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International Association for Dance Medicine & Science

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IADMS Announces the Appointment of New Board Members

Kathleen Davenport, MD, is the first physiatrist to serve in the role as president for the association.

2023. The International Association for Dance Medicine & Science (IADMS) announced the 2023-2025 Board of Directors at the IADMS Annual Membership Meeting on October 14, 2023. This announcement includes the appointment Kathleen Davenport, MD as IADMS President, Claire Hiller, PhD, PT as President-Elect, Matthew Grierson, MD as Treasurer, Nancy Kadel, MD as Past President, and the appointment of five new at-large members to the board of directors. This brings the number of board members to twelve, with five advisory board members.

Importantly, Kathleen Davenport, MD, will be the first-ever physiatrist to serve as IADMS President. As a Physiatrist and Sports Medicine Physician, Dr. Davenport has worked toward dancer wellness as Company Physician for Miami City Ballet and in treating studio dancers, university dance students, and professional dancers of all backgrounds. Dr. Davenport currently works at the Hospital for Special Surgery in West Palm Beach, Florida, USA. Dr. Davenport has been a member of IADMS since 2001 and on the IADMS Board of Directors since 2019.

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