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2017 Western Region
Society of Nuclear Medicine
Annual Meeting

November 3 - 5, 2017
The Westin Bayshore
Vancouver, BC

Program and Registration information Available at www.wrsnm.org
You are invited…

to attend the 2017 Annual Meeting of the Western Region Society of Nuclear Medicine, November 3-5, 2017 at the Westin Bayshore Hotel, located in Vancouver, BC. This meeting is always well received by the attendees and is a highlight of the SNMMI calendar from across the United States.

Program Chairs, Marie Lee, MD from Virginia Mason Hospital in Seattle, WA and John Dohrman, MD, from Radiology Associates P.C. in Eugene, OR and their committee of physicians and technologists from the Pacific Northwest Chapter, have organized a particularly thoughtful program with many interesting and timely topics. Lectures are targeted for physicians, physicists, technologists and pharmacists.

There are several highlights to this year's program including quality talks on PET/CT, PET/MR, Neuroendocrine Tumor Imaging and Therapy (Theranostics), Cardiac Imaging, Endocrine Session/ Cross Sectional Imaging, Prostate Cancer Diagnosis and Therapy (Theranostics), Brain Imaging and, back by popular demand, our Case for Connoisseurs session on Saturday afternoon.

As you can see, we have many quality CE programs offered again this year and we are once again applying for SAM credits for our physicians and physicists. It is further incentive for physicians planning to recertify to attend the meeting as it is one of the mandatory requirements. Please note, abstracts submitted by residents, basic scientists trainees, technologists and technologist students will be presented again this year, as well as several award recipients. This will spark thought, creative enterprise, and encourage scholarly activity by our trainees.

Hotel Accommodations

The Westin Bayshore
1601 Bayshore Dr.
Vancouver, British Columbia

Ph: 604/691-6991 (WRSNM Housing Coordinator)
Discounted Rate: $209.00 CD Single/Double

Deadline Date: Monday, September 25, 2017
All reservations must be accompanied by a first night room deposit or guaranteed with a major credit card. The hotel will not hold any reservations unless secured.
Program Committee

Co-Chairs:

Marie E. Lee, MD
Virginia Mason Hospital
Seattle, WA

John Patrick Dohrman, MD
Radiology Associates, P.C.
Eugene, OR

Members:

Adam Alessio, PhD
University of Washington Medical Center
Seattle, WA

Helen Nadel, MD
British Columbia Children's Hospital
Vancouver, BC

CME/CAMPEP/ACPE/VOICE/SAM Credit Info

ACCME (AMA-PRA):
This activity has been planned and implemented in accordance with the Essential Areas and policies of the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education through the joint sponsorship of the Society of Nuclear Medicine and Molecular Imaging, Inc. (SNMMI) and the Pacific Northwest Chapter SNMMI. The SNMMI is accredited by the ACCME to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

The Society of Nuclear Medicine and Molecular Imaging, Inc. (SNMMI) is reviewing this live activity for a maximum of AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

VOICE Statement:
The SNMMI, through its Verification of Involvement in Continuing Education (VOICE) program, is reviewing this meeting for a maximum of continuing education hours (CEHs). VOICE-approved credit is recognized by most licensure states and by the NMTCB and ARRT as Category A credit. Participants will receive CE credit for those sessions at which they were present a minimum of 80%.

VOICE+ (Category A+) credits will be approved for a limited number of sessions. Please note the NMTCB and ARRT will recognize Category A+ credits.

CAMPEP:
This educational activity is being reviewed to grant Medical Physics Continuing Education Credit (MPCEC) by the Commission on the Accreditation of Medical Physics Programs (CAMPEP).

