

**QIBA fMRI Biomarker Committee Call Summary**  
**Wednesday, May 20, 2015 at 11 AM CT**  
Call Summary

**In attendance**

*Jeffrey Petrella, MD (Co-Chair)*

*James Reuss, PhD (Co-Chair)*

Cathy Elsinger, PhD

Andrew J. Kalnin, MD

Feroze Mohamed, PhD

Nancy Obuchowski, PhD

Jay J. Pillai, MD

David Soltysik, PhD

Daniel Sullivan, MD

James Voyvodic, PhD

Zhiyue Jerry Wang, PhD

Yuxiang Zhou, PhD

**RSNA**

Joe Koudelik

Susan Weinmann

Moderator: Dr. Reuss

**General Announcements:**

1. Review of April 22<sup>nd</sup> call summary – approved as submitted

**Old Business:**

1. QIBA Annual Meeting, May 6-7 - report
  - General observations (all attending)
    - Shorter plenary and longer f2f breakout sessions deemed a productive meeting format
  - Profile status post-breakout (Dr. Mohamed)
    - Progress was made during the f2f breakout sessions
    - Dr Elsinger offered to do a section pass-through review
    - Dr DeYoe is updating the current draft; will forward to Dr. Mohamed
2. NIBIB Year 5 Proposal Status (Dr. Voyvodic)
  - No changes were proposed for the fMRI Rnd-5 project
  - Dr. Voyvodic to follow up with the Duke Contract Office which has requested to be involved before award of any RSNA Rnd-5 subcontract
    - Similar situation exists at Johns Hopkins; Dr. Pillai to follow up with the JHU Contracts Office
3. DRO Project Update (Drs. DeYoe, Voyvodic, Pillai)
  - Drs. Voyvodic and Pillai discussed the DRO status and what next steps were needed re NVU inclusion and overall DRO generation efforts
4. Profile Development (Dr. Mohamed) – continuing work
  - Profile draft expected by September 30, 2015

**New Business:**

Dr. Sullivan will be stepping down from his QIBA Chair position at the end of June; Dr. Jackson will assume the QIBA Chair role at this time

**Next calls:**

- QIBA fMRI Bias TF call - Tuesday, May 26th , at 10am CT
- QIBA fMRI Biomarker Committee call - Wednesday, June 3rd, at 11am CT