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RECOGNIZE & REWARD
February 2024
CONGRATULATIONS

Tyson Chadaz is named 2024 College of Medicine - Tucson Outstanding Specialty Advisor

Awards were presented during the COM-T Event held February 28

Tyson Chadaz, MD
Assistant Professor, Medical Imaging
Associate Program Director, Diagnostic Radiology Residency
Interim Division Chief, Musculoskeletal Imaging
CONGRATULATIONS
Interventional Radiology Clinical Trial

Teamwork! The University of Arizona and Banner – University Medicine IR team hit a significant milestone by enrolling their first patients in the MOTIV BTK Trial.

MOTIV is designed specifically for use in treating below the knee (BTK) peripheral artery disease.

Congratulations to the team!

Dr. Hannallah (3rd from left) pictured with members of the UArizona / B-UMCT IR team
CONGRATULATIONS

Radiology
Editor's Recognition Award
for reviewing with
Distinction
is presented to
EVAN UNGER, MD
in recognition of outstanding service as a reviewer
of scientific manuscripts submitted for publication in Radiology.

Linda Moy, MD
Editor, Radiology
December 2023

Evon Unger, MD
Professor Emeritus
We are pleased to announce the arrival of new staff member, Hollie Rotenberg.

Hollie joined Medical Imaging on January 29 as Associate Director and will be working closely with Director, Dan Crawley.

Hollie joins the team from Northwest Medical Center where she served as System Director, Business Office Physician and ASC Services.
NEW BABY BOY

Congratulations to the Supeck family!

Groundhog Day was extra special this year, as baby Oliver was born happy & healthy on Feb. 2.

David Supeck, DO, PhD
R4 Diagnostic Radiology and proud father

Proud big sister holds baby Oliver
The Medical Imaging Division of Nuclear Medicine announces an official name change to the Division of Nuclear Medicine and Theranostics. The addition of “Theranostics” to Nuclear Medicine aims to capture the comprehensive radiopharmaceutical oncological therapies we provide to our patients as part of The University of Arizona College of Medicine-Tucson and Banner- University Medical Center.

While our name has changed, our mission of providing the finest precision therapeutics and diagnostics to our patients continues to be our top priority.
Liver-Directed Therapy Combined with Systemic Therapy: Current Status and Future Directions

by Shamar Young, Jack Hannallah, Dan Goldberg, Mohammad Khreiss, Rachna Shroff, Junaid Arshad, Aaron Scott and Gregory Woodhead

Seminars in Interventional Radiology; 2024-01, 40(06): 515-523
DOI: 10.1055/s-0043-1777711
Measurement of the Tumor-to-Normal Ratio for Radioembolization of Hepatocellular Carcinoma: A Prospective Study Comparing 2-Dimensional Perfusion Angiography, Technetium-99m Macroaggregated Albumin, and Yttrium-90 SPECT/CT

Chris Brunson, Hugh McGregor, Charles Hennemeyer, Mikin Patel, Gregory Woodhead and Shamar Young

Journal of Vascular and Interventional Radiology, 2024-01-01, Volume 35, Issue 1, Pages 94-101

https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jvir.2023.09.023
Interventional Radiology Locoregional Therapies for Intrahepatic Cholangiocarcinoma

Gregory Woodhead, Sean Lee, Lucas Struycken, Dan Goldberg, Jack Hannallah and Shamar Young
Life 2024-01, 14(2), 217;
https://doi.org/10.3390/life14020217

Greg Woodhead, MD, PhD, Lucas Struycken, MD, Dan Goldberg, MD, Jack Hannallah, MD & Shamar Young, MD
Dr. Witte discussed advanced ultrasound imaging technologies on February 22 in MRB room 102
ANNUAL MEETING PRESENTATION

October 2023
Nathan, John, Brian, Janet, Maria Ina & Michele

Bital Savir-Baruch, MD, FACNM (Nuclear Medicine and Theranostics Division Chief), Salil Kalarn, DO (PGY2) and Sarah Fermawi, MD (Clinical Research Associate) attended the 2024 SNMMI Mid-Winter and ACNM Annual Meeting in Orlando, Florida.

Pictured, right, Drs. Kalarn and Fermawi presented their project titled "Development of a Comprehensive Database Instrument to Allow Complex Data Collection for Patients in Clinical Trials."

February 2024
Bital Savir-Baruch, MD, FACNM
Salil Kalarn, DO (PGY2)
Sarah Fermawi, MD (Clinical Research Associate)
Medical Imaging Faculty and Residents are pictured at the beginning of the Society of Thoracic Radiology (STR) Annual Meeting. The 2024 event has hosted in Tucson, at the JW Marriott Starr Pass Resort.

