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Staying current with the latest developments in medical imaging & radiation therapy is essential in providing high-quality patient care and maintaining professional licensure. Recent CE topics include: Radiology Assistant, Advanced Practice Radiation Therapy, Artificial Intelligence, Breast Cancer, Living Kidney Donation, Surviving Sexual Violence, and many more.

Advocacy

CSRT monitors the state's legislation to guarantee our licensure laws remain intact and fight against encroachment from other professions that do not possess the education, and expertise to safely operate medical imaging and radiation therapy equipment. CSRT retains a lobbyist who tracks all potential bills that could deregulate our licensure program, introduce limited X-ray machine operators (LXMOs), and encroachment. In March 2024, the CSRT provided testimony during the public hearing of HB: 5488 AN ACT CONCERNING VARIOUS REVISIONS TO THE PUBLIC HEALTH STATUTES.

Networking

Our society hosts regular online and in-person events and conferences that provide members with opportunities to stay abreast on the latest advancements in the profession and healthcare. By joining CSRT, you gain access to a vast network of experienced professionals who can mentor, guide, and collaborate with you in your career journey.

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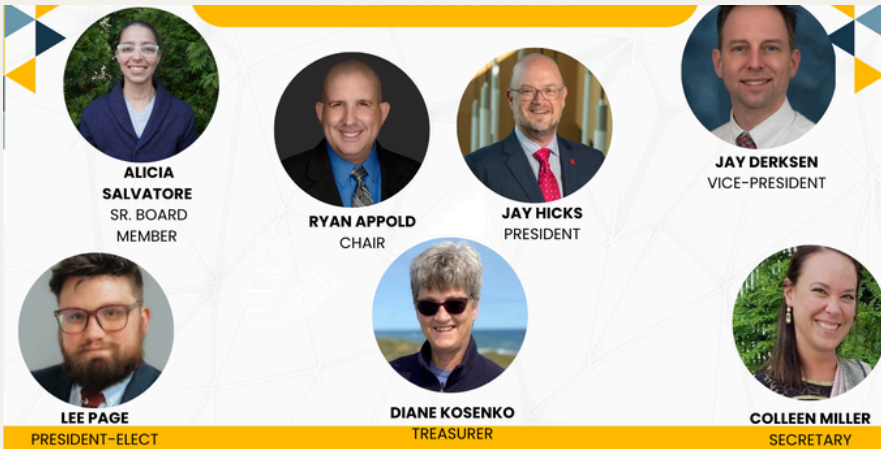
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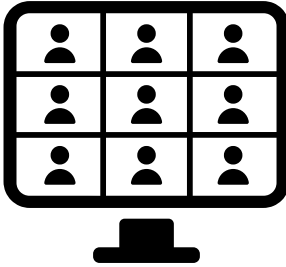
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Friday, October 4, 2024

Virtual Schedule



5.30PM - 5.40PM

Welcome & Opening Remarks

5.45PM - 6.35PM

Rhonda Weaver, EdD, RT(R)(M)(BD)(CT)

Image Gently, Image Wisely: Protecting Your Patient in Computed Tomography



2024 Keynote Lecturer

6.45PM - 8.15PM

Randy Griswold, M.P.A., R.T.(R) (ARRT)

