The Academy for Radiology and Biomedical Imaging Research’s

SPRING EVENTS & MEETINGS

Representative Eshoo’s Remarks

Academy Medical Imaging Technology Showcase on Capitol Hill

The Academy honored Representative Anna Eshoo’s 29-year partnership with the Academy and her continued support for medical imaging research by presenting to her the Academy Gold Medal. We welcome you to view Eshoo’s remarks at the Academy Medical Imaging Technology Showcase here, and view additional photos from this event here.

The Showcase offered an opportunity for investigators to discuss their research, its impact on patient care and the importance of NIH funding. Please click here to see the Showcase Program and details about each Investigator who attended to discuss their research focus.
As part of the Academy Council for Early Career Investigators (ECI) in Imaging, 19 members (including four not pictured) met with their elected Representatives and Senators to highlight their research and the impact NIH funding has on their work.
Steering Committee. Represented at this diverse meeting were academic leadership from both radiology and pathology, research scientists from more than 30 Academic Institutions, American Association of Physicists in Medicine (AAPM), American Association for Women in Radiology (AAWR), American College of Radiology (ACR), American Society of Neuroradiology (ASNR), Association of University Radiologists (AUR), Radiological Society of North America (RSNA), Society for Imaging Informatics in Medicine (SIIM), Society of Interventional Radiology (SIR), and Society of Nuclear Medicine and Molecular Imaging (SNMMI).

Representatives from Advanced Research Projects Agency for Health (ARPA-H), Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS), U.S. Department of Energy (DOE), U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA), National Cancer Institute (NCI), National Institute for Biomedical Imaging and Bioengineering (NIBIB), National Institute of Diabetes and Digestive and Kidney Diseases (NIDDK), National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST), and National Library of Medicine (NLM) were present for the discussion. Also joining us were representatives from our industry partners - Canon Medical Research, GE Healthcare, Time Medical Systems, Philips North America, Siemens Medical Solutions, United Imaging, Deep Health and AGFA. A discussion summary, action items and applicable task forces will be available and posted to the Academy website soon.
Held annually, the Academy’s Hill Day is a day of advocacy that offers attendees the opportunity to meet with their members of Congress in person in their Washington, DC offices. During these meetings, members had the opportunity to discuss their research/connection to imaging research as well as highlight the importance of increased funding for the National Institutes of Health (NIH). You can view photos of these Congressional meetings [here](#).
Additional Event Photos

Academy Research Roundtable Discussion

Dr. Ian Mark from Mayo Clinic

Drs. Akshay Chaudhari, from Stanford, and Benjamin Larimer, from UAB

Drs. Saeedeh Mirbagheri, from UVM, and Akos Varga-Szemes, from MUSC, with Representative Anna Eshoo

Academy Executive Director Renee Cruea, Representative Anna Eshoo, and Academy President Dr. Ruth Carlos

Dr. Carolina de Aguiar Ferreira, from MSU shares her research with Dr. Bruce Tromberg
Drs. Ian Mark, from MC, Lewis Hahn, from UCSD, Hao Zhang, from AAPM, and Katja de Paepe, from BIDMC, with their research at MedTech.

Dr. Elena Zannoni, from SNMMI, shares her research with Dr. M. Mahesh, President-Elect of AAPM.

Various ECI members share their research with Dr. Bruce Tromberg.

Drs. Ian Mark, from MC, Lewis Hahn, from UCSD, Hao Zhang, from AAPM, and Carolina de Aguiar Ferreira, from MSU.

Drs. Shilpa Surasi, from MD Anderson, and Carolina de Aguiar Ferreira, from MSU, share their research with Dr. Vivek Yedavalli.
Additional Event Photos

Libby O’Hare, Drs. Pari Pandharipande, Fatemeh Adelnia, from VUMC, Katherine Gullett, Amit Gupta, from CWRU, and Donna Plecha

Dr. Carolina de Aguiar Ferreira from Michigan State University

Drs. Hao Zhang, from AAPM, Despina Kontos, Resmi Charalel, from WCM, and Maria El Homsi, from MSKCC

Drs. Aashim Bhatia, from SPR, Charles Kahn and Jae Song, from UPenn

Drs. Akos Varga-Szemes, from UVM, and Qing Lyu, from WFUSM, with former Academy Vice President Dr. Etta Pisano and Representative Valerie Foushee

Additional photos can be found here.
The Academy extends gratitude and appreciation to the following sponsors who sponsored an investigator to become part of the Academy Council of Early Career Investigators in Imaging: