

## **Apostolos Karantanas**

Dr. Apostolos Karantanas undertook musculoskeletal training on metabolic bone disorders in *New York University Medical Center* and on MR imaging-MSK applications in *Manchester Medical School/Manchester Royal Infirmary*. He has been given more than 600 invited lectures in 34 countries and is a regular faculty member in *European Congress of Radiology, IDKD, ISS, Erasmus courses MSK MRI, School of MRI/ESMRMB, ESOR* and *ESSR*. He is the author of more than 250 publications in peer review journals (*5750 citations in Google Scholar, H index 40*), 7 books (3 international), and 70 chapters in books.

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