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### **LIVINGSTON PHYSICIAN APPOINTED TO INTERNATIONAL SCIENTIFIC COMMITTEE**

Livingston HealthCare announces that orthopedic surgeon Michelle Donaldson, MD has been appointed by the International Society of Arthroscopy, Knee Surgery, and Orthopedic Sports Medicine (ISAKOS) to the ISAKOS Scientific Committee for the 2011-2015 term. In 2003, Dr. Donaldson received an award from ISAKOS for her research on the link between shoulder instability and the development of shoulder arthritis.

Dr. Donaldson is an internationally recognized orthopedic surgeon who is fellowship trained in the advanced treatment of arthritis and sporting injuries of the shoulder, elbow, hip, knee, and ankle. She completed her orthopedic residency at Johns Hopkins and a sports medicine fellowship at the Steadman Hawkins Clinic in Vail, Colorado. She is a United States Ski and Snowboard Team Physician and is Board Certified in Orthopedic Surgery and Sports Medicine.

“It is truly an honor to be chosen for this position by this prestigious organization,” says Dr. Donaldson. “I have been active in ISAKOS for many years, and I look forward to being able to support and cultivate young orthopedists and scientists in the same way that the ISAKOS scientific committee assisted me.”

ISAKOS is an international society of surgeons established to advance the worldwide exchange and dissemination of education, research and patient care in arthroscopy, knee surgery and orthopedic sports medicine. The scientific committee has 17 members who represent countries from around the world. For more information, visit [www.isakos.com](http://www.isakos.com).

For more information about Dr. Donaldson and the orthopedic services available through Livingston HealthCare, please visit [www.livingstonhealthcareortho.org](http://www.livingstonhealthcareortho.org).

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