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Courtney

2. Surname (Last Name)
O'Donnell

3. Date
20-July-2016

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Yes No

Corresponding Author's Name
Sumeet Garg

5. Manuscript Title
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Biomet	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Past

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DePuy Synthes Spine	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Consultant fee for teaching at course for surgeons November 2013
Robert P Schuster	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Expert testimony 9/3/14
Decision Support in Medicine	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Royalties, current

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