

The Society of Nuclear Medicine & Molecular Imaging

New England Chapter Technologist Section

Staying Connected to Build a Better Future

45th Annual Spring Symposium
for
Technologists, Students, Educators

**March 28 & 29, 2014
Portsmouth, NH**

**The Sheraton Portsmouth
Harborside Hotel**

250 Market Street
Portsmouth, NH



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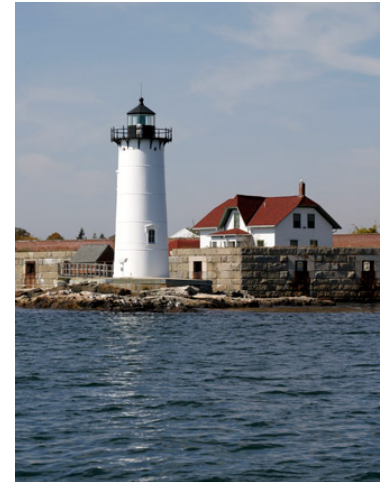
General Information

Meeting Dates

March 28 & 29, 2014

Meeting Location & Accommodations

The Sheraton Portsmouth
Harborside Hotel
250 Market Street
Portsmouth, NH 03801
(603) 431-2300



Important Dates & Deadlines

- Pre-Registration must be postmarked by March 4, 2014
- Hotel Reservations must be made by March 4, 2014 to receive discounted rates
- No refunds will be issued after March 17, 2014

You can register online at www.nects.org or by using the registration forms located at the back of this brochure.

On Site Registration for
Technologists & Students

Friday, March 28 @ 7:00 am
Saturday, March 29 @ 7:00 am



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www.starwood.com

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Hotel Rates: \$129/night (Single or Double) for Thursday, Friday or Saturday nights plus applicable state and local taxes. See hotel website for check-in times, cancellation policies, etc.

Visit www.nects.org to make your reservations online or call 860-678-1000 and ask for reservations. To receive the discount group rate, attendees must identify themselves with the Society of Nuclear Medicine New England Chapter.

Parking

The Hotel offers parking at a rate of \$13.00 night in our gated parking lot and a \$17.00 fee in our underground parking garage. Our gated lot is located directly across the street from our main entrance and our underground parking is located underneath the Hotel.

Directions

From North

Take Exit 7 off I-95 (Downtown Portsmouth).
Turn left off the exit and 1/2 mile ahead bear right at the blinking light. The hotel entrance is on the left.

From South

Take Exit 7 off I-95 (Downtown Portsmouth). Turn right off the exit and proceed for approximately 1/2 mile. Bear right at the blinking light and the hotel entrance is on the left.



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VOICE Credits — 14 CEUs Pending

CE credit will be given for each scientific session. Attendance during at least 80% of an instructional hour is mandatory. Sign-in sheets will be available at the registration booth. Participants must be signed in each day. Credit cannot be recorded on your VOICE transcript without a VOICE membership number. If you are a member in good standing of the Society of Nuclear Medicine Technologist Section or VOICE tracking program, you must leave your Verification form at the attendance desk for delivery to the SNM for VOICE tracking. ***You will receive an email for the SNM requesting you evaluate the speakers and you will then be able to print your credits.*** If you are not a member of the Society of Nuclear Medicine you will still be able to receive your credits after filling out the evaluation.

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Student Program Friday March 28, 2014

9:00 am Registration

9:20 - 9:30 am Welcome and Program Overview

David Gilmore, MS, CNMT, NCT, RT(R) (N), FSNMMITS
- President, SNMMI-NECTS

Educator's Co-chairs:

Mark Ricci, CNMT

Jason Smith, CNMT, RT (N)

Registry Review—Moderators - Mark Ricci & Jason Smith

9:30 - 10:15 am PET/CT - *Justin Tremont*

10:30 - 11:30 am Radiopharmacy - *Rich Serino*

11:30 - 12:15 pm Lunch

12:15 - 1:15 pm Procedures - *Leo Nalivaika*

1:15 - 2:00 pm Instrumentation - *Stephanie Rhymer*

2:00 - 2:30 pm **Coffee Break**

2:30 - 3:00 pm Radiation Safety - *Cathy Coleman*

3:00 - 3:30 pm CT Overview - *AnnMarie Alcala*

3:30 - 3:45 pm NMTCB Exam Overview - *Sarah Kalmanovsky*

3:45 - 4:30 pm Mock Exam/Mock Exam Review

5:30 - 7:00 pm **Vendor Reception**




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Student Program

Saturday March 29, 2014

Nuclear Medicine Technology Students will present a variety of Scientific Papers and Posters. All students participating will receive a certificate as a token of appreciation.

