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FLORIDA PODIATRIC MEDICAL ASSOCIATION (FPMA) WELCOMES NEW PRESIDENT

TALLAHASSEE – The Florida Podiatric Medical Association (FPMA) is proud to announce **Dr. Mark A. Lambert** was named 2017 FPMA President on Friday, January 20, 2017 during its annual Science & Management Symposium (SAM 2017) held in Orlando, Florida. Dr. Lambert was sworn in on Saturday, January 21 at the FPMA Presidential Gala at the Hilton Orlando, where SAM 2017 took place from January 18 - 22, 2017.

Dr. Lambert is a native of Pensacola, Florida. After attending college at the University of Alabama, University of West Florida, and Florida State University, he spent two years in Dallas, Texas at Baylor Medical Center doing surgical research on a variety of Orthopedic and Organ Transplantation projects. He received his medical degree from Kent State University College of Podiatric Medicine, where he earned The Baird Johnson Award and was listed in Who's Who in American Medical Colleges and Universities. He was elected President of the Ohio Podiatric Medical Student Association and held the office for two years.

Dr. Lambert's three year residency was completed at Huntington VA Medical Center and St. Mary's Hospital Surgical Residency Program, affiliated with the Marshall University School of Medicine. He served as Chief Resident for two years. He finished his training and returned to Pensacola, Florida to practice in July, 1999.

Dr. Lambert specializes in complex medical and surgical treatment of the foot, ankle, and lower leg. He has trained in the U.S. and Europe to learn the application of the Ilizarov technique to correct a whole host of musculoskeletal disorders. He travels extensively to keep up with the latest techniques in Medicine and Surgery.

FPMA celebrates Dr. Lambert as its new president and highlights the important service he continues to provide the citizens of his Pensacola community, in addition to his steadfast promotion and advancement of the profession of Podiatry in the state of Florida.

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FPMA is a Tallahassee-based, statewide, professional association representing podiatric physicians in Florida. Founded in 1927 for the purpose of advancing the science and art of Podiatric Medicine, FPMA is dedicated to promoting the importance of podiatric healthcare among the general public and healthcare professionals throughout the state of Florida. FPMA currently has over 1,000 members and represents over 70% of the active, licensed podiatric physicians in Florida. FPMA - We keep Florida walking!