Residents had the opportunity to attend STR 2024 Resident Bootcamp February 24.
ANNUAL MEETING PRESENTATIONS

Division Chief of Cardiothoracic Imaging, Kavitha Yaddanapudi, MD, moderated

Session 11 – University of Arizona

- Case of the Day #4 Sarah Placek, DO
- Case of the Day #5 Jason Lee, MD
- Case of the Day #6 Carl Sabottke, MD
- Case of the Day #7 Richard Wruble, DO

The STR President congratulated the Residents on a job well-done following the presentations on February 26.
GRAND ROUNDS

Metabolic Networks as Functional Biomarkers of Parkinson’s Disease

January 31, 2024

DAVID EIDELBERG, MD
Director, Center for Neurosciences
Feinstein Institutes for Medical Research
Bital Savir-Baruch, MD, FACNM (Nuclear Medicine and Theranostics Division Chief), Salil Kalarn, DO (PGY2) and Sarah Fermawi, MD (Clinical Research Associate) get their artistic minds flowing at the Women in Medicine Paint Night.

The event was hosted during the SNMMI Mid-Winter Meeting in Orlando, Florida.
Resident/Fellow Appreciation Event

- Medical Imaging hosted a luncheon for the Radiology Residents and Fellows on Monday, February 26 in the HSIB Large Conference Room.

- The event was well attended and comments from the kudoboard were streamed on the large screens.

- We <3 our Residents and Fellows!
Resident/Fellow Appreciation Event 2024
Where do you call home?
Born and raised in Phoenix AZ. My parents and most of my siblings are still there.

What is the best thing about the field of Radiology?
The best thing about Radiology to me is the flexibility and work life balance it can provide.

What is on the horizon after graduation?
I am heading to MD Anderson in Houston for my breast imaging fellowship.

Fun facts
• I am one of 8 kids.
• I collect high quality Star Wars props and replicas.
Where do you call home?
I’m from Baton Rouge, Louisiana.

What is the best thing about the field of Radiology?
Best thing about radiology is the constant advancements in imaging technology.

What is on the horizon after graduation?
After graduation, I will be going to Stanford for Body Fellowship.

Fun facts
1. I’m excited to be a father, my son Ethan is currently 4 months old.
2. I enjoy traveling and computer programming.
FUTURE CHIEF RESIDENTS ANNOUNCED

Please help us acknowledge our incoming Diagnostic Radiology Residency Chief Residents for the 2025-2026 academic year.

Congratulations to Drs. Salil Kalarn and Conner Reynolds!
Congratulations to Cheyenne Moffett! She was engaged to be married on January 19 – a year to the day she started dating her now fiancé, John.

Pictured in Durango, CO, the couple wore snowshoes allowing them to hike to the “perfect spot” where he proposed.
Congratulations to Andrew Nguyen! He recently proposed to his now fiancé, Herriett, while in Half Moon Bay, California.

The couple have been dating since they met in college while in the same research lab.

Herriett’s family were given advance notice of the pending proposal and were able to capture the romantic beach-side photo.
STAFF WELLNESS: MOVE ARIZONA 2024

Team Medical Imaging Joined the Move Arizona Wellness Challenge

- Feb 28 – April 23
- Goal – 150+ minutes of weekly physical activity

Team Members: clockwise from lower-right
Melissa Ruiz, Amy Jennings, John Moody, Anita Foley, Sarah Fermawi, Lexy Torres, Ina Rios, Tammie Anderson, and Jen & Connor* Fischahs (*UArsiona student & USMC Reservist)
In Episode 62
“A Transformational Leader,”
host Geoffrey Rubin, MD, talks with
Vivian S. Lee, MD, PhD, MBA,
Executive Fellow and
Senior Lecturer at
Harvard Medical School

Vivian S. Lee, MD, PhD, MBA

Geoffrey Rubin, MD, MBA, FACP
Chair and Professor, Medical Imaging
What a great Leap Year Day and **fantastic** to see Dr. Unni, pictured left – as he celebrates a special birthday in the Neuro Reading Room!
MARCH 23
Gnar Shredding Ski Trip

3rd Annual Medical Imaging
Ski/Snowboard Get Together

MARCH 23
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MARCH 29

MEDICAL IMAGING
Research Day
2024

March 29
11:30 am
HSIB Forum

Faculty Luncheon
followed by
Radiology Resident and Fellow Presentations
with Keynote Speaker: Meghan Lubner, MD
March 29

- Presenter
  Meghan Lubner, MD
  Professor of Radiology in the Abdominal Imaging Section,
  University of Wisconsin School of Medicine and Public Health

- Register to attend here - or use the flyer’s QR code