# WFPI Executive Committee Meeting, 6th August 2020 (online)

Present: Joanna Kasznia-Brown/JKB (President), Andres Garcia Bayce/AGB (Vice President), Dorothy Bulas/DB (Past President), Cristian Garcia (Secretary), Tim Cain/TC, (Representative Director), (Hansel Otero/HO(Outreach Lead), Sanjay Prabhu/SP (Digital Education Lead), Ines Boechat/IB (Founding President), Kimberly Applegate /KA (IG Representative), Jennifer Boylan/JB (SPR Staff Liaison), and Kim Pede /KP (Admin).

Absent: Tatiana Fazecas/TF (Treasurer), Rick van Rijn/RVR, (Vice Secretary), Jaishree Naidoo/JN, (Representative Director), J. Chris Rodrigues/JCR (Vice Treasurer), Martin Stenzel/MS (Representative Director), Taylor Chung/TC (Representative Director), Rutger Jan Nievelstein/RJN (Representative Director), J. Chris Rodrigues/JCR (Representative Director), Michael Gee/MG (MRI Protocol Lead, Kushaljit Singh Sodhi/KSS (TB Lead), Ricardo Faingold/RF (Incoming Outreach Vice Chair), and Ram Senasi/RS (Outreach Vice Chair).

#### **Blue comments = action**

# 1/ Approval of minutes from June meeting

**DB:** June minutes were approved.

# 2/ President's Report

JKB: Provided an update on the following.

- Welcome to New Executive Committee Members.
  - Vice President SLARP Andrés García Bayce Joanna welcomed Dr. Bayce to the meeting. She is looking forward to working together. They have already had a lot of discussions and emails.
  - Vice Treasurer and Representative Director AfSPI John Chris Rodrigues The group asked if Jaishree would reach out to Dr. Rodrigues to make sure he has received the meeting invitations.
  - Representative Director SPR Taylor Chung, MD Joanna welcomed Dr. Chung to the meeting.
- Virtual General Assembly June 2020 We convened this meeting and it was really nice for all the societies' representatives to join together. Joanna asked whether the group would appreciate having the individual societies provide a brief update from their regions during our calls? The group thought that it was a great idea. Dr. Bulas suggested that it would be good to focus the update to a specific topic.
- IPR 2021 plans When Joanna spoke with the IPR organizers, they still plan on moving ahead with the meeting. We shared the WFPI program with the group in June. The invitations will be sent in September. The ECR meeting is scheduled for March in Vienna, Austria. The IPR organizers are watching that meeting as a gauge of the feasibility of the IPR meeting moving forward.

Joanna suggested that WFPI prepare posters and other materials on display at the meeting to highlight WFPI's accomplishments. Dorothy suggested that since it will be the WFPI's 10<sup>th</sup> anniversary that having a poster that highlights the past 10 years would be wonderful. If people are unable to travel, we could have a PowerPoint presentation prepared to highlight the organization's accomplishments. We can contact Peter and the pediatric journal to provide us with a retrospective. Maybe an editorial. Diego suggested that we highlight the reach of the organization over the past 10 years. Can involve some of the younger members. Pediatric radiology will be focused on the IPR congress. Joanna reached out to the European Editor but has not received a reply yet.

- COVID 19 Corner
  - Joanna showed the links to the articles that are posted on the website. We have 2 articles published in Europe. Management with COVID that are freely available. We can include those on the website. The survey that was done by Dr. Edward Lee outlines the effects of COVID19 around the world. It has been submitted to Radiology Thoracic Imaging and will hopefully we will be accepted.
  - Diego Jaramillo offered to provide a multi-symptomatic case where 42 patients were analyzed from the pandemic in NY. Perhaps this case could be posted on the WFPI website. Diego said that he has contacts in Pediatric Radiology that he will tell to get in touch with Joanna.
  - All of the articles can be shared via social media.
  - Omolola Atalabi is looking at some cases in South Africa, Joanna offered to follow-up to learn what could be shared.

