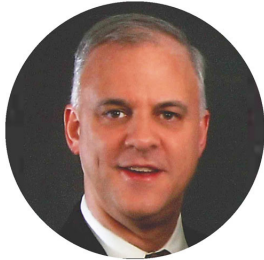


Meet the Newest Members of the ABNM

The American Board of Nuclear Medicine (ABNM) is pleased to announce the appointment of the following diplomates as new directors



Frederick D. Grant, MD

Dr. Grant serves in the Department of Radiology at Children's Hospital of Philadelphia (CHOP) and the Perelman School of Medicine at the University of Pennsylvania. He brings extensive expertise in nuclear medicine, with a primary focus on pediatric imaging.

Dr. Grant's clinical practice spans a wide range of gamma camera and PET studies for children and young adults, with particular interests in pediatric oncology and renal imaging. His background in endocrinology has fueled a strong commitment to diagnosing and treating thyroid diseases using nuclear medicine. He has significant experience with I-131 therapy and advanced radionuclide treatments, including I-131 MIBG and Lu-177 Dotatate therapies.

A passionate advocate for education, Dr. Grant previously served as program director of the Harvard Joint Program in Nuclear Medicine and contributed to numerous SNMMI initiatives. He also served seven years on the ACGME Nuclear Medicine Residency Review Committee, including three years as vice-chair, helping shape training standards for future nuclear medicine physicians.

Dr. Grant is deeply committed to radiation safety and currently serves on safety committees at CHOP and the University of Pennsylvania. He has worked extensively to minimize radiation exposure in pediatric imaging and represented nuclear medicine on the pediatric scientific review committee of the Dana-Farber/Harvard Cancer Center.

After more than a decade in nuclear medicine practice, Dr. Grant pursued additional training in diagnostic and pediatric radiology, enhancing his ability to interpret hybrid imaging studies such as SPECT/CT, PET/CT, and PET/MR. Despite these expanded skills, his professional home remains firmly in nuclear medicine.

As the field enters an exciting era of growth and innovation, Dr. Grant looks forward to helping ABNM ensure that physicians demonstrate proficiency and maintain competency in this rapidly evolving specialty. His leadership and dedication will be invaluable to advancing the mission of ABNM.



Saima Muzahir, MD, FCPS, FRCPE

Dr. Muzahir currently serves as Associate Professor in the Department of Radiology and Imaging Sciences at Emory University School of Medicine and as Enterprise Theranostics Lead at Emory University Hospital. She also holds key educational roles, including Assistant Program Director for the Molecular Imaging and Therapy Fellowship and Radiology Education Quality Liaison.

Dr. Muzahir's journey in nuclear medicine began in 2005 at Shaukat Khanum Memorial Cancer Hospital in Pakistan. After advanced training in the United States, she became an ABNM diplomate in 2013 and has since dedicated her career to advancing nuclear medicine through leadership, research, and mentorship. Her clinical and academic focus includes theranostics, predictive imaging biomarkers, and response assessment tools in radionuclide therapies.

At Emory, Dr. Muzahir has spearheaded initiatives to expand theranostics, reflecting her commitment to innovation in nuclear medicine. She is deeply invested in education, mentoring trainees across radiology and related specialties,

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and fostering multidisciplinary collaboration. Her leadership extends beyond Emory, serving as Vice Chair of the Emory Asian American Pacific Islander Faculty Mentorship Committee, Faculty Advisor for the Emory Asian Pacific American Medical Student Association, and as a board member for the General Clinical Nuclear Medicine Council within SNMMI.

Dr. Muzahir's global perspective enriches her work, demonstrated by her role as Vice President of the Pakistan Society of Nuclear Medicine and Program Manager for RAD-AID International's Pakistan Program. She also contributes to international collaboration through the SNMMI Therapy Center of Excellence and partnerships with the radiopharmaceutical industry.

With experience spanning private practice and academia, Dr. Muzahir brings a unique understanding of nuclear medicine's evolving needs at both community and institutional levels. Her diverse background and expertise in theranostics position her to make a significant impact on ABNM's mission to uphold the highest standards of competency and patient care.



Tracy L. Yarbrough, MD, PhD, MAEd, FACNM

Dr. Yarbrough currently serves as Professor of Clinical Radiology in the Division of Nuclear Medicine at the University of California–Davis School of Medicine. She brings a wealth of experience in clinical practice, education, and leadership, with a career spanning both academic and private settings.

Dr. Yarbrough's clinical expertise includes nuclear cardiology and imaging of infection and inflammation, complemented by extensive experience across all aspects of nuclear medicine.

Her research interests focus on education and quality improvement, with ongoing projects aimed at advancing these critical areas. She has directed nuclear medicine training programs at multiple institutions and has developed and evaluated curricula and assessments across the medical education spectrum—from undergraduate to continuing education—underscoring her commitment to fostering excellence in training and practice.

In addition to her academic roles, Dr. Yarbrough has held significant leadership positions, including Assistant Dean for Diversity and Inclusion at California Northstate University College of Medicine and Associate Professor roles at both California Northstate University and George Washington University. Her dedication to mentorship has impacted countless students, residents, and fellows, reflecting her belief in the transformative power of education and assessment.

Dr. Yarbrough also co-owns Global Advanced Imaging, PLLC, demonstrating her ability to bridge academic and community practice. Her leadership philosophy emphasizes collaboration, insight, and a global vision for advancing nuclear medicine. She strives to ensure that professionals in the field are prepared to meet the challenges of an evolving healthcare landscape.

With her diverse background and unwavering commitment to education, quality, and leadership, Dr. Yarbrough will play a pivotal role in supporting ABNM's mission to uphold the highest standards of competency and patient care in nuclear medicine.