SAMS:
SAM credits will be applied for through the American Board of Nuclear Medicine
Friday, November 3, 2017

7:00 – 7:55am  Continental Breakfast in Exhibit Area
7:55am  Welcome and Announcements

**Session 1  PET CT SESSION**
**Moderator:** Marie E. Lee, MD, Virginia Mason Hospital & Louise Rimanic, RTNM, British Columbia Institute of Technology

8:00 – 8:30am  *AUC in PET Imaging*
Patrick M. Colletti, MD, University of Southern California

8:30 – 9:15am  *Role of FDG PET-CT in Lymphoma with Emphasis on Standardized Reporting and Response to Therapy (SAM)*
Delphine L. Chen, MD, Mallinckrodt Institute of Radiology

9:15 – 10:00am  *Effects Immunotherapy and Monitoring Immunotherapy on PET CT Imaging*
Jennifer Kwak, MD, University of Colorado Anschutz Medical Campus

10:00 – 10:30am  BREAK in Exhibit Area

**Session 2  Neuroendocrine Tumor Imaging and Therapy (Theranostics)**
**Moderator:** Philip F. Cohen, MD, ABNM, BA, Lion’s Gate Hospital & Subodh M. Duggal, CNMT, BSc, RT (N) PeaceHealth St. Joseph Medical Center

10:30 – 11:15am  *Neuroendocrine Tumor Imaging with Attention to Ga68-DOTATATE(SAM)*
Erik Mittra, MD, PhD, Stanford University

11:15am – 12:00 pm  PRRT of Neuroendocrine Tumors: Current Status and Future Trends
Jean Mathieu Beauregard, MD, MSc, FRCPC, CHU de Quebec -Universite Laval

12:00 pm – 1:00pm  LUNCH on your own

**Session 3  Cardiac Imaging Session**
**Moderator:** John P. Dohrman, MD, Radiology Associates, PC & Sara Vandehey, CNMT, RT(N)(CT) Compass Oncology

1:00 – 1:45pm  *Dynamic Imaging of Myocardial Blood Flow and Ventricular Function During Maximal Regadenoson Stress and High Efficient SPECT*
Matthews B. Fish, MD, Sacred Heart Medical Center - Riverbend

1:45 – 2:30pm  *Role of Cardiac Nuclear Medicine in Cardiomyopathies*
Louise Thomson, MBChB, Cedars-Sinai Imaging Medical Group

2:30 – 3:00pm  BREAK in Exhibit Area (Digital Poster Presentations Available in Exhibit Area)

**Session 4  Endocrine Session/ Cross Sectional Imaging**
**Moderator:** Fatemeh (Sanaz) Behnia, MD, University of Washington Medical Center

3:00 – 3:15pm  *Presentation of Western Region Pioneer Award to:*
Brian Lentle, MB, MD, DSc, FRCPC, FRCR, FACR, CCD Emeritus Professor, Radiology, University of British Columbia

3:15 – 4:00pm  *Controversies in Differentiated Thyroid Cancer Management and ATA Guidelines*
Lalitha Ramanna, MD, FACNM, Little Company of Mary Hospital

4:00 – 5:00 pm  *To FRAX or not to FRAX: An Update on Bone Densitometry and Assessment of Fracture Risk*
William D. Leslie, MD, University of Manitoba and Sara Vandehey, CNMT, RT(N)(CT), Compass Oncology

5:00 – 6:00pm  *Cross Sectional Abdominal CT MR Correlation with PET Imaging (SAM)*
Bijan Bijan, MD, MBA, UC Davis/Sutter Healthcare
Saturday, November 4, 2017

7:00 – 7:30am  Continental Breakfast in Exhibit Area

Session 5  Evolving Practice in Nuclear Medicine
Moderator:  Adam Alessio, PhD, University of Washington Medical Center

7:30 – 8:15am  SNMMI Leadership Report and Value Initiative
Satoshi Minoshima, MD, PhD, University of Utah

8:15 – 9:00am  Data Analytics: From Describing the Past to Predicting the Future
Christopher Hall, Philips Radiology Solutions

9:00 – 9:20am  Presentation of Distinguished Service Awards to:
Lalitha Ramanna, MD, Providence Little Company of Mary Hospital, Torrance, CA and
Jennifer Prekeges, MS, Bellevue College, Bellevue, WA

9:20 – 10:20am  Presentation of Scientist Award and Lecture:
Transforming Nuclear Medicine with Particle Accelerators
Francois Benard, MD, BC Cancer Agency Research Center

