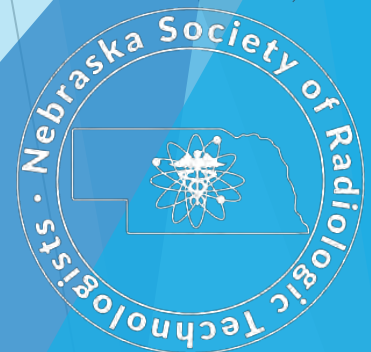




Annual Conference

Nebraska Society of Radiologic Technologists

April 19th & April 20th



Agenda

April 19th General Sessions Agenda

- ▶ **Education Pathways: Becoming an Imaging Preceptor or Medical Imaging Educator** **9:00 AM – 9:50 AM**
Alisha Wright, MHPTT, BS, R.T. (R) (ARRT)
Ashley Balliet, M.Ed., R.T.(R)(M)(ARRT)
- ▶ **ARRT Standards of Ethics** **10:00 AM – 10:50 AM**
Jeff Killion, Ph.D., R.T.(R)(QM)(ARRT)
- ▶ **Awards Lunch** **11:00 AM – 12:20 PM**
- ▶ **Professionalism in Healthcare** **12:30 PM – 01:20 PM**
Michelle Eastham, M.A., R.T. (R), EMT
- ▶ **Business Session** **1:30 PM – 2:20 PM**
- ▶ **Improving Healthcare Simulation in Radiography** **2:30 PM – 3:20 PM**
Kelly Eaton ,M.S., R.T.(R)(ARRT)(CIIP)
Sally Stimson, CHSE, CPN
Kendra Swanson, M.H.A.,R.T.(R)(MR)(CT)(ARRT)
- ▶ **Nutrition Concepts & Clinical Applications** **3:30 PM – 4:30 PM**
Heather Hendrichs, DC
- ▶ **Job Fair** **4:00 PM – 5:30 PM**
at Health Science Building

April 19th Students Symposium Agenda

▶ **Round 1 Student Bowl** **8:00 AM – 8:50 AM**

▶ **Education Pathways: Becoming an Imaging Preceptor or
Medical Imaging Educator** **9:00 AM – 9:50 AM**

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▶ **Round 2 Student Bowl** **10:00 AM – 10:50 AM**

▶ **Awards Lunch** **11:00 AM – 12:20 PM**

▶ **Student Interactive Professionalism Round Robin** **12:30 PM – 1:20 PM**

“Navigating Job Offers” with Erin Licher and Jennifer Chartier

▶ **Business Session** **1:30 PM – 2:20 PM**

▶ **Round 3 Student Bowl** **2:30 PM – 3:20 PM**

▶ **Job Fair** **4:00 PM – 5:30 PM**

at Health Science Building

▶ **Students Awards Ceremony** **5:30 PM – 6:00 PM**

at Health Science Building

Speakers

“Education Pathways: Becoming an Imaging Preceptor or Medical Imaging Educator”

Alisha Wright, MHPTT, BS, RT (R)

Meet Alisha, who holds a Master of Health Professions Teaching and Technology degree from the University of Nebraska Medical Center. Alisha is an active member of the Nebraska Society of Radiologic Technologists (NSRT), American Society of Radiologic Technologists (ASRT) and Association of Educators in Imaging and Radiologic Sciences (AEIRS). Currently, Alisha is an Assistant Professor and Clinical Education Coordinator for the Radiography Program at UNMC.

Awards

- CAHP Silver U Award August 2022
- Excellence in Clinical Teaching Award
 - UNMC College of Allied Health Professions (CAHP) 2020



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“Education Pathways: Becoming an Imaging Preceptor or Medical Imaging Educator”

Ashley Balliet, MEd, RT (R) (M)

Meet Ashley, who is currently pursuing a Ph.D. in MSIA (Medical Sciences Interdepartmental Area) with a focus on Health Practice and Medical Education Research at the University of Nebraska Medical Center. Ashley earned a Master of Education with an emphasis on E-Learning from Northcentral University. Ashley has a Bachelor of Science in Radiology Technology from Briar Cliff University and an Associate of Science in **Radiology Technology from St. Luke’s College. Ashley is currently an Assistant Professor in the Medical Imaging & Therapeutic Sciences Division within the College of Allied Health Professions at the University of Nebraska Medical Center. Ashley is also the Program Director for the Radiography Program with a focus on Mammography Practicum, contributing to the educational leadership and direction of these programs.**

Awards

- Laverne T. Gurley, Annual Meeting Scholarship Recipient, AEIRS, 2019



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“ARRT Standards of Ethics”

Jeff Killion, Ph.D., R.T.(R)(QM)(ARRT)

Meet Jeff, who holds a Ph.D. in Health Studies with a **Higher Education Track from Texas Woman’s University**. With extensive professional experience, Jeff have been associated with Midwestern State University in Wichita Falls, Texas, since 2013. In Jeff’s current role as **Dean of the Gunn College of Health Sciences and Human Services**, Jeff oversees various responsibilities, including serving as the Interim Dean from 2017 to 2018, Professor of Radiologic Science, and RA Program Director.

Awards

- 2022 Texas Society for Advancement of Health Professions (TSAHP) Distinguished Service Award
- 2022 Texas Society of Radiologic Technologist - Dr. James Johnston **Administrator’s** Award
- 2018 Journal of Medical Imaging and Radiation Sciences **Editor’s** Choice: Top 5 Articles of the Year for 2017 - article: The HESI Admission Assessment and Rad Exit Exam as Predictors for Student Success.

