

RAGHID KIKANO M.D

CURRICULUM VITAE 2019

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PERSONAL INFORMATION:

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PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS

Certified Musculoskeletal radiologist (University of Chicago, USA) 2012
Certified Neuroradiologist (University of Chicago, USA) 2011
Certified Interventional radiologist (Cleveland Clinic, USA) 2010
« Attestation en Formation Spécialisée » in Radiology (Paris VI, France) 2009
Certified Radiologist (Saint Joseph University, Lebanon) 2007
M.D (Saint Joseph University, Lebanon) 2003
Master in Science (Saint Joseph University, Lebanon) 2003

AWARDS/PRIZES/BURSARIES

Best original research- Rating lumbar foramina stenosis: A Practical approach ASSR 2011
Best Scientific Exhibit- Brachial Plexus MRI pictorial review ASSR 2011
Best Oral presentation – Mondor University Hospital, France 2008
Chief Resident 2006
Overseas Travel Bursary; Saint Joseph University 2001
Lebanese Baccalaureate Distinction in Experimental Sciences 1995

MEDICAL REGISTRATION/CERTIFICATIONS

Lebanese License of Medical Practice 2003
Lebanese order of Physicians (384/K) 2004
United States Medical Licensure 2007

ORGANIZATIONS / VOLUNTEER WORK

Sociology Department-Organiser- Saint Joseph University The role of the women in the Lebanese political society.	1998
Project logistic organizer- Public Health Department- Saint Joseph University-Lebanese Health Care Institutions Mapping and Demography	1999
Member-Family Medicine department- Hotel Dieu de France Community Service Organizing underserved areas healthcare and vaccination campaigns	2001-2004
Free Clinic- refugees camp-Quarantaine	2006
“7 villages” project after war phase in the south of Lebanon	2006
Saint Joseph’s University Medical Alumni	2003

MEMBERSHIP OF PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES

American college of Radiology
Radiological Society of North America
American Society of Neuroradiology
American Society of Head & Neck Radiology
American Society of Spine Radiology
American Society of Interventional Radiology
Société Française de Radiologie
American Lebanese Medical Association ALMA-Chicago Chapter

INTERVENTIONAL RADIOLOGY FELLOWSHIP

Cleveland Clinic Foundation, Cleveland OHIO, USA July 1st 2009 – June 30th 2010

Cleveland Clinic Foundation is a large international reputable tertiary referral centre.

- 8 Dedicated Interventional radiology Angiosuites, with State of the art equipment
- More than 16000 Interventional radiology procedures per year
- Dedicated Interventional Radiology clinic with large number of referrals for liver chemo-embolization and Uterine Fibroid embolization.

During my fellowship I gained a wide experience in Oncologic and vascular Interventional radiology and performed more than 700 procedures including large number of Liver chemoembolizations, uterine fibroid embolization, Transjugular liver biopsies, TIPS placement, emergent embolizations for Gastrointestinal bleeds, in addition to small procedures like imaging guided biopsies and access for nephrolithotomies and nephrostomy catheter placement.

NEURORADIOLOGY & HEAD AND NECK FELLOWSHIP

University Of Chicago Medical

July 1st 2010 – October 2011

University of Chicago is a reputable University with big dedication to education and research.

- Dedicated Neuroscience unit and research lab.
- Stroke Neurology unit with experience in Stroke thrombolysis and CT perfusion imaging
- First in the country, Neurooncology and Head&Neck oncology Departments, receiving referral from neighbouring countries

I gained a wide experience in specialist Neuroimaging and Neuro Intervetnional Procedures, and still retaining general radiology skills by getting involved in large number of teaching conferences in the residency program.

I have gained experience with clinical meetings specific to Neurology and Head & Neck radiology; Stroke, Neurovascular, Neurosurgical, Neurological, and a fortnightly Head & Neck Cancer Meeting.

