South Carolina SMRT

2018 Spring Chapter Meeting
Pelham Medical Center
March 10, 2018 8am-5pm
Pelham Medical Center
Community Center
Medical Office Building-Entrance B
250 Westmoreland Rd.
Greer, South Carolina 29651

8 Category A CE Credits
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A recognized RCEEM of the ARRT

Facility and Hotel Information

Host hotel: (Room block held until Feb. 16, 2018)
Hampton Inn & Suites Greenville Airport
Address: 128 The Parkway, Greenville, SC 29615
Phone: (864) 263-5555

http://group.hamptoninn.com/SC-SMRT

This continuing education meeting is sponsored by The SC Chapter of the SMRT.

Pelham Medical Center is conveniently located next to the Greenville Spartanburg International Airport and off of Exit 56 off I-85. The meeting will be held in the community center at the Pelham Medical Center Medical Office Building, Entrance B.

From Spartanburg
Take I-85 South to Exit 56 (Highway 14). At the top of the exit, turn left. The Pelham Medical Center is approximately 0.6 miles on your left at the corner of Westmoreland Road and SC-14.

From Greenville
Take I-85 North to Exit 56 (Highway 14). At the top of the exit, turn right. The Pelham Medical Center is approximately 0.6 miles on your left at the corner of Westmoreland Road and SC-14.

Email cindyhipps@att.net
For more information
An experienced faculty has been secured for the didactic portion of this one day course that will provide continuing education as well as 8 Category A CE Credits with SMRT Approval which is a recognized CE mechanism of the ARRT.

**Note:** Speakers and/or topics may change without prior notice.

The Technologist will learn and be able to apply the following to their daily practice:

- Learn tips and tricks for successful cardiac imaging, protocol optimization and pathology associated with the heart.
- Explain what RF is used for in MR and why it's a safety issue
- Define and explain how functional imaging of the lung is ready for clinical practice
- Learn how MRI is used in treatment planning.
- Discuss MRI safety and safety issues surrounding MR contrast agents
- Learn about new techniques in parallel imaging
- Discuss ways a technologist can impact safety by being certified in MR safety
- Learn how to interact with generational differences

**Meeting Organizers**

Wendy Callahan, RT(R)(MR)
Melonee Elrod, RT(R)(M)(CT)(MR)
Cindy Hipps, BHS, RT(R)(MR), FSMRT
Carol Lee, BS, RT(R)(CT)(MR)
Anne Sawyer, BS, RT(R)(MR), FSMRT

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**SC SMRT Chapter Meeting Agenda**

**March 10, 2018**

### Registration Information

Early registration is recommended.

Name____________________________________
Institution________________________________
Address__________________________________
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City___________________State______Zip______
Phone_________________Fax________________
Email____________________________________

*(Meeting Confirmation sent via email only)*

**Registration Fee:**

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All registration fees should be made payable to SC SMRT and sent to the address below.

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8:00-8:30 AM Continental Breakfast  WELCOME

8:30 - 9:20 AM
**Parallel Imaging: Simultaneous Multi Slice & Compressed Sensing**
Brian Dale  
R and D Zone Manager, Siemens Healthineers

9:20-10:10 AM
**Integrating MR Imaging in Therapy Planning**  
Jerry Lippens  
MRI Regional Business Manager, Philips Healthcare

10:10-10:30 AM Break

10:30-11:20 AM  
**Functional Lung Imaging**
H. Cecil Charles, Ph.D  
Director, Duke Image Analysis Laboratory

11:20-12:10 AM  
**MRI Safety & Clinical ACR Updates**
Erfan Akbari, M.S.  
West Physics Consulting, LLC, Atlanta, GA

12:10-1:00 PM Lunch Provided

1:00-1:50 PM  
**Ready or Not, Here They Come: Generation Z**  
Gina Greenwood, MBA, CRA, R.T.(R),(MR) FSMRT  
Director, Radiology Services, UW Health - Madison, WI

1:50-2:40 PM  
**MR Safety Issues and Contrast Media Safety**  
Jim Stuppino, BS,RT(R)(MR)  
Animal Scan, LLC, Bethlehem, PA

2:40-3:00 PM Break

3:00-3:50 PM  
**Cardiac MRI: Review of the Basics**
Cindy R. Comeau, BS, RT(N)(MR), FSMRT  
Clinical Product Manager-Cardiac MRI, Neosoft, LLC

3:50-4:40 PM  
**RF Safety in MR**  
Anne Sawyer, BS, RT(R)(MR), FSMRT  
Editor, SMRT Home Studies, Charleston, SC

4:40-5:00 PM Wrap Up