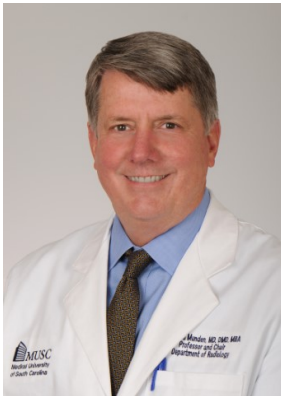




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Message from the Director



by Dr. Reggie Munden

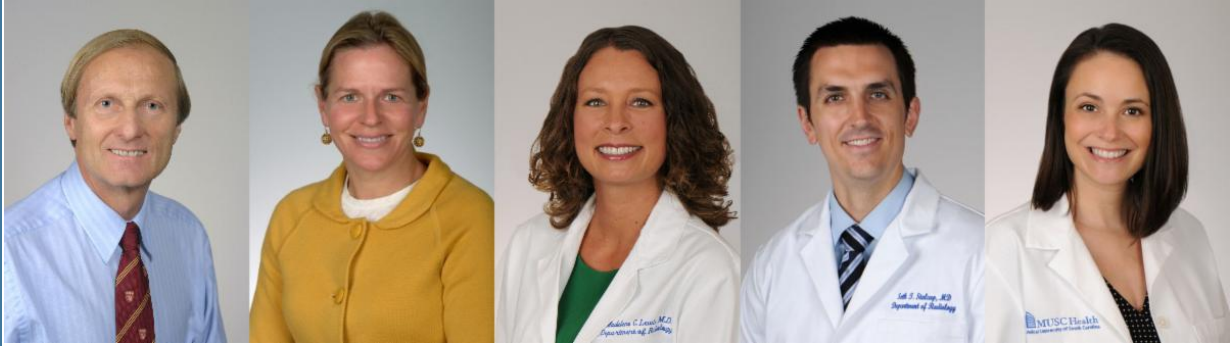
Dr. Philip Costello was honored for his contributions and leadership as the Department Chair of Radiology and Radiological Sciences on May 26 with the establishment of the Philip Costello Endowed Chair of Radiology. An endowed chair is the ultimate recognition of a faculty member's service and contribution to MUSC; it is one of the most prestigious honors a university can bestow on a faculty member. This Endowed Chair will be associated with the Department Chair to provide continuing resources for the department's mission and educational efforts.

Dr. Susan Ackerman (Diagnostic Radiology Residency Class of 1996), has been a member of the faculty of the Department of Radiology since completing residency in 1996. She served as the Division Director for Ultrasound starting in 1999, and she became the Vice Chair for Clinical Affairs in Radiology in 2006. She has been an amazing faculty member and a tremendous resource for many of the faculty and trainees. She will be greatly missed. We wish her best of luck in her retirement!

Dr. Madelene Lewis (Diagnostic Radiology Residency Class of 2011, Women's Imaging Fellowship Class of 2012) served as the Radiology Residency Program Director since 2016. With Dr. Ackerman's retirement, Dr. Lewis assumed the role of Vice Chair of Operations in July 2022.

Dr. Seth Stalcup served as the Associate Program Director of the Radiology Residency and with Dr. Lewis stepping aside to be Vice Chair of Operations, Seth assumed the role of Radiology Residency Program Director on July 1.

Dr. Sandra Rutigliano is a new member of the MSK faculty at MUSC and will become the Associate Program Director of the Radiology Residency Program. She previously was at the University of Pennsylvania Department of Radiology.



Left to right: Dr. Philip Costello, Dr. Susan Ackerman, Dr. Madelene Lewis, Dr. Seth Stalcup, Dr. Sandra Rutigliano.

Alumni News



Dr. Donna Roberts, Diagnostic Radiology Class of 2004

From MUSC Progress Notes: "In addition to preparing for space colonization, Donna Roberts, M.D., an MUSC Health neuro-radiologist and the primary investigator for this research paper, says studies like this one also help doctors learn more about conditions that affect people on earth generally. "We can learn more about the role gravity plays on fluid around the brain, for instance," she said. "And it gives us insight into how disorders of cerebrospinal fluid circulation affect patients not just in space but also here on earth."

[Read the whole article here](#)

Dr. Roberts has also been awarded the inaugural Blue Sky Research Award for her collaboration on "A Feasibility Study of the Incorporation of a Portable MRI in a Telemedicine-Equipped Ambulance for Field Triage of Stroke Patients."