A New Paradigm for Assessing Digital Image Quality

8.25PM - 9.15PM

Kristin Beinschroth, PhD, R.T.(R)(ARRT) CHES

**Radiology Revealed: Unlocking Forensic Clues Through
Advanced Imaging Techniques**

Session Descriptions

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 4, 2024

DR. RHONDA WEAVER	<p style="text-align: center;">IMAGE GENTLY, IMAGE WISELY: PROTECTING YOUR PATIENT IN COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHY</p> <p>This lecture will provide a general overview of radiation exposure concerns related to CT imaging. A review of dosimetry and adverse effects related to exposure to ionizing radiation will provide insight into the concern related to CT dose. The role of the CT technologist related to methods of dose reduction and patient protection in CT imaging will be discussed.</p>
RANDY GRISWOLD	<p style="text-align: center;">A NEW PARADIGM FOR ASSESSING DIGITAL IMAGE QUALITY</p> <p>The production of digital radiographic images is a complex process that is simplified by the technology working “behind the scenes” making it happen. Images produced are more consistent in appearance and yet the technologist still must make a subjective determination as to image acceptability. This session will suggest benchmarks for evaluating digital image quality that are clinically oriented and related to observable image features, much like a radiologist.</p>
DR. KRISTIN BEINSCHROTH	<p style="text-align: center;">RADIOLOGY REVEALED: UNLOCKING FORENSIC CLUES THROUGH ADVANCED IMAGING TECHNIQUES</p> <p>Forensic Radiology is a field of medical imaging that provides valuable service to the community via data-driven techniques in imaging science. The interprofessional aspects of this subspecialty differ from those required of traditional radiology, and thus invoke collaboration with other professionals outside of the healthcare field. In working with law enforcement, pathologists, and anthropologists, various medical imaging modalities afford the examiners the opportunity to examine people and remains in order to gain more information about their condition. Through the use of virtual autopsy, remains can be examined without the need for invasive techniques, providing a non-invasive alternative to traditional autopsy. Textbook authors and the ASRT now recognize Forensic Radiography as an educational pathway and a specialized training area. This new and topical subject is essential for educators and very interesting to educators, technologists, and students alike.</p>

MEET

Dr. Rhonda Weaver

Dr. Rhonda Weaver holds a Bachelor of Science in Medical Imaging, a Master of Healthcare Administration, and a Doctorate in Executive Educational Leadership. She is registered by the American Registry of Radiologic Technologists (ARRT) in radiography, mammography, bone densitometry, and computed tomography. Dr. Weaver is an active member of several professional organizations, including the American Society of Radiologic Technologists, the North Carolina Society of Radiologic Technologists, and the Association of Educators in Imaging and Radiologic Sciences. Her career spans over 24 years as a multimodality technologist and educator. Currently, Dr. Weaver serves as a program chair and Associate Professor at Cabarrus College of Health Sciences in Concord, North Carolina.



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RANDY GRISWOLD M.P.A., R.T.(R)(ARRT)FWSRT

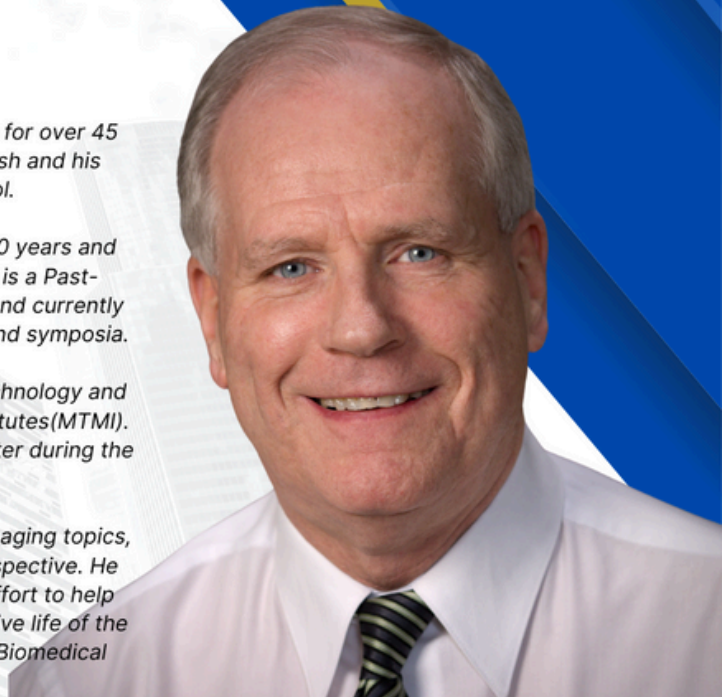
Keynote Lecturer

Randy Griswold has been a dedicated educator and technologist in medical imaging for over 45 years. He completed his graduate education at the University of Wisconsin-Oshkosh and his undergraduate work in Radiologic Sciences at the Chicago Medical School.

