

Winter 2018

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2018 Annual Meeting Recap

The Pediatric Imaging Council was pleased to sponsor the following Continuing Education sessions at the 2018 SNMMI Annual Meeting in Philadelphia, PA.

- Updates in Pediatric Skeletal Imaging
- Pediatric Nuclear Medicine: Read with the Experts
- Receptor Targeted Radionuclide Therapy for Pediatric Cancers

The program development for the 2019 SNMMI Annual Meeting is underway. If you have suggestions for Continuing Education sessions, please contact PIC leadership.

PIC Internship Update – Dr. Matthew S. Robertson

The past year has result in a change in jobs returning back to Boston to a faculty position focusing solely on nuclear medicine at Brigham and Women's Hospital/ Dana Farber Cancer Institute. In my new role, I have taken on new responsibilities serving as nuclear medicine section liaison for the Brigham and Women's Diagnostic Radiology Residency Education Committee. I have been actively involved on revamping and updating section policies to improve the educational experience for the residents. I have also been active within the Harvard Joint Program in Nuclear Medicine Training Program and was selected by the 2017-18 residency class as Faculty Teacher of the Year. Outside of my home department, I also participated as a lecturer for the 2018 New England Roentgen Ray Society Core Exam Review Course for regional radiology residents.

My academic pursuits in 2018 were varied and included working with our neurology department on a project which included PET/CT imaging for neurotoxicity. The manuscript from this project is currently in the revision process. Additionally, a review of 18-F fluciclovine PET/CT and second project evaluating imaging in adolescent and young adult oncology patients are in early stages and should be complete in 2019. Finally, I have been working with my PIC intern mentor, Dr. Meg Parisi, to develop a survey to examine I-131 sodium iodide treatment practice patterns in pediatric patients. The survey should be completed and sent out for data collection in the near future.

2018 Majd-Gilday Young Investigator Award

The Majd-Gilday Young Investigator Award is awarded at the SNMMI annual meeting to a young scientist for outstanding research contributions to the field of pediatric nuclear medicine. The 2018 Majd-Gilday Young Investigator Award Winner is Jeffrey P. Schmall, PhD, from the University of Pennsylvania for his abstract titled: "Investigating low-dose image quality in pediatric TOF-PET/MRI."



2019 Mid-Winter Meeting: Preview of Pediatric Program

Pediatric Diuresis Renography: Before, During, and After

Friday, January 18, 1:15 – 3:15pm

- Multidisciplinary Consensus on the Classification of Prenatal and Postnatal Urinary Tract Dilation (UTD Classification System) – Jeanne Chow
- SNMMI EANM Procedural Guidelines for Diuresis Renography in Infants and Children – Massoud Majd
- Complementary Role of MR Urography in Pediatric Urinary Obstruction – Ruth Lim
- Diuretic Renography: The Pediatric Urologist's Perspective – Roger De Filippo

For additional information regarding the MWM, please use this link:

<http://www.snmmi.org/MWM/Education/Content.aspx?ItemNumber=11867&navItemNumber=11783#general>

Pediatric Imaging Council Membership

We encourage you to remind your SNMMI member colleagues and acquaintances that they can easily join the PIC during their annual renewal of SNMMI membership. For the bargain price of \$20/year, SNMMI provides you with the following PIC Member benefits:

- Pediatric Imaging Council newsletter is available to all members
- Annual Pediatric Imaging Council meeting with boxed lunch provided by the Council
- Annual Pediatric Imaging Council No-Host Dinner (no cost to the Council)
- Participation in SNMMI continuing medical education activities and categorical courses
- Updates related to on-going Council activities
- Updates on dose reduction efforts in pediatric nuclear medicine (including PET/CT and SPECT/CT)

Congratulations to our newly-elected Pediatric Imaging Council Board Members and Officers!



Neeta Pandit-Taskar, MD



Reza Vali, MD

We also wish to express our gratitude for our outgoing PIC Officers and Board Members!



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Neha Kwatra, MD

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