



December 6, 2017

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RE: George C. Babis Elite Reviewer recognition in *JBJS*

Dear Dr. Dimopoulos:

We are pleased to inform you that a member of your faculty, George C. Babis, has once again been designated as an Elite Reviewer for *The Journal of Bone & Joint Surgery*. *JBJS* is one of the leading scientific publications in the field of orthopaedic surgery with a 2016 impact factor of 4.840. Dr. Babis has met the criteria of reviewing four or more manuscripts in 2017, rarely (if ever) refusing to review a manuscript, maintaining an exceptional review turnaround time, and consistently achieving review ratings in the top 1-2 percentile. Of the approximately 1,200 reviewers in our database, less than 3% have achieved this elite status. We recognize our Elite Reviewers by listing them on our [JBJS Elite Reviewers Program webpage](#) as well alongside our Editorial Board members in print and [online](#).

Please do not hesitate to contact me for additional details about our recognition of your faculty member's outstanding contribution to the *JBJS* peer-review process.

Sincerely,

Marc Swiontkowski, MD
Editor-in-Chief
The Journal of Bone & Joint Surgery

CC: George C. Babis