**Dr. Madelene Lewis, Diagnostic
Radiology Class of 2011, Women's**

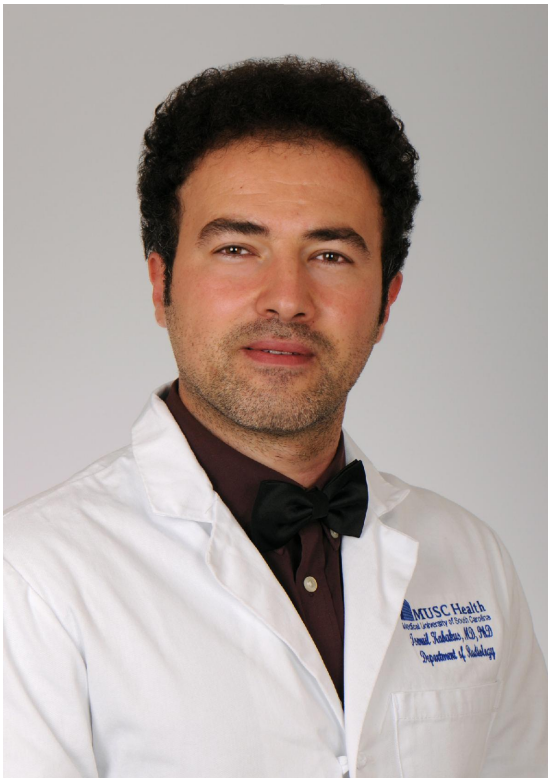
Imaging Class of 2012



Dr. Madelene Lewis had a project for Innovation Week that was selected as a finalist for Shark Tank!

M. Lewis, B. McCracken, S. Janikowski, K. Smuniewsk. Career Advancement Resources (CAR).

[See the Poster](#)



Dr. Ismail Kabakus, Cardiothoracic Fellowship Class of 2022

Congratulations to Dr. Kabakus who moved directly from fellowship here at MUSC into a faculty position as an Assistant Professor in the Cardiothoracic Division on April 1, 2022.

Our newest Alums!



Diagnostic Radiology Class of 2022. Top Row, left to right: Dr. Daniel Cook, Dr. Marlee Croissy, Dr. Will Dennis, Dr. Dzmityr Haviazheu, Dr. Madison Kocher. 2nd row: Dr. William Nixon, Dr. Brielle Paolini, Dr. Justin Reagan, Dr. Lauren Snider, Dr. Trevor Stone.



IRDR Independent Class of 2022. Dr. Edward Gayou, Dr. Michael Prasad, Dr. J. Taylor Smith, Dr. Trent Willinham.



Neuro Fellows. Dr. Ariel Kerpel, Dr. Ryan Kuhnlein, Dr. Nicholas C. Shaheen.

Projects

Radiology Library Fundraiser Progress

We currently have our Radiology Library enclosed in two cabinets in the break room, as seen at left, but we are working on an upgrade.



We are raising funds to procure classic barrister bookcases with glass fronts that are lockable. These new bookcases would be located near the Education Director's office and would have enough room for our entire library! (Currently our cabinets are stuffed with books stacked every which way.) If you would like to see what they will look like, click [here](#). Our goal is \$7,000. **So far we have raised \$1,865.34** thanks to our generous donors: Radovan Bubanj, Genta Dani, Dwight W. Frierson, Mark E. Grossnickle, Retta C. Guthrie, Dallas W. Lovelace and two anonymous donations.

If you choose to donate, your name will be listed on a plaque honoring your donation. We hope you will consider contributing to this project. Thank you!

Click on the button below to donate and follow these directions: For "My gift supports" put in "[Choose my own fund or area to support](#)". Then, under "Choose my own fund..." put in "[Radiology Resident Fund 04903](#)".

[Donate to Radiology Resident Fund for new library bookcases!](#)

Alumni We Don't Know How to Contact

If you know any of the Alumni listed below, please forward this newsletter to them. If they like it, hopefully they will [contact us](#) to add them to our mailing list! We'll put a short list in every newsletter and hope that we keep hearing from everyone to fill in the blanks!

Matthew Murray

Govindarajan Narayanan

Rebecca Newell

Jose Pacheco

Shirish Parikh

Erick Pfeiffer

Dang Pham

Bert Piggott, Jr.

George Provosty

John Ravita

Keeping in Touch

[Please email us](#) your photos and information about presentations, research you're doing, news you'd like to share (had a baby, moved to a new job, got married, citations for articles, books, etc. from the past year and/or what you're generally up to these days, etc.), and anything else you can think of for our newsletter that would be of interest to MUSC Radiology Alumni. We look forward to hearing from you!

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