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RECOGNIZE & REWARD

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AWARDS



Andres Barragan

Student researcher and UA Junior, **Andres Barragan**, won a **Travel Grant** to present his poster “*Real-time Transcranial Acoustoelectric Imaging of Current Densities in Human Head Phantom*” in Washington, DC at the 5th Annual NIH Conference on the Brain.



Chet Preston

BME Doctoral Candidate, **Chet Preston** won a **Travel Grant** to present his poster “*Improving Deep Brain Stimulation through High Resolution Mapping of Steerable Currents using 4D Transcranial Acoustoelectric Imaging*” in Washington, DC at the 5th Annual NIH Conference on the Brain.

GRAND ROUND PRESENTATIONS



Dr. Maria Altbach & Dr. Andrew Karellas

June 5, 2019

“Will the Role of Mammography Remain the Same in the Next Five Years?”

-presented by Dr. Karellas

Thank you for
presenting during
Grand Rounds in
June



Dr. Sarah Desoky & Dr. Diana Palacio

June 19, 2019

“Lung Cancer Imaging Evaluation in the Era of Target Therapies”

-presented by Dr. Palacio

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CONGRATULATIONS, DR. ARIF

Congratulations for being selected to receive the inaugural *College of Medicine-Tucson Clinical Investigator Fellows Award!*

This award was created in response to the need for integration of state-of-the-art science, technology and medicine to advance new discovery in the current era of the 4th industrial revolution.



Hina Arif-Tiwari, MD

NEW GRANT AWARD

The Biomedical Imaging Innovation/Clinical Translation in Next-Gen CT team has been awarded a 5-year R01 grant by the NIH to advance their research in breast imaging.

Andrew Karellas, PhD, DABR, FAAPM, FACR, and **Srinivasan Vedantham**, PhD, DABR, FAAPM are the Principal Investigators of the \$3.6 million dollar award. Collaborators include Dr. Kimberly Fitzpatrick, Dr. Marisa Borders, Dr. Leigh Neumayer, Dr. Denise Roe, Hsin-Wu (Andy) Tseng, PhD (Senior Postdoctoral Fellow) and Dr. Lauren LeBeau.



Dr. Andrew Karellas



Dr. Srinivasan Vedantham



Dr. Andy Tseng

2019 COM-T COMMITTEE ELECTION RESULTS



Admissions Committee Dr. Frank Morello (re-elected to 2-year term)

Committee of Ten Dr. Dorothy Gilbertson (re-elected to 3-year term)

Continuing Medical Education Dr. Sarah Desoky (re-elected to 3-year term)

MD/PhD Committee Dr. Greg Woodhead (re-elected to 3-year term)

Nominating Committee Dr. Andrew Karellas (re-elected to 3-year term)

Dean's Research Council Dr. Maria Altbach (re-elected to 5-year term)

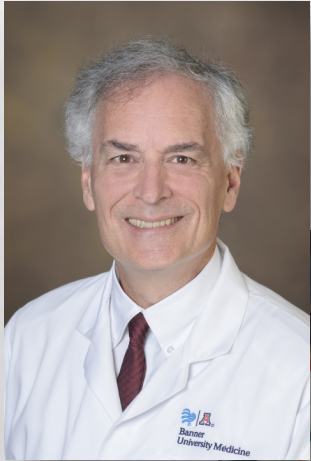
Dr. Phillip Kuo (re-elected to 5-year term)

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PRESENTATIONS



Dr. Frank Lexa presented at SOCRAD, the Puerto Rican Radiology Society Meeting



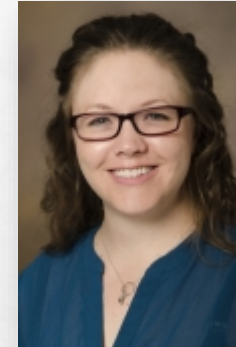
Frank Lexa, MD, MS,
MBA, FACR

He spoke about *Change Management* at this year's AUR Annual Meeting

In addition, Dr. Lexa served as a visiting professor at Stanford and Johns Hopkins Universities



ELECTED POSITION



Kimberly Winsor, MD

Dr. Kimberly Winsor has been elected as the
ACR Western States Representative

to the Resident and Fellow Section
Nominating Committee
for the
2019-2020 Academic Year



Congratulations!



GRADUATION 2019



WELCOME

Janette Durham, MD, MBA
Acting Department Chair

DIAGNOSTIC RESIDENT CERTIFICATION

Dorothy L. Gilbertson-Dahdal, MD
Residency Program Director

Kamalani K Hanamaikai, DO
Haramrit Hansra, MD
Christopher T. Harms, MD
Viral Patel, DO
Michael I. Posch, MD
Cory J. Spicer, MD
Philip K. Taylor, DO
Kimberly S. Winsor, MD

FELLOW CERTIFICATION

Abdominal Radiology

Presenter – Hina Arif-Tiwari, MD
Usha Jayagurunathan, MD
James Blain Sowby, MD

Breast Imaging

Presenters – Kimberly Fitzpatrick, MD
Joseph Simon, MD

Cardiothoracic Radiology

Presenter – Diana Palacio, MD
Tamara F. Lundeen, MD

Musculoskeletal Radiology

Presenter – Mihra Taljanovic, MD, PhD
Marko Marbella, MD
Landon Winget, DO

Neuroradiology

Presenter – Unni Udayasankar, MD
Jason T. Anderson, MD
Michael Collins, MD
Naghmehosadat Eshghi, MD, PhD

Nuclear Radiology

Presenter – Phillip Kuo, MD, PhD
Matthew Kay, MBBS

Vascular & Interventional Radiology

Presenter – Charles Hennemeyer, MD
Jack Hannallah, MD
David Ruiz, MD

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Resident Teaching Award

Presenter – Mihra Taljanovic, MD, PhD

Grand Saguaro Award

Presenter – Mihra Taljanovic, MD, PhD

Outstanding In-Service Exam Award

Presenter – Dorothy L. Gilbertson-Dahdal, MD

Roentgen Resident/Fellow Research Award

Presenter – Dorothy L. Gilbertson-Dahdal, MD

Emergency Radiology Book Prize

Presenter – Wayne Kubal, MD

Paul Capp Research Award

Presenter – Paul Capp, MD

George Barnes Faculty Teaching Award

Presenter – Haramrit Hansra, MD

Resident Excellence in Professionalism Award

Presenter – Dorothy L. Gilbertson-Dahdal, MD

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Graduation Dinner
June 2019

Congratulations 2019 Medical Imaging Graduates

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