10:20 – 10:50am  Break in Exhibit Area

10:50 – 11:50am  Taplin Award Presentation and Lecture: Role of Sentinel Node Evaluation: An Update
Naomi P. Alazraki, MD, ABNM, ABR, FSNMMI, Emory University and Atlanta VAMC

11:50am – 12:25pm  In-Training and MD Abstract Awards Presentations

12:25 – 1:30pm  Lunch on your own

Session 6  Prostate Cancer Diagnosis and Therapy (Theranostics) Session
Moderator:  John P. Dohrman, MD, Radiology Associates, PC & Elma S. Ferrer-McNeal, CNMT, Group Health Hospital

1:30 – 2:00pm  Updates in Molecular Imaging of Prostate Cancer: Newly Approved and Promising PET Radiopharmaceuticals
Andrei Iagaru, MD, FACNM, Stanford University

2:00 – 2:30pm  Lu177 PSMA Therapy
Wolfgang P. Fendler, MD, University of California Los Angeles

2:30 – 3:00pm  Radium 223 Dichloride for Metastatic Prostate Cancer: Part of an Evolving Paradigm (SAM)
John P. Dohrman, MD, Radiology Associates P.C.

3:00 – 3:30pm  Break in Exhibit Area

Session 7  PET MR Session
Moderator:  Adam Alessio, PhD & Fatemeh (Sanaz) Behnia, MD, University of Washington Medical Center

3:30 – 4:00pm  Logistics of PET/MR Imaging
TBD

4:00 – 4:30pm  Current Status and Future Trends for Future Use of PET+MRI in the US
Andrei Iagaru, MD, FACNM, Stanford University

4:30 – 5:00pm  PET MR Imaging of Pain Generators and Inflammation
Sandip Biswal, MD, Stanford University Medical Center
Saturday, November 4, 2017 continued….

**Session 8**

**Moderator:** Lalitha Ramanna, MD, FACNM, Little Company of Mary Hospital & Sharon A. Herzog, CNMT, Puget Sound Health Care System

5:00 – 5:45 pm  
*Cases Connoisseurs*  
**Cameron Foster**, MD, UC Davis Medical Center

5:45 – 6:15 pm  
*Literature Review*  
**Patrick M. Colletti**, MD, University of Southern California

Sunday, November 5, 2017

7:00 – 8:00 am  
Continental Breakfast in Foyer

**Session 9**

**Moderator:** David H. Lewis, MD, Harborview Medical Center & Shana Elman, MD, University of Washington Medical Center

8:00 – 8:45 am  
*Molecular Imaging of Dementia: Current Applications and New Targets*  
**Satoshi Minoshima**, MD, PhD, University of Utah

8:45 – 9:30 am  
*Molecular Imaging of Parkinson’s Disease*  
**Jon Stoessl**, MD, FRCPC, University of British Columbia

9:30 – 10:00 am  
*Imaging Traumatic Brain Injury*  
**Robert R. Tarzwell**, MD, Specialist Referral Clinic.

10:00 – 10:15 am  
Break in Foyer

**Session 10**

**Moderator:** Bhasker Koppola, MD, University of Utah & Jennifer L. Prekeges, MS, CNMT, Bellevue College

10:15 – 10:45 am  
*Professionalism/Challenges Facing Scope of Practice (SAM)*  
**Richard G. Hoylman**, M.M., CNMT, Oregon Institute of Technology

10:45 – 11:15 am  
*Evolving Scope and Career Directions for NM Professionals (SAM)*  
**Mark Given**, Canadian Assoc. of Medical Radiation Technologists

11:15 – 11:45 am  
*Technologist Role in a Radiation Disaster (SAM)*  
**Jennifer L. Prekeges**, MS, CNMT, Bellevue College

11:45 am – 12:15 pm  
*Evolving Understanding of the Risks from Radiation (SAM)*  
**Adam Alessio**, PhD, University of Washington

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**Fax to:** Fax the completed form to (630) 428-7700  
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Name and Credentials_______________________________________________________________________________________

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