His career has included being a Program Director in Radiologic Technology nearly 20 years and District Manager for a major Midwest Medical Imaging dealership for 23 years. He is a Past-President and Fellow for the Wisconsin Society of Radiologic Technologists (WSRT) and currently serves on their Legislative Committee as well as speaking at many WSRT meetings and symposia.

Additionally, Mr. Griswold is a contributing author to three textbooks in radiologic technology and conducts national webcasts for the ASRT and Medical Technology Management Institutes (MTMI). He was especially honored by the ASRT as the selected ASRT's Live Webcast presenter during the 2019 National Radiologic Technology Week celebration.

He is noted for his energetic and passionate speaking style on a variety of medical imaging topics, particularly digital imaging and understanding image quality from a radiologist's perspective. He continues to speak at many state meetings and regional symposia in a continuing effort to help technologists better understand the important role they play in "making the interpretive life of the radiologist easier" with optimum image quality. Currently, he is an instructor in the Biomedical Engineering program at Northeast Wisconsin Technical College.



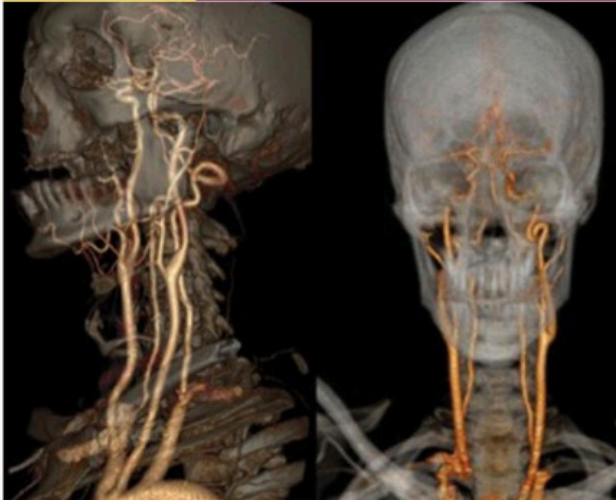
MEET KRISTIN BEINSCHROTH

PHD, R.T.(R)(ARRT), CHES

Dr. Kristin Beinschroth is a registered radiologic technologist, educator, program director, and advocate for the medical imaging and radiation therapy professions. She recently completed her PhD in Health Sciences, while studying the effects of moral courage and professional confidence on academic achievement factors. She works as a volunteer with RAD-AID, serves as current Vice President of the California Society of Radiologic Technologists, Vice Chair and Delegate for the ASRT Education Chapter, and member of the ACERT Student Poster committee. Dr. B uses social media platforms to promote recognition of the medical imaging and radiation therapy professions, and enjoys sharing her journey throughout her 13 years as a radiologic technologist. She has two kids and two dogs, and on any given day, may come home with a stray cat.



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Schedule

08.00AM - 08.30AM

Registration and Vendor Time

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08.45AM - 09.00AM

Opening Remarks

CSRT President, Jay Hicks, EdD, R.T.(R)(ARRT) kicks off Day 2 of our conference with a welcome to dignitaries, vendors, and members.

09.00AM - 09.50AM

Wesley Shay, M.H.S., R.R.A., R.T.(R)(ARRT)

A Day in the Life of a Radiologist Assistant in the IR Suite

10.05AM - 10.55AM

Aditya Tadinada, D.D.S., M.Dent.Sci.

What is Cone Beam CT and What are the Clinical Applications of this Technology

11.05AM - 11.55AM

Matthew Parente, M.S., PT, CPO, FAAOP(D)

Stephen Charry, M.S.P.O., CPO

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Radiographic Examination: Guiding Orthotic and Prosthetic Patient Care

12.00PM - 1.00PM

Business Luncheon

Grab some lunch then return for our annual Business Meeting. Lunch is supported by Quinnipiac University's Department of Medical Imaging and Hartford Healthcare

1.10PM - 2.00PM

Allison Hermance-Moore, B.S., R.T. (R)(CT)(ARRT)

CT and 3-D Printing

2.10PM - 3.00PM

Ameena Elahi, MPA, R.T.(R)(ARRT), CIIP

From Pixels to Protocols: Educating Techs in the Essentials of Imaging Informatics

