

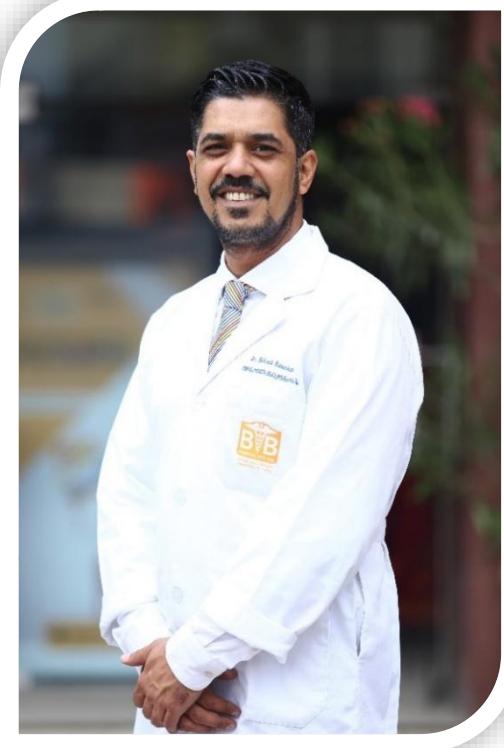
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- **Google Scholar:** <https://scholar.google.com/citations?hl=en&user=obFYTLgAAAAJ>

## **Professional Appointments & Affiliations**

- **Executive/Medical Director:** Hospital & Rehabilitation Center for Disabled Children (HRDC), Nepal
- **Deputy director, Consultant Orthopaedic Surgeon, Head Unit 1:** B&B Hospital, Nepal
- **Co-founder:** AKB Education Foundation (AKBEF)
- **Deputy Director:** AKBEF Clinical Fellowship Program
- **Vice president:** Association of Pelvi-Acetabular Surgeons of Nepal (APASON)

- **Vice president:** Nepal Arthroplasty Society (NAS)
- **Faculty:** NBMS Program (Orthopedic Residency)
- **Editor in chief:** Nepal Orthopedic Association Journal (NOAJ)
- **Advisor:** MiracleFeet Medical Advisory Board, USA
- **Advisor:** Advisory Council for Institute for Global Orthopedics and Traumatology (IGOT), San Francisco, USA

## Professional Memberships

1. Nepal Medical Council (NMC No.3457)
2. Nepal Orthopaedic Association (NOA No.180)
3. Royal College of Surgeons of Edinburgh
4. Nepal Medical Association (NMA No.4820)
5. General Medical Council, UK (No.6067490)
6. Nepal Arthroplasty Society (NAS), Life Member
7. Association of Pelvi-Acetabular Surgeons of Nepal (APASON), Life Member
8. B&B Hospital Institutional Review Committee

## Education

- **Hip Fellowship (2017):** Inselspital Stiftung, Bern, Switzerland
- **Research Fellowship, Pediatric Orthopedics (2013):** Children's Hospital of Philadelphia, USA
- **Masters in Orthopedic Surgery (2012):** Kathmandu University, Nepal
- **USMLE Step 1 (2008)**
- **Intercollegiate MRCS (2007):** Royal College of Surgeons, Edinburgh, UK
- **PLAB (2005)**
- **IELTS (2002):** Score 7.5/9
- **MBBS (1995–2001):** University of Rajasthan, India
  - **Award:** Gold Medal in Anatomy (1997)

## Current Positions

- **Executive/Medical Director:** Hospital & Rehabilitation Center for Disabled Children (HRDC), Nepal
- **Consultant Orthopedic Surgeon:** B&B Hospital, Nepal
- **Co-founder:** AKB Education Foundation

## Medical Training

- **June 2017 – Sept 2017:** Hip Fellowship, Inselspital, Bern, Switzerland
- **June 2012 – Feb 2013:** Research Fellow, Pediatric Orthopedics, Children's Hospital of Philadelphia, USA
- **Jan 2009 – Mar 2012:** Masters in Orthopedic Surgery, Kathmandu University, Nepal

