

RLI Kickstart Your Career – Faculty Bios

Dr. Rend Al-Khalili is an Assistant Professor of Radiology at Georgetown University School of Medicine, specialized in Breast Imaging. She serves as the co-chair of the Resident and Fellow Committee of the Society of Breast Imaging. She also serves as the Trainees' Education Administrative for the DC chapter of the American College of Radiology. Dr. Al-Khalili has strong interest in research and has published in many aspects of breast Imaging with particular focus on breast MRI. She is a reviewer for many radiology journals including the American Journal of Roentgenology (AJR) and Journal of Breast Imaging (JBI). In addition to reviewing, Dr. Al-Khalili served on the Editorial Board for the JBI. Besides training residents and fellows, she is very passionate about providing educational opportunities for medical students to increase their awareness of the field of breast imaging.

Dr. David Boyd is a partner and neuroradiologist in private practice at Reston Radiology Consultants. He completed a combined MD and MBA program at Georgetown. He was awarded membership into the Alpha Omega Alpha medical honor society and the Beta Gamma Sigma business honor society. He completed his Radiology Residency and Neuroradiology Fellowship at Georgetown, where he was named Chief Resident and Resident of the Year. He achieved a Certificate of Added Qualification in Neuroradiology. Dr. Boyd has served as the President and CME Coordinator of the Washington, DC Chapter of the American College of Radiology as well as the President of the Georgetown Clinical Society. He currently serves as Chair of the ACR Committee on Chapters, as a Member of the ACR Annual Meeting Program Committee, and as Alternate Councilor for the DC Chapter of the ACR. He has lectured for the RLI since the inception of this Kickstarter course in 2018.

Dr. Linda Chu is an Associate Professor at Johns Hopkins University. Her clinical expertise is in abdominal imaging and her research focus is on artificial intelligence of the pancreas.

Dr. Ellen M. Chung is a pediatric radiologist and Associate Radiologist-in-Chief at Nationwide Children's Hospital in Columbus, Ohio. She also served as the Pediatric Section Chief at the Armed Forces Institute of Pathology then American Institute for Radiologic Pathology from 2005 until 2020. She recently retired from the United States Army, where she reached the rank of colonel. She is an Adjunct Associate Professor of Radiology and Radiological Sciences at the Uniformed Services University of the Health Sciences (USUHS). She served as the Integrated Chief of Diagnostic Radiology during the merger of Walter Reed Army Medical center and National Naval Medical Center to form Walter Reed National Military Medical Center. A graduate of Georgetown University and Georgetown University School of Medicine, she completed radiology residency at Tripler Army Medical Center in Honolulu, Hawaii followed by a fellowship in Pediatric Radiology at the Children's Hospital Boston. She is board certified in Radiology with subspecialty certification in Pediatric Radiology.

Oluwatoyin "Toyin" Idowu joined Fairfax Radiology November 2018, specializing in Neuro Imaging. Her training in Diagnostic Radiology and subspecialty training in Neuroradiology was completed at Johns Hopkins Hospital. She subsequently became Assistant Professor at Johns Hopkins Hospital and Chief of Neuroimaging at Johns Hopkins Bayview Medical Center. Her area of expertise and research has been in stroke, vascular and perfusion imaging.

Vivek Kalia, MD MPH is an American Board of Radiology (ABR) Board-Certified Radiologist and Assistant Professor of Radiology at the University of Michigan, specializing in Musculoskeletal Radiology. He graduated from medical school at Johns Hopkins School of Medicine, where he received

his MD, and completed an extra year of training to receive his Master's in Public Health (MPH) at the Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health. He completed his Residency in Diagnostic Radiology at the University of Vermont Medical Center (Burlington, VT) and his Musculoskeletal Radiology Fellowship at Hospital for Special Surgery (New York, NY).

Dr. Kalia is an academic radiologist with several areas of research interest. He is active in various medical societies and has numerous peer-reviewed publications. He regularly presents his research at international radiology meetings including the European Congress of Radiology, Radiological Society of North America, and Society of Skeletal Radiology. He has authored two book chapters on patellofemoral pain and instability in an upcoming volume to be released in 2017.

Dr. Kalia has worked internationally in the spheres of medicine and public health and is a contributor to public health radiology organizations such as Imaging the World (ITW) and RAD-AID. He also completed public health research for the National Institutes of Health (NIH) in India. In similar capacities, he has conducted research and/or provided medical care in Japan, Bolivia, Honduras, and Uganda.

Lawrence R. Muroff, MD, FACR is the immediate past CEO & President of Imaging Consultants, Inc., providers of consulting services to radiologists, hospitals, and corporations. He is also an Adjunct Clinical Professor of Radiology at the University of Florida and the University of South Florida Colleges of Medicine. For 20 years he was a member of a 45+ radiologist practice where he held several leadership positions, including serving as president.