Installation of Officers

Session Descriptions

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 5TH

WESLEY SHAY	<p>A DAY IN THE LIFE OF A RADIOLOGIST ASSISTANT IN THE IR SUITE</p> <p>At the end of this presentation, the participant will be able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Describe the educational background required of the RA,• Analyze an interventional radiology case study from RA vantage,• Discuss the utilization of the RA in all aspects of Radiology• Dispel rumors of the RA.
DR. ADITYA TADINADA	<p>WHAT IS CONE-BEAM CT: WHAT ARE THE CLINICAL APPLICATIONS?</p> <p>In this talk, I will discuss this relatively new technology called Cone Beam CT (CBCT) that is gaining significant popularity in medicine and dentistry. This technology offers 3-D imaging solutions for a significantly lower radiation dose. Clinical applications of CBCT will be discussed with examples and clinical scenarios.</p>
MATTHEW PARENTE STEPHEN CHARRY	<p>RADIOGRAPHIC EXAMINATION: GUIDING ORTHOTIC AND PROSTHETIC PATIENT CARE</p> <p>This presentation will explore the crucial role of radiographic examination in the field of orthotics and prosthetics, with a focus on pediatric oncology, residual limb examination, and scoliosis presentation. By integrating patient, device, and radiography-centric perspectives, this lecture aims to enhance the understanding of how radiographic imaging can inform diagnosis, treatment planning, and patient outcomes.</p>
ALISON HERMANCE-MOORE	<p>COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHY AND 3D PRINTING</p> <p>At the end of this presentation, the participant will be able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Gain a baseline understanding of how computed tomography data is used for 3D modeling;• Explore the current relationship between 3D printing and medicine, specifically for implants and devices, including the pros and cons of personalized medicine• Briefly discuss how CT scans and 3D printing are being used non-medical applications, and how this affects public perception of the modality• Discuss upcoming innovations in this area, including the integration of bio-printing and the possibilities for world-altering technologies in the not-so-distant future centered on Computed Tomography
AMEENA ELAHI	<p>FROM PIXELS TO PROTOCOLS: EDUCATING TECHS IN THE ESSENTIALS OF IMAGING INFORMATICS</p> <p>A review of the field of imaging informatics and its critical role in modern radiology. Despite its growing importance, many radiologic technologists remain unaware of how to enter this niche area, often viewing it as a well-kept secret. This session aims to bridge that gap by providing practical insights into the essential skills of imaging informatics. Discover how these skills can enhance daily work, improve workflow efficiency, elevate patient care, and unlock the potential of imaging informatics, and learn how to integrate these valuable techniques into your practice.</p>

Continuing Education

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- Courses that run short will have the credit reduced.
- All personal devices must be silenced.
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- Please be certain the name on the CSRT attendance sheet matches the name in CSRT and ASRT databases.
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WESLEY SHAY

M.H.S., R.R.A., R.T.(R)(ARRT)

Wesley Shay is a Radiologist Assistant residing here in Connecticut. He works at Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center in New York City in the interventional radiology department. He has been in the radiology field for close to 20 years, of which 15 of those have been working as a Radiologist Assistant. He has several publications and has presented at state and national conferences. Wesley is also currently an adjunct professor at the Quinnipiac University RA program



Dr. Aditya Tadinada is the Associate Dean for Graduate Research, Education and Training. He is also the Program Director of the Oral and Maxillofacial Radiology residency program at the UCONN School of Dental Medicine. Dr.Tadinada serves as the Editor in Chief of the Connecticut State Dental Association (CSDA) .

Dr.Tadinada also serves on the Executive Council of the American Association of Oral and Maxillofacial Radiology as the councilor for academy affairs. Dr.Tadinada is a site visitor for the CODA specialty accreditation for Oral and Maxillofacial Radiology. Dr.Tadinada is an internationally recognized speaker. He has multiple invited presentations, over 100 publications along with multiple abstracts and book chapters to his credit. He is a Primary Investigator (PI) or a Co- PI on numerous NIH funded research projects at the UCONN Health Center and has collaborative projects with other Universities.