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| 7:00 am | Registration | |
| 7:30 - 8:15 am | Student Talks to be downloaded to laptop and Posters to be set-up | |
| 8:15 - 8:20 am | Welcome & Overview:
Mark Ricci & Jason Smith
Educator's Committee Co-Chairs |  |
| 8:20 - 8:30 am | President's Welcome:
David Gilmore | |
| 8:30 - 12:00 pm | Student Presentations | |
| 12:00 - 12:30 pm | Awards Presentation | |
| 12:30 - 1:15 pm | Lunch (included in registration) and Chapter Business Meeting (students encouraged to attend) | |
| 1:15 - 4:30 pm | Students may join Technologist Program | |

Please email Mark or Jason for information about the student program.

Mark's email: mriccimo@comcast.net

Jason's email: jfsmith79@yahoo.com

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Technologist Program Friday March 28, 2014

7:00 am	Registration
7:55 - 8:00 am	<i>President's Welcome</i> David Gilmore, MS, CNMT, NCT, RT(R) (N), FSNMMITS
8:00 - 8:45 am	<i>Update on Y-90 Ibritumomab Tiuxetan Radioimmunotherapy for Non-Hodgkin's Lymphoma</i> Jane Popov, CNMT, ARRT (N)
8:45 - 9:30 am	<i>Patient Care: Coloring Outside the Lines</i> Dennis Dunn, CNMT
9:30 - 10:00 am	Break—Meet with our Vendors
10:00 -10:45 am	<i>Injections and extravasated doses in Nuclear Medicine</i> Frances Keech, DHSc, RT(N), FSNMMITS
10:45 -11:30 am	<i>GYN/ONC in PET/CT</i> April Medeiros, CNMT, RT(R/N)
11:30 –1:00 pm	Lunch & Meet with Vendors Past Presidents Meeting
1:00 - 2:00 pm	<i>Lymphoseek Injection: A New Receptor-Targeted Lymphatic Mapping Agent.</i> David Decewicz, MD, MS, MHA
2:00 - 3:00 pm	<i>Radiation Safety in Therapy</i> Leo Nalivaika, MBA, CNMT, FSNMMITS
3:00 - 3:30 pm	Break—Meet with our Vendors
3:30 - 4:30 pm	<i>Castration Resistant Prostate Cancer: Facts and Novel Therapies</i> Clare Jennings, MSRA, RT(N)
4:30 - 5:30 pm	<i>Social Media: Staying connected to build a better future</i> Claudia Pouravelis, Ed. D.

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Technologist Program Saturday March 29, 2014

- 7:00 - 8:00am Registration and Breakfast
- 8:00 - 9:00 am *Breast Cancer in PET/CT Imaging*
Dr. Robert Bridwell
- 9:00 -10:00 am *True Informed Consent: Is it really possible to achieve?*
Courtney Foster, M.Sc., CNMT, RT (N)(CT)
- 10:00 - 10:30 am Break—Meet with our Vendors**
- 10:30 -11:30 am *Current Status of Motion Correction in SPECT MPI: What we have learned and where we are going?*
Karen Johnson, BS, CNMT
- 11:30 - 12:30 pm *Thryogen: Adjunctive Treatment for Radioiodine Ablation and Diagnostic Follow-up*
Kishore Lakshman, MD, MPH, ECNU, FACE
- 12: 30 - 1:15 pm Lunch and Business meeting**
- 1:15 - 2:15 pm *Leadership Behaviors that Drive Success*
April Mann, MBA, CNMT, NCT, RT(N)
- 2:15 - 3:15 pm *Radiation Safety and Dose Optimization*
Dr. Frederic Fahey
- 3:15 - 4:15 pm *Advancing Your Nuclear Medicine Career*
Jon Adams, BS, RT (R) (N)(CT), PET



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STUDENT FACULTY

**Ann-Marie Alcala, MBA, MSM, R.T. (CT)
(ARRT), CNMT**
Program Director
Lincoln College of New England (LCNE)

Cathy Coleman, CNMT
Radiology Practice Manager
Grove Hill Medical Center

Sarah Kalmanovsky, CNMT
Former student, Lincoln College of New
England

Leo Nalivaika, CNMT, NCT, FSNMMI-TS
Program Director/Clinical Instructor
UMASS Medical Center/Worcester State
College

Stephanie Rhymer, CNMT, RT (N)
Clinical Coordinator and Faculty Associate
Massachusetts College of Pharmacy and Health
Sciences

Richard T. Serino, CNMT
Chairperson- Medical Imaging
Springfield Technical Community College

Justin Tremont CNMT, RT (N) (CT) PET
Nuclear Medicine & PET/CT Staff
Technologist / Education Coordinator
Dana-Farber Cancer Institute



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TECHNOLOGIST FACULTY

Jonathan Adams, BS, RT(R)(N)(CT), PET
Technical Manager, Nuclear Medicine/PET
Massachusetts General Hospital
Dr. Robert Bridwell

Robert Bridwell, MD, MBA
Medical Advisor
IBA Molecular

David Decewicz, MD
Medical Science Liaison
Navidea Biopharmaceutical

Denis James Dunn, CNMT

Frederic H. Fahey, DSc, SNMMI Past President
Director of NM/PET Physics
Boston Children's Hospital

