based educational training interventions: a cluster-randomized trial. *Journal of Chiropractic Education*. 2025 Aug;69(2):120–130. PMID: 41098646.

## SELECTED PRESENTATIONS

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| "Moving Through Arthritis." ACA Engage 2026. | *January 2026* |
| "Moving Through Arthritis." NSCA Colorado State Clinic. | *October 2025* |
| "Moving Through Arthritis." APTA Colorado Annual Conference. | *October 2025* |
| "Specific Answers for Non-Specific Low Back Pain." Association of New Jersey Chiropractors. | *April 2025* |
| "Moving Through Arthritis." Illinois Chiropractic Society Virtual Heartland Symposium. | *April 2025* |
| "Moving Through Arthritis." ACBSP Chiropractic Sports Sciences Symposium. | *March 2025* |
| "Demystifying the Shoulder Complex." Texas Chiropractic College Homecoming. | *August 2023* |
| "Working with the Youth Athlete." Texas Sports Chiropractic Conference. | *November 2020* |

## SPORTS MEDICINE EVENT & TEAM COVERAGE

**Events**

- World Games — U.S. Fistball Association Medical Lead (2025)
- FISU World University Games (Winter) — U.S. Delegation (2023); Local Organizing Committee (2025)
- USATKD Colorado State Championship — Medical Lead (2026)
- World Athletics Championships (2022)
- NCTA National Collegiate and High School Championships (2019, 2022)
- Nitro Circus North America Tour (2021)
- USA Judo Junior Olympic International Championships (2018)
- Texas State Taekwondo Championships and Dallas International Taekwondo Invitational (2019)

**Teams**

- Colorado Summit (professional ultimate) — Team Doctor (2025)
- Colorado Alpenglow — Medical Team (2025)
- Denton Diablos Football Club — Team Doctor (2019–2020)
- UT Arlington Movin' Mavs — Team Chiropractor (2018–2019)
- FCD Women (WPSL) — Team Chiropractor (2017)

## PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

- American Chiropractic Association (ACA); ACA Sports Council
- National Strength and Conditioning Association (NSCA)

## AWARDS & RECOGNITION

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| Alumni of the Year — Parker University | *2025* |
| Presidential Service Award — American Chiropractic Board of Sports Physicians | *2022* |

## AREAS OF EXPERTISE

Clinical education and curriculum development • Competency assessment and examination design • Leadership, strategy, and governance • Sports medicine and rehabilitation • Injury prevention and return to play • Strength and conditioning • Sports performance and load management • Biomechanics and movement analysis • Athlete monitoring and performance technology