- **Sept 2008 – Dec 2008:** Clinical Observer, Steadman Hawkins Sports Clinic, Colorado, USA
- **Mar 2008 – Aug 2008:** Fixed Term Specialty Trainee, Vascular Surgery, Russells Hall Hospital, Dudley, UK
- **Dec 2007 – Mar 2008:** Fixed Term Specialty Trainee, Trauma & Orthopaedics, Russells Hall Hospital, Dudley, UK
- **Aug 2007 – Dec 2007:** Fixed Term Specialty Trainee, Arthroscopy Unit, Royal Orthopaedic Hospital, Birmingham, UK
- **Aug 2006 – Aug 2007:** Senior House Officer, Trauma and Orthopaedics, Ysbyty Gwynedd Hospital, North Wales, UK
- **Aug 2005 – Aug 2006:** Senior House Officer, Trauma and Orthopaedics, Hemel Hempstead General Hospital, UK
- **Mar 2005 – Aug 2005:** Clinical Observer, Trauma and Orthopedics, Hemel Hempstead General Hospital, UK
- **June 2004 – Oct 2004:** House Officer, Paediatric Orthopaedics, HRDC, Nepal
- **Oct 2003 – May 2004:** House Officer, Trauma and Orthopaedics, B&B Hospital, Nepal
- **Oct 2002 – Oct 2003:** House Officer, General Surgery & Urology, B&B Hospital, Nepal
- **Mar 2002 – Oct 2002:** Resident, Accident and Emergency, Patan Hospital, Kathmandu, Nepal
- **Jan 2001 – Jan 2002:** Pre-Registration House Officer Rotation (General Medicine/Surgery/Obs & Gyn/A&E/Community Medicine), SMS Medical College & Hospitals, India

## Courses & Certifications

### Surgical Training Courses

- **2007:** Advanced Life Support (ALS), Northwest Wales NHS Trust, Bangor, UK
- **2007:** Care of the Critically Ill Surgical Patient (CCrISP), Royal College of Surgeons of England, Cardiff, UK
- **2007:** Acute Life-Threatening Emergency Recognition and Treatment (ALERT), Northwest Wales NHS Trust, Bangor, UK
- **2006:** Advanced Trauma Life Support (ATLS), The Royal College of Surgeons of England, Lister Hospital, UK
- **2005:** Immediate Life Support (ILS), West Herts Hospital NHS Trust, UK
- **2004:** Basic Surgical Skills, Royal College of Surgeons of Edinburgh, New Delhi, India

### Trauma and Orthopedics Courses

- **2023:** BPKIHS Pelvi-acetabular Cadaveric Course (Faculty)
- **2017, 2022:** AO Pelvic Fracture Fixation Course, Nepal
- **2015:** Ganga Arthroplasty Course, Coimbatore, India
- **2014:** Ranawat Arthroplasty Course, New Delhi, India
- **2014:** Primary Knee Arthroplasty Workshop, Vappi, India

- **2012:** International Pediatric Orthopedic Symposium (IPOS), Orlando, USA
- **2012:** Ponseti Clubfoot Management Course, Iowa, USA
- **2008:** AO Principles of Fracture Fixation Course, Leeds, UK
- **2007:** Core Skills in Operative Orthopaedic Surgery, Royal College of Surgeons of England, Cardiff, UK
- **2007:** Knee Arthroplasty Course, Alexandra Hospital, Redditch, UK
- **2006:** International Hip Replacement Course, Medway Maritime Hospital NHS Trust, Gillingham, UK

## Other Courses

- **2022:** Ethics and Good Clinical Practice, NBMS, Nepal
- **2007:** Statistics for Clinicians, Springfield Hospital, Chelmsford, UK
- **2004:** Rehabilitation and Physical Medicine Course, HRDC, Nepal
- **2004:** Health Research Methodology, Nepal Health Research Council, Nepal
- **2004:** Primary Trauma Care Management, World Federation of Societies of Anesthesiologists, Nepal
- **2001:** Training Workshop on Evidence Based Medicine, America Nepal Medical Foundation, Nepal

## Journal Reviewer

- **Biomed Central (BMC) Journal:** 24 reviews (*Excellent Peer-Reviewed Award, Aug 2022*)
- **Indian Journal of Orthopedics:** 2 reviews
- **Journal of Nepal Health Research Center (JNHRC):** 2 reviews
- **Lancet Global:** 1 review
- **Disability and Rehabilitation:** 3 reviews
- **Frontiers:** 2 Review