Dr.Tadinada's research in UCONN focuses on establishing oral radiomorphometric indices for early diagnosis of osteoporosis. His special interest is in the field of Artificial Intelligence (AI) in radiological diagnosis and 3D imaging involving dental implants using CBCT. He works closely with many multi-disciplinary teams and is primarily interested in advancing the awareness about Oral Health and its link to overall health.



ADITYA TADINADA

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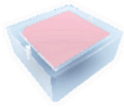
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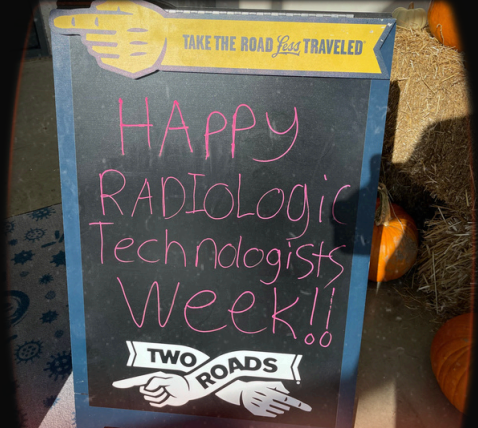
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Matthew Parente possesses a unique knowledge of the fields of Physical Therapy and Prosthetics and Orthotics. His background includes degrees in Physical Therapy (BS) and Neuroscience (MS), and post-graduate certificates in Prosthetics ('00) and Orthotics ('01). He is also a Certified Orthotist/ Prosthetist by the American Board of Certification, a Licensed Physical Therapist (CT), and received the Fellow of the American Academy of Orthotists & Prosthetists in 2016 and designation of Fellow with Distinction in 2022. He was also awarded the Outstanding Educator Award by the American Academy of Orthotists & Prosthetists in 2019. Matt has been the primary instructor for 19 post-graduate courses, and the secondary instructor for 4 additional courses over the past 22 years. He is also the Director of the Masters of Science in Prosthetics and Orthotics program at the University of Hartford, and a National Clinical Education Specialist for Hanger Clinic. He has also provided lectures on Prosthetic Rehabilitation to multiple Doctorate of Physical Therapy programs, professional organizations, and independent Physical Therapy organizations.



Matthew Parente
M.S., PT, CPO, FAAOP(D)



Stephen Charry
M.S.P.O., CPO

Professor Charry is a Faculty member at the University of Hartford, in the Master of Prosthetics and Orthotics Program. He teaches in the Lower Limb Prosthetics curriculum, including both Transtibial and Transfemoral Prosthetics. These courses form the clinical foundations related to patient evaluation, care/maintenance, and prosthetic intervention. He also teaches Biomechanics, Kinesiology, Orthopedic Pathology, and Scientific Inquiry. His research interests focus on prosthetic componentry and socket technology. He treats patients clinical in the greater Hartford area through Hanger Clinic. He is an active member of the American Academy of Orthotists & Prosthetists where he serves on the Evidence-Based Practice Committee and the Lower Limb Prosthetics Society. He is involved in a local non-profit organization, Dreaming and Working Together, that provides international prosthetic care to underserved areas. He consults on several grants for local companies and participates in research with colleagues within the Department of Rehabilitation Sciences at the University of Hartford.

ALLISON HERMANCE-MOORE

B.S., R.T.(R)(CT)(ARRT)

Allison Hermance-Moore is a full-time CT technologist with Midstate Radiology Associates and also works per diem with Hartford Healthcare in Connecticut. She holds an Associate of Arts in General Studies, an Associate of Applied Science in Radiologic Sciences, and completed her Bachelor of Science in Health Sciences in August 2024 through Southern New Hampshire University. She is currently pursuing certification through the Society of Cardiac Computed Tomography.

Allison has a strong background in leadership and professional involvement. She has served as a board member and Student Leader for the Ohio Society of Radiologic Technologists, contributing to nearly every OSRT committee over the years. At the national level, Allison has participated in the ASRT Student Leadership Development Program (2018 cohort) and is a graduate of the ASRT Online Advocacy Academy. She currently serves on the Connecticut Society of Radiologic Technologists conference planning committee, the ASRT Region 9 Advocacy Subcommittee, the ASRT SLDP Alumni Committee, and the ASRT Scanner Editorial Review Board.