Courtney Foster, M.Sc., CNMT, RT(N), (CT)
Clinical Research Coordinator
Brigham & Women's Hospital

Clare Jennings, MSRA, RT(N)
Radiotherapy Specialist, Northeast Region
Algeta-US

Karen L. Johnson
Sr. Research Scientist
UMass Medical School

Frances Keech, DHSc, RT(N), FSNMMITS
Nuclear Medicine Technology Program Director
MCPHS

Kishore Lakshman, MD, MPH, ECNU, FACE
Director, Prima-CARE Thyroid Center
Prima-CARE Medical Center

April Mann, BA, CNMT, NCT, RT (N), FSNMMITS
SNMMI-TS President Elect
Manager, Non-Invasive Cardiology
Hartford Hospital

April M Medeiros, CNMT, RT(R/N)
CAE
IBA Molecular North America, Inc.

Leo Nalivaika, MBA, CNMT, NCT, FSNMMITS
NECTS – Historian
Educational Coordinator/Clinical Instructor,
UMASS Medical Center/Worcester State College

Jane Cordis Popov-Dadiani, CNMT, ARRT (N)
Clinical Logistic Specialist
Spectrum Pharmaceuticals

Dr. Claudia C. Pouravelis, Ed.D.
Associate Dean, Graduate Academic Affairs
Regis College



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Officers of the New England Chapter Technologist Section (NECTS)

President	David Gilmore, MS, CNMT, NCT, RT(R) (N), FSNMMITS
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Historian Emeritus	Leo Nalivaika, MBA, CNMT, FSNMMITS

Special thanks to our Program Committee:

Program Committee Chair	Lauren Shanbrun, MS, CNMT, RT(N)(CT)
Educator's Committee	Jason Smith, CNMT, RT (N) Mark Ricci, CNMT
Vendor Liaison	Kathleen M. Krisak, BS, CNMT, FSNMMITS
Pre Registration	Kathleen M. Krisak, BS, CNMT, FSNMMITS
On Site Registration	Kathleen M. Krisak, BS, CNMT, FSNMMITS
VOICE Coordinator	April Mann, BS, CNMT, NCT, RT (N), FSNMMITS
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Technologist - Registration Form (PLEASE PRINT)

Name _____
(Include Degree/Certification)

Mailing Address _____

City/ State/Zip _____

Daytime Telephone () _____

SNM Member Number _____ Email _____
(Needed for registration)

Please Check Appropriate Box

Pre-Registration Fees by 3/4/14	One Day	Two Day
	<i>Circle One</i>	
Technologist, SNM Member	<u>Fri or Sat</u> \$100	_____ \$150
Technologist, Non SNM Member	<u>Fri or Sat</u> \$175	_____ \$250

On Site Registration Fees after 3/4/14

Technologist, SNM Member	<u>Fri or Sat</u> \$125	_____ \$175
Technologist, Non SNM Member	<u>Fri or Sat</u> \$250	_____ \$300

All fees include handouts, coffee breaks, continental breakfast and boxed lunch on Saturday.

____ If you have a disability, requiring special accommodations, please check here and advise us of your needs at least two weeks in advance of the program.

Sorry, but there will be no refunds after March 17, 2014
Cash or Check or Credit Cards

You can also register on-line @ <http://www.nects.org>

Please make checks payable to- **New England Chapter, SNM** and mail to:
Kathleen M. Krisak
158 Chicopee Street
Granby, Massachusetts 01033

Any questions please check our web page at www.nects.org
Or contact Kathleen Krisak krisakkk@comcast.net

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Student - Registration Form (PLEASE PRINT & answer all questions)

Last Name: _____ First Name: _____

Mailing Address _____

City/State/Zip _____

Daytime Telephone () _____ Fax () _____

SNM # _____ Email _____

School Name _____

Are you presenting? Yes _____ No _____ Oral _____ Poster _____

Are you attending:

The Registry Review on Friday? Yes _____ No _____

The Student Presentations on Saturday? Yes _____ No _____

The Technologist Program? Yes _____ No _____ on Friday (all day)

Yes _____ No _____ on Saturday (all day)

Yes _____ No _____ on Saturday (after student talks)

For presenting students the NECTS will cover the cost of a hotel room for 2 nights. You must call the hotel directly to reserve a room ((603) 431-2300). (For non-presenting students the room rate is \$129.00 per night plus applicable tax and you must make your own reservations).

Did you make a Hotel Reservation for Thursday night? Yes _____ No _____

Did you make a Hotel Reservation for Friday night? Yes _____ No _____

Students Pre-Registration by 3/4/2014 One Day (\$15.00) ___ Two Day (\$25.00) ___

Students On-Site Registration after 3/4/2014 One Day (\$25.00) ___ Two Day (\$35.00) ___

Friday's fee includes handouts, coffee breaks and lunch for only those attending the Registry Review.

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Cash or Check only Accepted NO CREDIT CARDS

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