

Inspired by the
PARALYMPICS?



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“ During my career, I have been lucky enough to attend four Paralympic games my first one being in London 2012 which was a fantastic experience. I then went to the games in Rio and Tokyo and recently travelled to Paris to work at the 2024 Paralympic Games. It's such a privilege to travel the world and work with these fantastic athletes.

The prosthetic/orthotic device is integral to the athlete's performance alongside their talent and their drive. Elite athletes need high-end devices to enable them to compete at an elite level. The prosthetic and orthotic profession designs, fits, and repairs these devices.

We look after all the athletes, solving any issues that might arise with the prosthetic and orthotic devices the athletes are wearing in competition or for daily use.

I met one of the athletes when he was five months old and provided him with prostheses for many years, enabling him to walk. I was privileged to see him win a gold medal in London 2012 in 400m freestyle swimming.

The Paralympics is the pinnacle of achievement for some of the people we help and for us as Prosthetists and Orthotists, but it's what we do every day, that enables people to reach their potential.

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