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Douglas P. Kiel, M.D., M.P.H. is the current President of the American Society for Bone and Mineral Research (ASBMR). Dr. Kiel serves as the Director of the Musculoskeletal Research Center and Senior Scientist for the Institute for Aging Research at Hebrew SeniorLife. He is also a Professor of Medicine at Harvard Medical School. His research focuses on the epidemiology of osteoporosis and related fractures, including lifestyle factors, biomarkers and genetic factors. He is also interested in research regarding the consequences of sarcopenia, including falls and disability. He has conducted multiple clinical trials targeting the musculoskeletal system and leads the Framingham Osteoporosis Study.

Dr. Kiel began his career at Brown University School of Medicine in the Division of General Internal Medicine. He came to Harvard Medical School in 1992 when he joined what was then known as the Hebrew Rehabilitation Center for Aged Research and Training Institute (now called the Institute for Aging Research at Hebrew SeniorLife).

Dr. Kiel has served as past Chair of the Research Committee of the American Geriatrics Society, was a founding member of the Clinical Trials Advisory Panel of the National Institute on Aging, led the Musculoskeletal Working Group for the NHGRI PhenX project, and was a contributing author to the Surgeon General's Report on Bone Health and Osteoporosis and the Surgeon General's Report on Smoking. He has also served on the Scientific Advisory Committee and the Education Committee of the National Osteoporosis Foundation. Dr. Kiel has served on multiple NIH study sections and editorial boards, including *The Journal of Bone and Mineral Research*, *The Journal of Endocrinology and Metabolism*, and *the Journal of Clinical Densitometry*. He has edited the book, "*Osteoporosis in Older Persons, Pathophysiology and Therapeutic Approach*," and contributed chapters to the *Primer on the Metabolic Bone Diseases and Disorders of Mineral Metabolism* published by the American Society for Bone and Mineral Research.