AMEENA ELAHI

M.P.A., R.T.(R)(ARRT), CIIP

AMEENA ELAHI IS AN IMAGING INFORMATICIST AND APPLICATION MANAGER AT PENN MEDICINE, WHERE SHE OVERSEES PROJECTS RELATED TO IMAGE APPLICATIONS, INCLUDING RESEARCH AND ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE (AI). SHE IS THE DIRECTOR OF INFORMATICS OPERATIONS AT RAD-AID INTERNATIONAL, A NON-PROFIT DEDICATED TO PROVIDING RADIOLOGY ACROSS THE WORLD. SHE IS ALSO THE FOUNDER OF RELEASE POINTE, AN ORGANIZATION DEDICATED TO HELPING OTHERS TRANSITION INTO NEW CAREERS.

AMEENA BEGAN HER CAREER AS AN X-RAY TECHNOLOGIST AND TRANSITIONED TO INFORMATION SERVICES (IS) IN 2014. SHE HOLDS A BS IN HEALTH ADMINISTRATION FROM DREXEL UNIVERSITY, A MASTER'S IN PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION FROM KELLER, AND IS CURRENTLY ENROLLED IN THE UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA'S ORGANIZATION DYNAMICS MASTER'S PROGRAM.

IN ADDITION TO HER PROFESSIONAL ROLES, AMEENA VOLUNTEERS FOR VARIOUS IMAGING INFORMATICS PROGRAMS AND ORGANIZATIONS. SHE WAS ELECTED TO THE SOCIETY OF IMAGING INFORMATICS IN MEDICINE (SIIM) BOARD IN 2021 AND IS CURRENTLY SERVING HER SECOND TERM AS OF 2023. AMEENA IS THE INAUGURAL WINNER OF THE ABII EXCELLENCE IN IMAGING INFORMATICS AWARD. SHE IS ALSO A FIRST AUTHOR AND CO-AUTHOR OF SEVERAL PEER-REVIEWED ARTICLES AND SCIENTIFIC ABSTRACTS.