Musculoskeletal radiology Mini-fellowship

University of Chicago Medical- Lakeshore Hospital

July 1st 2010-December 2011

I gained a wide experience in sports medicine and traumatology imaging with more than 250 musculoskeletal MRI daily and close work with orthopaedics surgeons and sports medicine specialist. I got the chance to work in close with leads in US basketball and baseball teams.

European Course in Minimally Invasive Therapy (ECMINT)

ESMINT/University of Oxford, Oxford United Kingdton

December 2017- June 2018

ECMINT is a 2-year program in interventional neuroradiology and endovascular neurosurgery, with a comprehensive curriculum compliant with the requirements of the UEMS specialist section. These will be held at St Anne's College, Oxford (UK).

The courses main themes include :

1. Skull base disease including arteriovenous dural fistulas, vascular skull base tumors and venous disease
2. Aneurysms, subarachnoid haemorrhage and delayed cerebral ischemia
3. Ischaemic stroke
4. Brain and spinal vascular malformations

PREVIOUS APPOINTMENTS

Lebanese American University Medical center-LAUMC-Rizk Hospital
**Head of Division, Diagnostic and Interventional Neuroradiology,
Comprehensive Stroke Centre**

June 2019-present

Lebanese American University Medical center-LAUMC-Rizk Hospital
Residency program Director- radiology residency, LAUMC

June 2018-present

Lebanese American University Medical center-LAUMC-Rizk Hospital
Assistant professor of radiology

October 2011-present

Special interests: Diagnostic and Interventional Neuroradiology, Musculoskeletal radiology
Interventional radiology

Lebanese American University-
Gilbert and Rose Marie Chaghoury School of medicine-Byblos, Lebanon
Clinical Assistant Professor of Radiology
October 2011-present

University Of Chicago - Chicago, ILLINOIS
Fellow-Neuroradiology Department
Special Interests: Brain, Spine and Head and Neck Imaging,
Advanced and Functional Neuroradiology, Interventional neuroradiology
July 2010-October 2011

Cleveland Clinic Foundation - Cleveland, USA
Fellow- Interventional radiology Department
Special interests: Vascular and interventional radiology
July 2009-June 2010

University Paris XI – Bicetre Hospital Paris, France
Fellow- Neuroradiology fellowship program
Special interests - Diagnostic neuroradiology, Head Neck Imaging,
Interventional neuroradiology (Pr. Pierre Lasjuanias neurovascular Unit)
October 2008-June 2009

University Paris VI - Henri Mondor Hospital Paris, France
Residency - Radiology Residency Program
Special interests: Full time Body Imaging, Vascular interventional radiology.
October 2007-October 2009

Hotel Dieu de France, Lebanon
Residency - Radiology Residency Program
July 2004-October 2007

Hotel Dieu de France, Lebanon
Preliminary Internship – Internal Medicine Residency Program
Saint Joseph University
July 2003-June 2004

RADIOLOGY OBSERVERSHIPS

6 weeks at Case Western Reserve University Hospitals, Cleveland, USA; Prof John Haga
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6 weeks at Hopital Henri Mondor, Paris, FRANCE; Professor H. Kobeiter
October 2004
November 2006
May 2007

RADIOLOGY UNIVERSITY DIPLOMAS:

University Paris XI- Gustave Russy Paris, FRANCE
University Diploma in Oncologic Interventional Radiology
Nov 2007-October 2008

University Paris XI - Paris, FRANCE
University Diploma in Head and Neck imaging
October 2008-June 2009