Dr. Muroff is an honors graduate of Dartmouth College and Harvard Medical School, a member of Phi Beta Kappa and Alpha Omega Alpha, and a recipient of the Gold Medal of both the Florida Radiological Society and the American College of Radiology. Dr. Muroff is listed in Who's Who in America and Who's Who in the World. He is also listed in the publication, The Best Doctors in America 2000. His radiology socio-economic expertise and his educational expertise were recognized in separate cover stories in Diagnostic Imaging; similarly he was featured in a cover story in Imaging Economics. Dr. Muroff was designated by Aunt Minnie as Radiology's Most Effective Educator: 2010, and was awarded the 2016-2017 Distinguished Career Achievement Award by Dartmouth Medical School.

Dr. Muroff has served as president of several national and regional imaging organizations; he is an inaugural member of the Board of both the ACR's Radiology Leadership Institute and the Neiman Health Policy Institute; he has authored more than 80 scientific and socio-economic articles; and he has presented over 1100 invited lectures throughout the United States and Europe.

Dr. Amy Oliveira is a board-certified radiologist subspecialized in musculoskeletal imaging. She is a partner at Radiology and Imaging, Inc. in Springfield, Massachusetts and an Assistant Professor of Radiology at the University of Massachusetts-Baystate. In addition to clinical work, her career has focused on education, previously serving as the Associate Program Director of the Radiology residency and Medical Student Course Director. She also serves on multiple education related committees through the ACR, ABR, and Society of Skeletal Radiology. Dr. Oliveira experienced burnout after a period of rapid career growth and consequently, her mission now includes addressing physician burnout through mentoring and promoting cultural change in how burnout is handled in medicine.

Dr. Oliveira earned her degree in Physiology & Neurobiology from the University of Connecticut and her medical degree from New York Medical College. She completed her radiology residency at Mount Auburn Hospital in Cambridge, Massachusetts, and her musculoskeletal imaging fellowship at the Massachusetts General Hospital.

Suzanne Palmer, MD A native of Southern California, Dr. Palmer received her BA from Vassar College and her medical degree from Temple University School of Medicine. She completed an Internal Medicine residency at St. Mary Medical Center in Long Beach, California and passed the American Board of Internal Medicine before completing her Radiology residency at the University of California, Irvine. Dr. Palmer joined the USC Department of Radiology in 1997, where she completed her Body Imaging and Interventional Fellowship. She is currently Professor of Clinical Radiology and Medicine and Chief of the Body Imaging Division. Although she has advanced training in computerized tomography, ultrasound and magnetic resonance imaging, Dr. Palmer's main area of interest is MRI with special focus on chronic liver disease, including MR elastography and fat quantification; prostate imaging for early diagnosis of high grade prostate cancer; bowel imaging, including enterography for inflammatory bowel disease; and dynamic pelvic floor imaging, enterography and prostate imaging. Dr. Palmer is a Diplomat of the American Board of Radiology and is active in local, national and international radiology societies.

Daniel Singer, MD FACR has been in private practice for over 40 years since moonlighting as a 2nd year radiology resident in 1979. Radiology Residency and Fellowship in Nuclear Medicine were completed in 1982 in Ann Arbor at the University of Michigan. Daniel joined Toledo Radiological Associates in Toledo, Ohio in 1982. He served as Director of Radiology at Toledo Hospital, Director of Radiology at Toledo Children's Hospital, and was on staff at the Medical College of Ohio as an Assistant Professor of Radiology.

In 2005 Daniel left Ohio and moved to Naples, Florida and joined the Naples Radiology, P.C. Serving them as Medical Director of Radiology at Naples Community Hospital, North Collier Hospital, Physicians Regional Hospitals, and finally as President of the group. Since 2018 he and many of his partners became part of Radiology Associates of South Florida.

Daniel has been a Past President of the Ohio Radiological Society, Past President of the Florida Radiological Society, and continues to serve on the Board and many committees of the Florida Radiological Society.

He has been a strong supporter of continuing education in Radiology and maintaining board certification.

Dr. Scott Truhlar is in his 17th year of private practice general radiology in an 8-radiologist group in Iowa City, Iowa. Outside of work, he has held national office in the ACR and is currently Chair of the Board of the Iowa Medical Society. His passion is using his unique knowledge base to teach medical trainees and early career physicians about personal financial planning, including a for-credit medical student elective at the University of Iowa Carver College of Medicine.

Dr. Peter Van Geertruyden is a graduate of the US Military Academy and Tulane School of Medicine. He completed his radiology residency at Walter Reed Army Medical Center and MSK fellowship at Thomas Jefferson University.

After nearly 30 years in the Army, Dr. Van Geertruyden has retired from active duty and is currently a staff MSK radiologist with Medical Center Radiologists, a hybrid private/academic practice in Norfolk, Virginia.

Dr. Van Geertruyden is an active ACR member at both the national and local level. He is the current President of the DC Medical Radiological Society.