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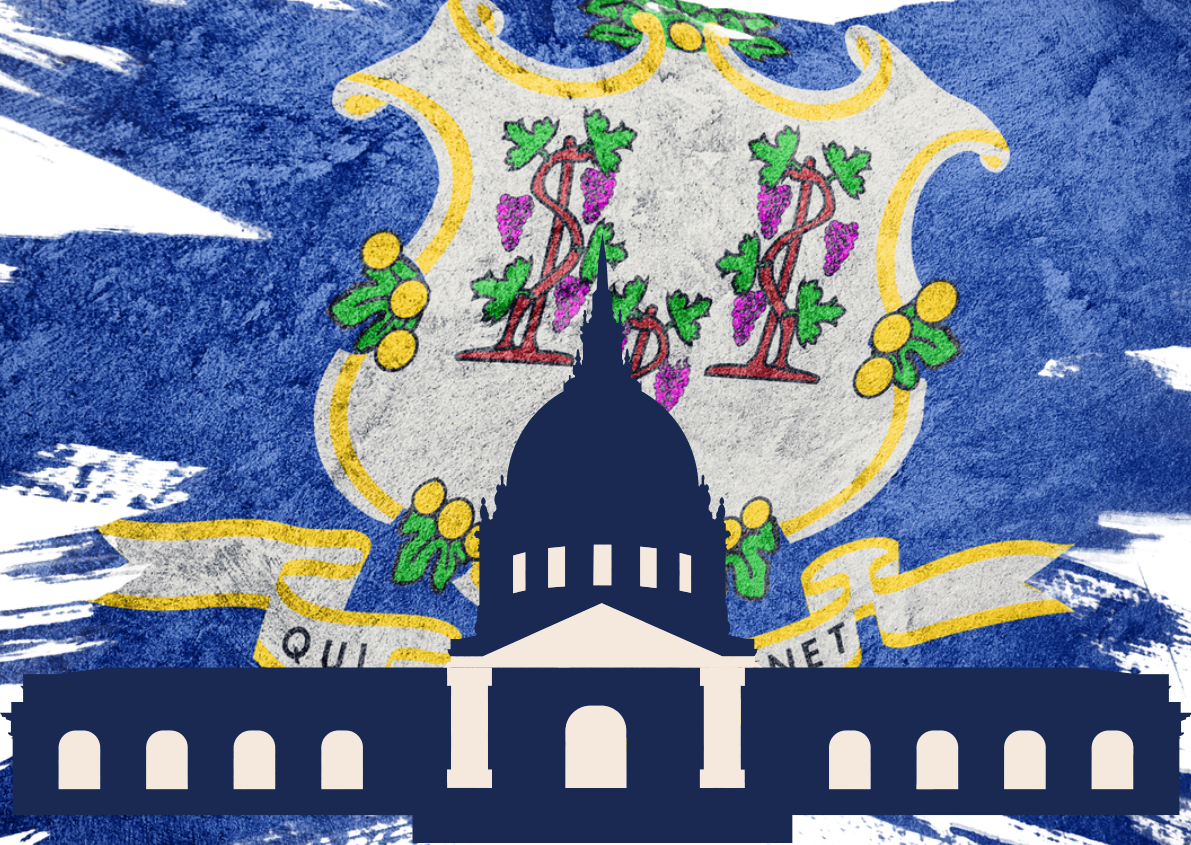
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1. Call to Order
2. Introductions and Recognitions
3. Establish Quorum
4. Approval of 2023 Business Meeting Minutes
5. Regular Business
 - a. Committee Reports
 - i. Bylaws Report (Salvatore)
 1. Presentation & Rationale of Revisions
 2. Vote
 - ii. Financial Report (Kosenko)
 - iii. Legislative Affairs Report (Kosenko & Mele)
 - iv. Membership Report (Appold)
 - v. Nominations (Hicks)
 1. Open Floor Nominations
 2. Close Floor Nominations
 3. Vote
6. Year in Review
7. Awards (Appold)
 - a. Gail Pitkin Award
 - b. Technologist Achievement Recognition Award
 - c. John Archer Award
 - d. Josephine M. Picone Lifetime Achievement Award
8. Special Acknowledgements (Appold)
9. Adjournment (Hicks)

Note:

1. Time permitting, take photos of past presidents, life members, award winners, etc.
2. Installation of officers will be at conclusion of conference.



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Candidate for Treasurer

MATTHEW KOZAKEWICZ

M.S., R.T.(R)(CT)(ARRT)

Matt graduated the Middlesex School of Radiography in 2007 and worked as a radiographer for 3 years. In 2010 he transferred into and became certified in Computed Tomography. During his time in CT he has worked at multiple hospitals and in multiple settings, including level on trauma centers.

Matt began to evolve his career to the educational side of healthcare and began teaching as an adjunct for the University of Hartford's Physical Therapy program, University of Hartford Radiography program as an adjunct clinical instructor, and teaching multiple physics courses for the CT State, Manchester Radiography program. He fully transitioned his career to education by becoming the Clinical Coordinator for the CT State, Middlesex radiology program in 2021 and then the Program Director in 2023.

Matt has served on the CSRT's Education Committee for multiple years.

Candidate for Secretary

NICHOLAS JANNETY

B.G.S., R.T.(R)(CT)(ARRT)

Nicholas Jannetty is a multi-credentialed CT Technologist at St. Mary's Hospital. His background in the visual and performing arts has been tremendously beneficial in the healthcare setting; utilizing the same skills of design and communication to complement and enhance his clinical skills. He has a passion for teaching and mentoring x-ray students. Over the past two years, Nick has been a valuable member of the CSRT's Legislative Committee and the ASRT's Region 9 Advocacy Subcommittee.

He presented Hidden Within - X Ray as a Tool to Examine Antique Quilts and Textiles at Mattatuck Museum, discussing the conversational and curatorial uses of imaging of antique museum textiles, dolls, and other cloth-related objects.