PUBLISHED

1. Quantification of Corticospinal Tract Atrophy Using Diffusion Tensor Imaging: A Potential Diagnostic Tool in Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis Conference Paper
November 2018,
IEEE International Multidisciplinary Conference on Engineering Technology (IMCET)
Mohammad Hassan A. Noureldine Y. Al Daulei, Raghid Nabih Kikano, Amira J. Zaylaa
2. Hyperacoustic hypoacusis: A new pontine syndrome—Case report
June 2017
Brain Injury
Mohammad Hassan A. Noureldine, Raghid Nabih Kikano, Naji Riachi, Rechdi Ahdab
3. Increased image quality and reduced radiation dose and contrast media volume: A holistic approach to intracranial CTA Article
May 2017
Clinical Radiology
Charbel Saade, G. Al-Fout, A. Mayat, R. Kikano, Lena Naffaa
4. Sporadic Creutzfeldt-Jakob disease: A probable diagnosis based on clinical picture, EEG finding and adjunctive brain MRI Article

January 2015
Elie Barakat, Pascale Aouad, Sammy Tawk, Raghid Nabih Kikano
5. Pure ipsilateral central facial palsy and contralateral hemiparesis secondary to ventro-medial medullary stroke, Article
July 2013
Journal of the neurological sciences
R Ahdab, Hiba Saade, Raghid Nabih Kikano, Naji Riachi
6. Early corticospinal tract Wallerian degeneration versus mesencephalic substantia nigra degeneration secondary to striatal stroke Article
January 2013
Clinical neurology and neurosurgery
Rechdi Ahdab, Raghid Nabih Kikano, Hiba Saade, Naji Riachi
7. Interventional approaches to treatment in supportive oncology
Article, January 2011
Abraham Levitin, Matthew Tam, Karunakaravel Karuppasamy, Raghid Nabih Kikano
8. Ability of Pre-therapy Tc99m MAA SPECT/CT to Predict the Distribution of Y90 Radiomicrosphere Therapy as Defined by Bremsstrahlung SPECT/CT
Conference Paper, December 2010

Radiological Society of North America 2010 Scientific Assembly and Annual Meeting

Roland Talanow, Abraham Levitin, Raghid Nabih Kikano[...] Shyam Srinivas

9. Prophylactic Antibiotic Guidelines in Modern Interventional Radiology Practice
Article, December 2010
Seminars in Interventional Radiology
Eunice Moon, Matthew Tam, Raghid Nabih Kikano, Karunakaravel Karuppasamy
10. Stiffened triple axial catheterization of tortuous cervicoencephalic vessels
Article
S Slaba · S Sfeir · J Nassar-Slaba · R Kikano · L Touma · J Tamraz
Jun 2005 · Journal des Maladies Vasculaires
11. Article: Cathétérisme triple axial renforcé des tortuosités cervico-encéphaliques
Slaba · S. Sfeir · J. Nassar-Slaba · R. Kikano · L. Touma · J. Tamraz
Article · May 2005 · Journal des Maladies Vasculaires
12. Conference Paper: Congenital Brain Malformations: How Mishaps in Embryological Development Result in Various Imaging Findings
Piotr Roman Obara · Raghid Nabih Kikano · Colin S. Poon

PRESENTATIONS

ORAL

Guest Speaker Raghid Kikano, MD

1. **MENA-SINO Cairo, Egypt August 2019**
2. **PAIRS meeting -Dubai , UAE, February 2019**
3. **Lebanese society of vascular surgery meeting –Beirut Lebanon , April 2016**
4. **Neurodegenerative disorder ALS meeting –Beirut, Lebanon, December 2014**

Buckle Ch MD, **Kikano R. MD (Awarded)**

Rating lumbar foraminal stenosis: A Practical approach;
ASSR (American society of Spine radiology) 2011

Roland Sebastian Talanow MD, PhD; Abraham levitin MD; **Raghid KIKANO MD**; Sankaran Shrikanthan MD ; Shyam Srinivas MD. PhD.

Ability of Pre-therapy Tc99m MAA SPECT/CT to predict the distribution of Y90 Radiomicrosphere therapy as defined by Bremsstrahlung SPECT/CT.