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“Professionalism in Healthcare”, “Effective Leadership”, “Current Trends in Healthcare Leadership” and “Clinical Instruction with Students”

Michelle Eastham, MA, R, T, (R) EMT

Meet Michelle, an Allied Health Director at Campbellsville University with over 15 years of experience in radiography instruction, curriculum development and design, facilities planning, and institutional effectiveness assessment. Specialized in program planning, curriculum design, and implementation of occupational training programs, Michelle is skilled in leadership, problem-solving, schedule management, and vision casting. In her current position, she leads 8 Allied Health programs across 5 campus sites. In her tenure at Campbellsville university Michelle has planned and developed the Limited Medical Radiography, Emergency Medical Technician, and Patient Care Technician programs. She is currently developing a general radiography program and a paramedic program. Michelle is in the dissertation phase of a doctoral degree in educational leadership.

Awards

- Appointed as a Kentucky Colonel, Spring 2023
- Phil Ballinger Academic Scholarship Award, Summer 2022
- Yale certificate of course completion “The Science of Well Being”, 2020



“Improving Healthcare Simulation in Radiography”

Kelly J. Eaton, M.S., R.T., (R), (ARRT), (CIIP)

Kelly is currently an Assistant Professor at Clarkson College in the Radiography and Medical Imaging programs. She has an Associate of Science degree in Radiologic Technology from Southeast Community College, a Bachelor of Science in Medical Imaging from Clarkson College and a Master's in Science in Instructional **Technology from Fort Hays State University. Kelly's expertise** spans a range of courses, including Radiographic Procedures, Clinical Experience, and Medical Imaging Informatics, along with active involvement in student advising and recruitment.

Awards and Service

- Excellence in Teaching Award Nominee, Clarkson College: Spring 2022, Spring 2021, Fall 2019
- Nebraska Society of Radiologic Technologists (NSRT) National Radiologic Technology Week (NRTW) Faculty Mentor, Fall 2021
- Lambda Nu National Honors Society for the Radiologic and Imaging Sciences 2009-present
- Radiography Student Association (RSA), Clarkson College Co-Sponsor, 2009-present



“Improving Healthcare Simulation in Radiography”

Sally R. Stimson, (BSN), (MSN)

Meet Sally, an Interprofessional Simulation Coordinator at Clarkson College, overseeing the coordination and management of the college's simulation program and leading one of the sub-committees on the Interprofessional Education (IPE) program. Sally is an Adjunct Professor at the College of Saint Mary, guiding BSN nursing students in pediatric clinicals. She also works PRN at **Children's Nebraska in the Emergency Department.** Sally graduated with a Master of Science in Nursing (MSN) from Nebraska Wesleyan University and has a Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN) from Nebraska Methodist College of Nursing and Allied Health. In addition, Sally is enrolled in the Doctoral Program for Healthcare Leadership and Management at Clarkson College.

Awards

- 2023 Poster Presentation at HIPE Conference
- 2022 Presented as a panel member at Faculty Development at Clarkson College
- 2021 Presented at Faculty Development at Clarkson College
- **2021 Presented Grand Rounds at Children's Hospital & Medical Center**
 - 2021 Certified Healthcare Simulation Educator



“Improving Healthcare Simulation in Radiography”

Kendra Swanson, M.H.A, R.T., (R) (MR) (CT) (ARRT)

Meet Kendra, who is currently an Instructor at Clarkson College in the Radiography and Medical Imaging programs. She is a three-time graduate of Clarkson College, obtaining her Associate of Science in Radiologic Technology, Bachelor of Science in Medical Imaging, and a **Master’s in Health Care Administration. She is certified in both Magnetic Resonance Imaging and Computed Tomography.** Kendra’s expertise spans a range of courses including Radiographic Procedures, Clinical Experience, Cross-Sectional Anatomy, and Magnetic Resonance Imaging, along with active involvement in the Clarkson College Alumni Association.

Certifications / Licensure

- ARRT Registered Radiologic Technologist, August 2017 - Present
- ARRT Certified Magnetic Resonance Imaging Technologist, January 2018 - Present
- ARRT Certified Computed Tomography Technologist, January 2019 - Present
- State of Nebraska, Licensed Medical Radiographer, January 2022 - Present



“Nutrition Concepts & Clinical Applications”

Heather D. Henrichs, (BS) , (DC)

Meet Heather, a chiropractor and educator with a Doctorate of Chiropractic (DC) from Cleveland University-Kansas City. In **Heather’s current role as a Professor in the Division of Arts & Sciences** at Nebraska Methodist College, Heather has an extensive teaching experience, having served as Associate Professor and Assistant Professor. Heather is a Chiropractic Physician and the President/Owner of Hendrichs Chiropractic, LLC. Heather has also contributed to education as a Teaching Assistant and has diverse professional experience, including roles at Cleveland Chiropractic, the University of Nebraska Medical Center, and Good Samaritan Hospital of Kearney.

Awards

- NMC Distinguished Educator, 2022
- DOVE Platinum Certificate, 2021, 2022
- Daisy Faculty Award Nominee, 2022
- Ruth Berggren Elliott Master Teacher Award Recipient, 2020
- Ruth Berggren Elliott Master Teacher Award Nominee, 2019
- Nebraska Methodist College Faculty Senate Peer Recognition Award Nominee, 2019



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