Update: Paper for the Pivotal Phantom Challenge

- Dr. Athelogou will re-submit the manuscript to additional journals.

Update: Paper for the Clinical Challenge

- Review is ongoing at both NIST and the FDA.
  - A request for concurrence with the clinical paper for the FDA was sent to participants in July of 2014.
  - RSNA staff to follow up with any non-respondents, per Dr. Gavrielides' notes.
- Dr. Athelogou to provide wording for a letter of thanks to participants on behalf of the 3A study organizers
- The group was reminded that only one participant from each institution, (the main point of contact), will be considered a co-author, per the agreement for the clinical challenge

Proposed Promotion of Participation in QIBA 3A Clinical Challenge on Proprietary Website

- Dr. Jarecha to mention his company’s involvement on their website to increase awareness of the work of QIBA’s Group 3A.

Suggestions under Consideration for future QIBA 3A Clinical Challenge(s)

- A new vendor software challenge was proposed, where participants would be able to test software on-site
  - This would be similar to the IHE Connectathon, geared toward bringing algorithm developers and radiologists together
  - Vendors would be asked to volunteer algorithms for testing
- Dr. Athelogou will schedule a call with the QIBA CT Volumetry Co-Chairs for further guidance, after drafting a summary presentation of the 3A team’s recent challenge ideas/ proposals
- Any new studies would be a volunteer effort unless additional funding is made available for 2015 – 2016
- It is possible that some groundwork could be done without funding, saving funds for analysis

Action items:

- Practical suggestions for the future work of Group 3A to be sent to Dr. Athelogou: Mathelogou@definiens.com

Next call: Tentatively - Thursday, November 6, 2014 at 11:30 AM CT, if Dr. Athelogou’s presentation is ready and Biomarker Co-Chairs are available. Dr. Athelogou will need to let RSNA staff know when her presentation is complete to allow for scheduling.

QIBA Technical Committees - Working Meeting at RSNA 2014

- Wednesday, December 3rd | 2:30pm – 5:00pm | Chicago, McCormick Place | Plenary Room: E253AB
- Please let us know whether you plan to attend by responding to the following poll: http://doodle.com/mk7qexcint6vbwr5.

QIBA Poster Meet-the-Expert (MTE) Sessions at RSNA 2014

- Location: McCormick Place, Chicago - Learning Center (Hall D) – QIBA Kiosk
- Please provide your availability to volunteer for the QIBA Poster Meet-the-Expert (MTE) sessions.
- Doodle Poll URL: CT Volumetry Technical Committee: http://doodle.com/pea8m494yi7chq