## Publications

1. Pandey, N. R., Poudel, A., Rajbhandari, A., & **Banskota, B.** (2025, April). Management of unusually presenting open pelvic and bilateral femur fractures with crush injury of a foot in an adolescent: A case report. *Nepal Orthopedic Association Journal*. <https://doi.org/10.59173/noaj.20251101j>
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3. Bhusal, R., Banskota, A. K., & **Banskota, B.** (2025, April). *Epidemiology of surgical admissions among children with physical disabilities in Nepal: A retrospective analysis and forecasting using machine learning techniques*. Paper presented at the 11th NHRC Summit, Nepal. <https://doi.org/10.13140/RG.2.2.24260.95369>

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<https://doi.org/10.1007/s00590-025-04243-2>
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36. Mishra BN, Poudel RR, **Banskota B**, Shrestha BK, Banskota AK. ESWT vs Methylprednisolone in Plantar Fasciitis. *J Clin Orthop Trauma*, 2018.
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## Book Chapters

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## Awards

- **Best Poster Award, ORTHOCON 2022:** Salvaging a post-infective hip presenting with acute varus deformity and secondary hip dysplasia.
- **Best Publication Award, ORTHOCON 2023:** Banskota B, Yadav P, Rajbhandari A, Aryal R, Banskota AK. Hip Arthrodesis in Children: A Review of 26 Cases with 20 Years' Follow-up. *Bone Joint J* 2022;104-B(9):1089–1094.
- **Best publication award, ORTHOCON 2018:** Outcomes of the Ponseti Method for Untreated Clubfeet in Nepalese Patients Seen Between the Ages of One and Five Years and Followed for at Least 10 Years. Banskota, Bibek, MRCS, MS; Yadav, Prakash,

*MPH; Rajbhandari, Tarun, MS; Shrestha, O.P., MS1; Talwar, Divya, MPH2; Banskota, Ashok, MD, FRCS1; Spiegel, David A., MD2 JBJS Am: December 5, 2018 - Volume 100 - Issue 23 - p 2004-2014 doi: 10.2106/JBJS.18.00445*

## Current Research & Ongoing Projects

1. **Standard vs. Accelerated Ponseti Technique:** A randomized control study in the treatment of idiopathic clubfeet in children.
2. **Ponseti Technique in Older Children:** Long-term follow-up study in 5- to 10-year-olds.
3. **Economic Impact of Disability:** A prospective case-control study assessing disability in children.
4. **Open Surgery in Developmental Dysplasia of the Hip:** Long-term treatment outcome in children presenting after walking age.
5. Epidemiology of Surgical Admissions among Children with Physical Disabilities in Nepal: A Retrospective Analysis and Forecasting Using Machine Learning Techniques

## Teaching Experience & Management Skills

- **Early Leadership:** School Captain and Head Prefect (1994–95), American Friendship Residential School, Bangalore.
- **Academic Roles:** Actively involved in teaching residents, registrars, and fellows—specializing in hip and pelvis surgery for both children and adults.
- **Hospital Management:** As Executive Director of HRDC, responsible for fundraising, liaising with government/NGOs, daily management, and clinical duties.
- **Symposium & Workshop Leadership:**
  - Organizing Faculty for “Research for Clinicians” (AKB Education Foundation)
  - Organizing Faculty for Pelvis-Acetabular Cadaveric Workshop (BPKIHS, Dharan)
  - Key organizer at multiple national conferences and symposia, including:
    - Inaugural Symposium of the Nepal Orthopedic Association Pelviacetabular Subcommittee (2022)
    - Traumacon 2022, Kathmandu
    - First Knee Arthroplasty Symposium (2018) and Second Hip & Knee Arthroplasty Symposium (2019)
    - HRDC-B&B Pediatric Orthopaedic Course (2018)
    - EPOS-POSNA-HRDC Nepal Pediatric Orthopaedic Review Course (2017)
    - 1st Cerebral Palsy Conference in Nepal (CPiN, 2013)
    - International Symposium on Pediatric Orthopedics (ISPOT, 2011)
    - Nepal America Spine Conference (NASCon, 2010)

## ESAR Project

- **Role:** Project In-charge for The Emergency Surveillance and All-Inclusive Response (ESAR) following the April 25, 2015 earthquake in Nepal.
- **Highlights:**
  - Reached over 45,000 victims via 110 mobile clinics.
  - Over 530 victims received surgical intervention, predominantly orthopedic.
  - Awarded the ‘Sri Balaram Joshi Gyan Bigyan Social Award’ for outstanding service.

