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NYCPM's Schuster Biomechanics Seminar Gathered Experts from Across the U.S.



Sponsored by an education grant from Jerry Seinfeld, the third annual Richard O. Schuster, DPM Memorial Biomechanics Seminar was held at NYCPM on November 14, 2015, and featured a once-in-a-lifetime assembly of preeminent speakers from all across the U.S. Joseph D'Amico, DPM, Professor and past chair of the Department of Orthopedics served with distinction as the Scientific Chair of the Seminar.

Guido LaPorta, DPM; Kevin Kirby, DPM; John McNerney, DPM; James Losito, DPM; J. David Skliar, DPM; and Jinsup Song, DPM, PhD, as well as acclaimed experts from NYCPM including Dr. D'Amico, Russell L. Volpe, DPM, and Jeffrey Cusack, DPM, made presentations. Lectures were geared to reaffirm and re-establish biomechanics as the cornerstone for the practice of podiatric medicine and surgery. Topics focused on lower extremity bio- and pathomechanics from a static as well as a dynamic perspective and its accompanying influence and significance in the pediatric, adult and sports-participant patient. The importance of phylogenetic and ontogenic influences in the foot and ankle and their resultant equinovarus deficiencies were a focus of the presentations.