

### Profile – Dr. Stephen M. Perle DC, MS, FICC



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The JCCA is delighted to announce that Dr. Stephen Perle has joined the Editorial Board of the Journal of the Canadian Chiropractic Association.

Dr. Stephen M. Perle is a Professor of Clinical Sciences in the University of Bridgeport College of Chiropractic

and an Adjunct Professor of Mechanical Engineering in the University of Bridgeport School of Engineering. After graduating from the Texas Chiropractic College he moved to New York City setting up a sports chiropractic practice. In 1991 Dr. Perle was the first chiropractor to be appointed medical director for a major sport national governing body's championships in the US when he served as medical director of the Mobil/USA Outdoor Track and Field Championships. Later in 1991, he accepted an appointment to the faculty of U.B.C.C. at its inception. In 2002 he earned a M.S. in exercise science from Southern Connecticut State University with a thesis on the effects of ankle manipulation.

At the University of Bridgeport, Stephen has taught classes in technique, soft tissue technique, ethics, jurisprudence, wellness, research methods, biostatistics/clinical epidemiology and ergonomics. He was recognized by the American Chiropractic Association at their Academician of The Year in 2004 and was elected a Fellow of the International College of Chiropractors in 2007. He is the founding chair of the ACA's Faculty American Chiropractic Association.

Stephen is a peer-reviewer for *JMPT* and on the editorial board of *Chiropractic and Osteopathy*. He has published numerous chapters in chiropractic textbooks as well as publishing papers in journals such as *JCCA*, *JMPT*, *C&O* and *Sports Medicine*.

His research interests include the biomechanics of manipulation, and measurement of quality of chiropractic care.