



Member Newsletter

Winter 2023

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President's Note

Dear Members of AACA,

Happy (soon to be) Spring - I hope your recent holiday season was filled with fun and family. I experienced a winter wonderland with my family in Michigan and then returned to Houston to thaw out.

Our committees continue their valuable efforts. Our Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Committee recently published a new blog for our members, located at: <https://clinical-anatomy.org/blog.php>. We welcome input from and participation by our members in this and all of our committees. The work of our committees depends upon the energy and expertise that our members contribute.



If you are planning to attend the AAA meetings in Washington, DC March 25-27, be sure to stop by the AACA booth. Bring your AAA colleagues to the booth - we hope to see you there.

If you're feeling chilly this winter, think about how nice and warm you will be at our 40th Annual Conference July 9-12, 2023, in warm and sunny Orlando, Florida. Our Meeting Manager Dr. Jennifer Burgoon, our Meeting Organization and Program Planning Committee, our friends from the Association Services Group, and our Executive Council and standing Committees have been busy preparing for this year's conference. There will be a pre-conference Ultrasound Course at UCF College of Medicine followed by scientific sessions that hold something for everyone. Spread the word about the Orlando meetings. Tell your colleagues how valuable membership in AACA is, and how rewarding our scientific meetings are. Let's make our 40th Annual Meeting in Orlando great success for AACA.

Sincerely,

Thomas R. Gest, PhD



Election Timeline



- March 1: Candidates for each position will be posted to the website so that members can become aware of the candidate pool.
- March 1 – March 31: Members may petition for additional candidates to be added to ballot. *Additional nominees must be an active full member with support of 15 members in good standing.*
- May 1: Electronic ballots will be mailed and instructions will be posted on the website.
- May 21: Voting will close at 11:59 PM.
- June 1: Election results will be posted on the website and announced.

Thank you to our Nominating Committee for their time and efforts! The 2023 Nominating Committee included Jonathon Wisco, PhD (Chair), Kimberly Topp, PT, PhD, FAAA, Rebecca Pratt, PhD, Samir Anadkat, MBBS, and Edger Meyer, PhD.



Abstracts

Abstract submission is open!

Submit Your Abstracts Now!

2023 Annual Meeting

July 09-12, 2023

Orlando, Florida

Hilton Orlando Buena Vista Palace

Registration Opens February 6th!

at 12:00 PM (noon) Eastern. For those that miss the March 2 deadline, the Late Breaking abstract submission will open until March 22. Please remember that only members of AACA can submit abstracts. For full abstract instructions, please visit our webpage [here](#). The submission link can be found behind the Members Only Area of the AACA website – please [click here to login](#) and view the submission link.



[Download a copy of the conference poster to share!](#)



CART Session with Jennifer Burgoon, PhD.

Missed the January 26th 2023 Annual Meeting and Abstract Review CART session?

View the Video Below!

Clinical Anatomy Round Table (CART)

2022 Annual Meeting and Abstracts Overview

with
Jennifer Burgoon, PhD
Associate Professor of Anatomy
Lake Erie College of Osteopathic Medicine at Seton Hill

January 26th, 2023
12:00-1:00 PM Eastern

Ultrasound Course

at the 2023 Annual Meeting



We are excited to offer an Ultrasound Course at this year's AACA meeting in Orlando, Florida! The goals of the course are (a) increase awareness of the utility of ultrasound as both a clinical tool and a supplement to anatomy instruction, (b) teach basic skills of MSK and cardiac ultrasound, and (c) provide more advanced content for the more seasoned attendees!

Transportation from Hilton Buena Vista to the Ultrasound Course and back will be provided.

We are grateful to University of Central Florida College of Medicine for hosting the event!

This course will be held July 9, 2023 as part of Day 1 at the Annual Meeting.

You Won't Want to Miss This!
****additional registration required***

Hilton Orlando Buena Vista Palace



We are happy to announce that the 2023 AACA Annual Meeting will be held in Orlando, Florida, at the Hilton Orlando Buena Vista Palace located just steps away from beautiful Disney Springs.

The 2023 room block is now live! Please consider booking a room, as the hotel rooms tend to sell out quickly.

The room rate for the 2023 meeting is \$175 per night + taxes and fees. This rate will be available until the room cut off date, June 7, 2023, or until the block is filled. Do note that once the rooms are filled, the hotel reservation link will become unavailable.

BOOK HERE!

AACA Announces New DEIC Blog

Share Some News!

The Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Committee (DEIC) is proud to announce their new blog that will be housed on the AACA website. More resources to come and remember to subscribe to blog updates.

"Happy New Year! Welcome to the American Association of Clinical Anatomists (AACA) Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Committee (DEIC) Blog! We are thrilled to have you join our page! We are the AACA Committee on Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion. We are comprised of several diverse anatomy educators who are committed to advancing diversity, equity, and inclusion in our communities nationally and internationally. And this commitment includes you!"

We are interested in promoting communications between all AACA members, and we believe that our newsletter will help in this effort. Therefore, if you would like to share your news, remind people of a conference, announce an award or a call for papers, or if you are looking for a research collaborator, please send a 75 word (maximum) note to our newsletter editor, **Dr. Mohammed Khalil, DVM, MSED, PhD**

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Make sure your message is clear, appropriate, and includes your contact information.

You can also request for future content or news to be shared. Content can be submitted using the following

form: **<https://forms.gle/o8SHcy2eDEf5Twyv6>**

Read more *[Here](#)*



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