

QIBA Ultrasound Shear Wave Speed (SWS) Biomarker Committee

Friday, February 13, 2015; 11 AM CT

Call Summary

In attendance

Brian Garra, MD (Co-Chair)

Timothy J. Hall, PhD (Co-Chair)

Andy Milkowski, MS (Co-Chair)

Michael André, PhD

Richard Barr, MD, PhD

Paul Carson, PhD

Jun Chen, PhD

David Cosgrove, MD

Manish Dhyani, MD

Gilles Guennette, RDMS, RDCS, RVT

Christopher Hazard, PhD

Mike MacDonald, PhD

Stephen McLeavey, PhD

Kathy Nightingale, PhD

Nancy Obuchowski, PhD

Stephen Rosenzweig, PhD

Anthony Samir, MD

Daniel Sullivan, MD

Matthew Urban, PhD

Michael Wang, PhD

Keith Wear, PhD

Hua Xia, PhD

RSNA

Fiona Miller

Joe Koudelik

Julie Lisiecki

Moderator: Dr. Hall

General Discussion

Round-3 project status updates were given by Drs. Palmeri, Samir and Hall

- Dr Palmeri: Simulation Study has been completed and final report submitted
- Dr Samir: Clinical Pilot Study (effect of steatosis and inflammation on SWS in the liver) is nearly complete
- Dr Hall: Phase II Phantom Study is ongoing, but a final report will be submitted on time, and data will be uploaded to Dr Carson's [M+Box](#) site for reference: <http://www.itcs.umich.edu/storage/box/>; Questions may be directed to: pcarson@umich.edu
- **REMINDERS**
 - Final reports for all Round-3 extended projects are due by **Friday, February 27, 2015**
 - QIDW also available for data upload/storage

Round-4 project status updates were given by Drs. Palmeri and Samir

- Dr Palmeri: Simulation Study is running behind, but anticipated to complete on time by Sept 29th, 2015
- Clinical Pilot Study (beyond confounders): Dr Samir has completed the MGH IRB paperwork and is awaiting equipment from Siemens

2015 AIUM Annual Meeting - discussion plans for the next potential biomarker

- Ad hoc meeting of US SWS ctte members scheduled for Tuesday, March 24 at 10:30 AM to discuss choice of next biomarker to pursue
- AIUM has offered to provide support for a new BC and associated groundwork via funding and admin support
- Suggestion to invite AIUM representative(s) to the QIBA May meeting to build collaboration

Upcoming Schedule – {Calls Friday at 11 am CT}:

- February 20th [No call - cancelled](#)
- February 27th [Clinical Task Force - \(Dr. Samir\)](#)

Doodle Poll: Informal QIBA US meeting at AIUM 2015: <http://doodle.com/vs2r44v4akrxcgd4>

March 2015

Day **Week** Month Year

	Sat 21	Sun 22	Mon 23	Tue 24	Wed 25
all-day	AIUM Ann Conv...	AIUM Ann Conv Orlando			
8 AM	Bec mtg time			QIBA biomarkers change zone	Basic Sci ceus
9 AM					
10 AM					
11 AM			Sci sessions	TSC and QIBA Ult Coord Com Mtg	Sci sessions
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4 PM				Basis mtg	
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