RSNA November 2010

Kikano R.M.D, Maatouk M. M.D. Luciani A.M.D

Lymphocytic Colitis: A Definable Clinical and Radiological Diagnosis

Henri Mondor, Paris 2008

Kikano R,M.D., Haddad A M.D
Utility and Effectiveness of Cardiac CT scan in evaluation of myocardial bridges.
Cardiac CT group: Hotel Dieu de France 2006

SCIENTIFIC POSTERS AND EXHIBITS:

Jessie Aw, Raghid Kikano, Abraham James, Colin Poon
Sino-nasal tumors- A practical approach to imaging diagnosis
ASHNR- October 2010

Jessie Aw, Raghid Kikano, Colin Poon, E. Leon Kier
Trigeminal Nerve: Anatomy and Pathology
ASHNR (American society of Head and Neck Radiology)- October 2010

Raghid Kikano, Jessie Aw, Christopher Buckle, Said Mojtahedi
Correlation between Lumbar Spine MR Imaging pathology and Pain Ratings in chronic low back pain syndrome
ASSR (American society of Spine radiology)- February 2011

Raghid Kikano, Christopher Buckle, Collin Poon, Jessie Aw, Said Mojtahedi
MRI of the Brachial plexus: A pictorial review
ASSR (American society of Spine radiology)- February 2011

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Kikano R, MD, Yammine, C, MD , Charbel C, MD
Prevalence and Variants of Palmaris longus tendon. A magnetic resonance study.

Kikano R. M.D., Smayra T.M.D, Haddad A.M.D, Ghossain M.M.D.
Myocardial bridge anatomic and functional evaluation on MDCT

Hannounh I.M.D., Kikano R.M.D., Zein N.M.D.
Worked in close with Hepatology team in undergoing multiple research projects at the Cleveland Clinic, focused on the liver oncology methods of treatment and embolization of HCC.

MEDICAL TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Postgraduate Trainees

Case review teaching, neuroradiology residents fortnightly, The University of Chicago	2010/11
MRI of the Brachial plexus, radiology resident noon conference, The University of Chicago	12/2010
Sinus and Skull Base imaging, radiology resident noon conference, The University of Chicago	07/2010
Sinus and Skull Base imaging, ENT Sino-nasal dissection course, The University of Chicago	07/2010
Case review teaching, Interventional radiology residents weekly, Cleveland Clinic	2009-2010
Transjugular Intrahepatic Porto systemic shunt, Gastroenterology fellowship teaching course, Cleveland Clinic	2009

Chemoembolization and Y90 Radioembolization, Gastrointestinal fellows, Cleveland Clinic	2009
Ward Interventional Radiology.	2009
MR Tutorials. Bicetre Hospital, France	2009
Neuro and Head & Neck Anatomy Module coordinator. Bicetre Hospital	2008
Post MRCP, formal weekly teaching sessions	2003
Junior doctors and paramedical professionals	2004-07

Undergraduate Trainees

Medical Students. Cleveland Clinic	2009
Bicetre Hospital: Clinical Tutor	2008
Saint Joseph University: Clinical tutor	2005-07
Medical Finals Examiner for the Saint Joseph University undergraduate examinations.	2007
Teach undergraduate medical students, nursing staff and allies to health professionals.	

Others

First Aid and Basic Life Support skills: Saint Joseph University	2006
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I.T. SKILLS

Proficient with PACS, PCs, Macs software systems & DICOM imaging.
 Self taught touch typing @ 28 wpm with 92% accuracy

INTERESTS

I have recently taken up tennis classes.
 Enjoy cooking, dining and learning about cooking.
 Love of travelling, in particular adventure holidays.
 Travelled extensively: Inter-railing in Europe, North America (various parts), Northern Africa, and either self sufficiently and more recently with organised tour groups due to time constraints.
 Fulfilled certain sporting ambitions and along with raising monies for various charities; abseiling for Help the Aged, Budge Jumping, and Tandem Skydiving for Action Research.
 Other major interests are running (half marathons) and previously fencin

REFEREES

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