Nick holds an Associates of Arts and Associates of Science from Naugatuck Valley Community College and a Bachelor's degree from the University of Connecticut.



Candidate for Vice President

JAY DERKSEN

R.T.(R)(ARRT)

Jay has been an active CSRT member for his entire professional career. He served as CSRT President in 2010 and 2011 and has been Vice President for numerous years.



Candidate for President-Elect

Ryan Appold graduated from CT State Community College: Middlesex in 2020 and also holds a Bachelor's Degree from Eckerd College. He currently works as a third shift Radiographer at UConn Health which he has been at for 4 years. Ryan has served on the CSRT Board of directors previously serving as Secretary, President-Elect, President and most recently Chair of the Board. He has chaired both the Annual Conference Committee, and Membership Committee. He was part of the 2019 Student to Leadership Development Program (SLDP) and being awarded the SLDP Alumni of the Year in 2022.

Ryan has been a ASRT Professional Mentor, CT Delegate for the ASRT HOD, as well as having served on the ASRT SLDP Alumni Committee and ASRT Sergeant at Arms Committee.

RYAN APPOLD

B.A., R.T.(R)(ARRT)





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This award is presented to a lecturer whose presentation has been approved by the ASRT for continuing education credit. The content of the topic must be pertinent in philosophy with the profession of Radiologic Technology and again with the goals and ideals of the Society. The Gail Pitkin Memorial Lecture Award was instituted in 1983 and named after Gail Pitkin, who was killed in a tragic accident shortly after being elected CSRT President. She was an active member and educator of our Society.

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Josephine M. Picone Lifetime Achievement Award

Over the years, the CSRT has had some exemplary members who have laid down a solid foundation for the Society to build upon. These members, for over 20 years of their professional lives, were hard-working, never-tiring leaders who moved the Society forward. They have lifted the Society, giving it strength and dignity. This award honors these individuals and is named after Jo Picone who was a dedicated, active member of the CSRT since 1957. Life members shall not pay dues and will have all the privileges and obligations of Society members.

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The John Archer Award

This award was instituted in 1990 in memory of one of the most dedicated, active members of the C.S.R.T. whose life was taken at an early age by a fatal heart attack in 1989. John was President of the CSRT in 1965. He devoted most of his professional life as an avid and conscientious member and chairman of the Legislative Committees. He worked intently to help draw up the verbiage and eventual passage of the Radiation Safety Law by the 1992-1993 legislative session, elevating Connecticut's radiologic technologists to professional status through licensure.

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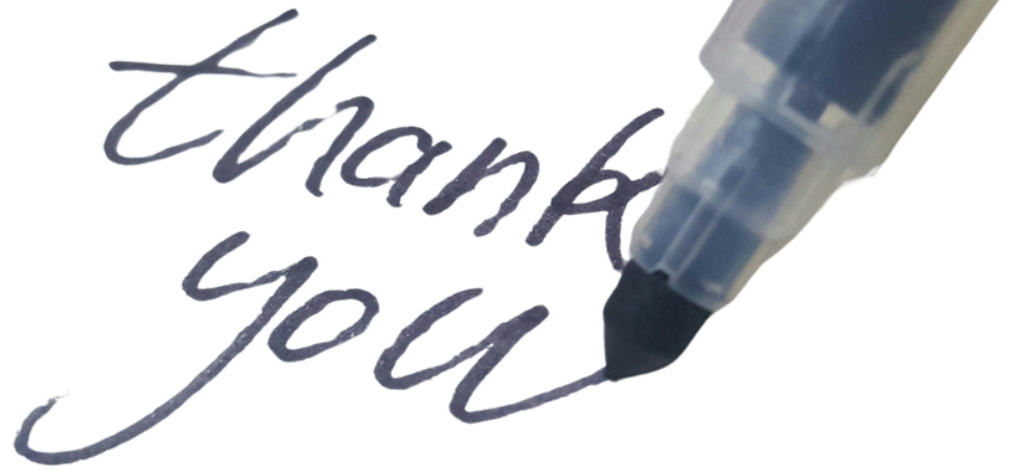
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