QIBA fMRI Technical Committee Update  
Wednesday, November 20, 2013 at 11 AM CT  
Call Summary

**In attendance**

Ted DeYoe, PhD, (Co-Chair)  
James J. Reuss, PhD  
RSNA

Cathy Elsinger, PhD, (Co-Chair)  
David Soltysik, PhD  
Joe Koudelik

Jeffrey Petrella, MD, (Co-Chair)  
James T. Voyvodic, PhD  
Madeleine McCoy

Edward Jackson, PhD  
Zhiyue Jerry Wang, PhD

Feroze Mohamed, PhD  
Kirk M. Welker, MD

Jay J. Pillai, MD  
Yuxiang Zhou, PhD

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1. **Strategic Plan**
   Submitted to NIBIB reporting purposes (see attached).

2. **Attending breakout session (Kirk, Ted, Cathy, Jim R?)**
   
   **RSNA 2013 Annual Meeting - QIBA Technical Committees Working Meeting:**
   
   Wednesday, December 4th | 2:30pm – 5:00pm | Chicago, McCormick Place | Room: N136

3. **RSNA Meeting—Poster Coverage**
   
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4. **fMRI DRO Community**
   
   1. Updates to share re: testing of site?
   2. Next steps/updates re: development of first test dataset.

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**Discussion**

**Strategic Plan**

- Dr. Elsinger reviewed the fMRI Tech Ctte Strategic Plan (Gantt chart).
- The plan includes project Aims and deliverables outlined for the upcoming year.

**RSNA Annual Meeting fMRI Break Out Group**

- The discussion will focus on the Profile including next steps

**RSNA Annual Meeting Poster Coverage**

- Dr. Elsinger can cover the open times on Sunday and Thursday.

**fMRI DRO Community**

- Dr. Elsinger logged in and explored the site
- Value of the DRO data will be to address knowledge gaps within the Profile
- Performance measurements and value of statistical and thresholding maps were discussed
- Clinical Interpretation was addressed to be included in the Profile
- A questionnaire will be developed by Drs. DeYoe/Voyvodic re: data to collect; to be distributed along with the DRO to all participating imaging sites
- De-identification software packages were overviewed
- Logistics and IRB specifics re data collection from Drs. Welker, Mohamed and Pillai will need to be addressed
- Drs. Pillai and DeYoe’s parallel project concerning neurovascular uncoupling (NVU) methodological placeholders was discussed

**Next calls:**
- QIBA fMRI Bias WG call - **Tuesday, November 26th at 10am CT**
- QIBA fMRI tech committee call - **Wednesday, December 18th, at 11am CT**

**RSNA 2013 Annual Meeting - QIBA Technical Committees Working Meeting:**
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- Please let us know whether you plan to attend by responding to the following poll: [http://www.doodle.com/fwf76ceggb78r75b](http://www.doodle.com/fwf76ceggb78r75b).
- We appreciate your continued support and look forward to your participation - Thank You!

**QIBA Poster Meet-the-Expert (MTE) Sessions at RSNA 2013**

**Location:** McCormick Place, Chicago - Lakeside Learning Center (Hall D)
- Please provide your availability to participate in the QIBA Poster Meet-the-Expert (MTE) sessions.
- This is a chance to interact with meeting attendees to discuss current subcommittee projects.
- Sessions are 30 minutes over the noon-time hour, Sunday through Thursday.
- The Tech Ctte posters will be located at the **QIBA Kiosk**, which is within the Lakeside Learning Center (Hall D).
- **Doodle Poll URL:** [http://www.doodle.com/sb35dcdu4xv9y6hi](http://www.doodle.com/sb35dcdu4xv9y6hi)