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Associate Professor Nicholas Smith is a hand and wrist surgeon practicing in Sydney. He graduated from Sydney University in 1992 and completed his FRACS in orthopaedics in 2002. He completed fellowships in limb lengthening and reconstruction (CHW 2000), shoulder and elbow with David Duckworth Sydney 2002/3 and was the international hand and upper extremity fellow at Texas Scottish Rite Hospital Dallas 2003/4. His mentor and senior colleague in hand surgery was Professor Michael Tonkin. He has a longstanding academic interest in hand and wrist surgery, currently largely focused on adult wrist reconstructive surgery and arthroscopy. He is an active member of NSW hand surgery society, of which he has been secretary and president. He is also active in the Australian Hand Surgery Society. He has initiated and supervised the hand simulator project in the Macquarie University biomechanics laboratory and is on the national initiation team for the wrist simulator. He has made 120 presentations at national and international meetings and has been an invited speaker and guest lecturer at national and international hand surgery meetings. He has won multiple awards for his contributions to hand surgery meetings. He was the Australian Hand Surgery Society international travelling fellow in 2015. He has been an invited faculty member at the Mayo Clinic wrist course in 2022 and a faculty member at European Wrist Arthroscopy Society courses at IRCAD in Strasbourg. He is a reviewer for the Journal of Hand Surgery, American, European and Asia-Pacific editions.