## Presentations

### National Faculty

- **Nepal Orthopedic Association ORTHOCON:**
  - Pediatric Orthopedics: 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2022, 2023, 2024
  - Pelvis-Acetabular Surgery & Arthroplasty: 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024
- **Other Sessions:**
  - International Symposium on Pediatric Orthopedics & Trauma (ISPOT), 2011
  - 1st Cerebral Palsy Conference (CPiN), 2013
  - NHRC, Cerebral Palsy in Nepal, 2014
  - HRDC-B&B Pediatric Orthopaedic Course, 2018
  - EPOS-POSNA-HRDC Pediatric Orthopaedic Review Course, 2017
  - AO Pediatric Orthopedic Course, Nepal Medical College, 2017
  - First knee arthroplasty symposium of the Nepal Orthopedic Association Arthroplasty Subcommittee, B&B Hospital, Kathmandu, 2018
  - Second hip and knee arthroplasty symposium of the Nepal Orthopedic Association Arthroplasty Subcommittee, Institute of Medicine, Kathmandu, 2019
  - Nepal Orthopedic Association Annual Meetings (Pediatric sessions)
  - NOA Pelvis Acetabulum Subcommittee CME, 2022

### Invited Faculty/ Speaker:

- Pediatric physical disability in Nepal. American Himalayan Foundation (AHF), San Francisco, 2016 & 2022
- Addressing musculoskeletal disability in socioeconomically deprived children in Nepal. UNICEF all staff meeting (webinar), Kathmandu, 2016 & 2020
- The Australian Pediatric Orthopedic Society meeting, Noosa, Australia, 2016
  - “Pediatric Orthopedics in Nepal”
- Chengdu, China (Chinese Association of Orthopedic Surgeons)
  - Assessment of a child with Cerebral Palsy
  - Neglected clubfoot in Children.
- Xi'an, China (Chinese Association of Orthopedic Surgeons)

- Clubfoot in older children
- Developing pediatric orthopedic services in Nepal

### **Other Presentations:**

- Outcomes of the Ponseti Method for Untreated Clubfeet in Nepalese Patients Seen Between the Ages of One and Five Years and Followed for at Least 10 Years. Presented at the annual meeting of the **Pediatric Orthopedic Society of North America (POSNA)**, Austin, Texas, USA, 2018
- The Ponseti method in the treatment of children with idiopathic clubfoot presenting between five and ten years of age. *Pediatric Orthopedic Society of North America (POSNA)[Toronto] and World Congress of Surgery [Trinidad], 2012.*
- Coagulation Screening in an Orthopaedic Trauma Unit: An Audit of Practice. **British Trauma Society:** (Oct 2007, Nottingham)
- Estimation of Joint Angular Displacement by Medical Staff at a District General Hospital. **British Trauma Society:** (Oct 2007, Nottingham)
- Can Carpal Malalignment Predict Early and Late Instability in Non-operatively Managed Distal Radius Fractures? **British Trauma Society:** (Oct 2007, Nottingham)
- Edinburgh Splints: Are We Achieving A 'Safe Position'? **British Orthopaedic Association:** (Sept 2007, Manchester)
- Patient Information Leaflets in Joint Arthroplasty: Are They Useful? **Welsh Orthopaedic Society:** (May 2007, Aberytwyth)
- Rapidly Destructive Osteoarthritis of Hip. **British Hip Society:** (March 2007, Leeds)
- Habitual Dislocation of Patella Treated by the Galeazzi Procedure: A Follow Up Study of Twelve Knees. **Nepal Orthopaedic Association:** (Dec 2004, Kathmandu)

## Audits

- **Fracture Neck of Femur management in A&E compared to British Association of Accident and Emergency Medicine guidelines:**  
*Outcome: Recommendations led to development of pain protocol and renewed interest in an already existing 'fast tracking' system for fracture neck of femur patients.*
- **Coagulation Screening in an Orthopaedic Trauma Unit:** An Audit of Practice:  
*Outcome: Recommendations lead to development of protocol based on NICE guidelines and decrease in unnecessary testing, especially obvious in common*

*conditions like fracture neck of femur patients without significant co-morbidity. Re-audit to be carried out in the near future.*

- **Edinburgh Splints: Are We Achieving A 'Safe Position'?**

*Outcome: This audit lead to increased awareness of the importance of the 'safe position' for proper application of the splint to prevent eventual finger stiffness and compromised hand function following the use of Edinburgh splints for hand injuries. A change of practice was noted amongst junior staff and technicians applying this splint. Re-audit to be carried out in the near future.*

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