A collaborative showcase of innovative medical imaging technology presented by academic researchers, patients & industry, presented to educate and advocate on behalf of imaging research and its impact on patient care and beyond.

Tuesday, March 28, 2017
Hart Senate Office Building: Room 902
5-7pm
About the Showcase

Who Sponsors this Showcase?
The Academy for Radiology and Biomedical Imaging Research’s Coalition for Imaging and Bioengineering Research (CIBR), has hosted this showcase annually since 2009. The Academy is a non-profit organization which focuses on education and advocacy in support of medical imaging research. Academy membership consists of stakeholders from the imaging research community, consisting of more than 200 imaging societies, academic research departments, patient advocacy groups, and industry partners.

What is the goal?
The goal is to enable attendees to learn about medical imaging technology from the perspective of the patient, researchers, and industry in a collaborative educational forum. The objective is to ensure that medical imaging technology is presented in an easy to understand, hands-on manner with direct interactions between all stakeholders. The Academy hopes you will leave this event with a greater understanding about medical imaging technology, the research pipeline, some new contacts within the community, and all without the need to Google any medical terms or meanings.

Who should attend?
Members of Congress, staff, patient advocates and policy makers interested in learning about advances in medical imaging technology and current research are encouraged to attend. The Academy brings its Member’s collective knowledge and experience to Capitol Hill, to illustrate various medical imaging technologies and research in one location with various perspectives.

The Event Itself:
The keynotes for this event are patients who have direct and personal experience with various imaging technologies and they share their experience with the audience. Each patient shares his/her story at the beginning of the evening and interacts with the audience during the showcase.

Attendees visit booth areas and view/discuss research posters with investigators, learning about medical imaging technologies in a format created specifically for a general audience. Attendees well versed in science will have the opportunity to meet with several researchers, patients and industry. This event has been carefully created to ensure everyone who attends is able to easily understand the science behind the technology and the research. Each display area focuses on a technology, and includes a patient, investigator and an industry manufacturer. Each attendee will get a 360 degree view and perspective of that technology.

Multiple research posters will be displayed, all created by early career investigators depicting current medical imaging research taking place in their Institutions. Attendees meet and discuss the research with the investigator. Interactive hands-on innovative medical imaging technology will be available. Attendees are encouraged to interact with various medical imaging technologies.

Early Career Investigators:
Early career investigators are invited from research departments across the country to participate in this showcase so that you can:
• Learn directly from the investigators in one on one conversations about what research is in the pipeline at their Institution and why they are interested in this area of research.
• Meet with investigators to learn about their research interests and how that area of research will impact patient care.

How is this Showcase different/valuable?
This event creates a singular space where attendees can learn from all of the stakeholders within the medical imaging research space, see and interact with the technology, ask questions and interact with patients, researchers and industry.

About the Academy: acadrad.org
Membership: acadrad.org/interested-in-joining-arr/
Educating our Audience:
“3D Printing for Surgical Planning & Virtual Reality.”
(left to right) Jim Morgan & Mike Cyganowski of FUJIFILM;
Tatiana Kelil, MD, researcher @ Brigham and Women’s Hospital; Brian MacLeod, patient (YES! Beat Liver Tumors)

Illustrating Michigan Research
Jadranka Stojanovska, MD, MS, University of Michigan researcher with Rep. Debbie Dingle of Michigan

Hearing About The Patient Experience Keynote patient speakers included
(left to right) Blakely Murphy, Beth Calabotta, Cindy Parlow Cone, and Barbara Cole
Save the Date: Tuesday, March 28, 2017

The Coalition for Imaging and Bioengineering Research cordially invites you to the Eighth Annual Medical Imaging Technology Showcase

Interested in medical imaging research innovation? If so, join us on Capitol Hill to learn about exciting advances in biomedical imaging research from our early career investigators and how their efforts will impact patient care, both now and in the future.

We bring together academic researchers & scientists, industry partners, and patient groups to tell their story about how the investment in biomedical imaging research impacts the quality of life for every American citizen.

RSVP Today

Please RSVP by clicking here. 
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Refreshments and libations will be served.

About CIBR

CIBR, a division of the Academy for Radiology & Biomedical Imaging Research consists of over 200 member organizations that brings together the best of imaging research: imaging societies, academic radiology departments, patient advocacy groups, and industry partners. CIBR works to educate and advocate about the value of imaging research and its direct impact on patients.

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