#### 3/ Committee Updates

- Outreach Committee Hansel Otero (HO): Gave the following updates
  - No one is traveling so there are not many updates. Hansel has been holding informal meetings trying to discuss cases with fellows and a bunch of colleagues from Argentina, Uruguay, and New Mexico. They share coffee and prepare webinars for case review. The tele-radiology application is going strong. The turnaround time is short. They are averaging around 5 cases a week. Kimberly Applegate is adding a Q/A component to tele-radiology reading. In addition to feedback to the study. Joanna Kasznia-Brown has been doing case views. Jaishree Naidoo asked Hansel if he would be interested in using their Peds COVID Al application? Part of the Outreach has been reaching out to friends and relationships before COVID - can reach out in different countries to see who would take advantage of the tool. It's a free web-based tool that can be used for up to 5 cases a day (Verify.AI) The AI tool would process the image and determine the probability of COVID pneumonia. This will be used in research. The results are encrypted. A Board member asked if the cases are archived or discarded (in compliance with GDPR.) Jaishree reported that the system discards the case - when they have an integration with the hospital. If the hospital wants to use if for more than 5 cases a day then they can do a research collaboration to

allow for more cases per day. Joanna asked if it would be appropriate to promote to other centers?

# Action: Jaishree Naidoo to send out information to the ExCom Members.

- MRI Protocol Committee Michael Gee (MG): Michael Gee was unable to attend the meeting.
- Digital Education Committee Sanjay Prabhu (SP): Sanjay suggested that we reach out to SPR to receive permission to approach lecturers directly to ask them to participate in a webinar series. Our current Zoom license only allows for 100 people to attend. The capacity was exceeded. We could repeat the lectures at another time. A more US centric time was very well attended. Sanjay shared that live series are better well attended since the participant knows that they need to be there to hear the lecture live and be able to ask questions of the speaker. We can then post the lecture after a few days.
  - There was a discussion about forming a committee to be responsible for getting a lecture series up and running. Sanjay is suggesting a Zoom capacity of at least 500 participants. The group thought that WFPI should focus on the basic topics since that is what our constituents are looking for. The group also discussed that the lectures should be between 20-30 minutes long. If the topic requires more time, then break into 2 sessions. Sanjay suggested that we determine a schedule like every 2 weeks we are going to have a lecture series. Joanna is wondering if it would be better to ask speakers to help us. Discussion ensued about involving the Representative Directors in helping us to find speakers or members who could participate on the committee.
  - Cristian Garcia mentioned that many people don't speak English so perhaps some could be done in Spanish. Andres Garcia Bayce can do one in Spanish. Dr. Garcia and Dr. Bayce can organize some in Spanish. Perhaps they can offer up some speaker names from SLARP to Sanjay and Hansel.
  - Joanna suggested the establishment of a new Education Committee made up of representatives of the member organizations. Dorothy suggested that the committee have two charges one addressing new content that includes determining the platform would be used and the amount of time needed and the second could be to identify society-produced content that could be shared now.
- TB Committee Kushaljit Singh Sodhi/KSS: Dr. Sodhi was unable to attend the meeting.

# 4/ Updates on Observership

Ines Boechat (IB): Explained that everything was deferred since no one is able to travel.

- India Candidate began observership March 9, 2020.
  - The candidate was able to complete the observership.
- Chile Has been delayed.

- Dr. Garcia indicated that they are still in quarantine. Half of the staff are working in the hospital and half are working from home. He is hoping that perhaps things can get rescheduled toward the end of the year.
- South Africa
  - Dr. Tracy Kilbourne will be the lead mentor.
  - The initial schedule was revised to begin on 9/1/2020.

### 5/ New Business

- Meetings:
  - SPR 2020: Cancelled
  - SLARP 2020 (at the SPR meeting) Cancelled
  - ESPR 2020 Marseille Cancelled
  - RSNA 2020 Virtual

#### 6/ 10<sup>th</sup> WFPI Anniversary at IPR 2021 - Rome

- Update of Mapping Project? (We ran out of time for an update)
  - A poster/presentation about the WFPI achievements, the international fellowships and adoption of MR protocols are also possibilities.

### 7/ Upcoming WFPI meetings

- October 1, 2020
- November 30, 2020 (during RSNA meeting)
- January 7, 2021
- March 4, 2021
- May 6, 2021
- June TBA @IPR 2021

#### Next meetings:

# Executive Council: Thursday, 10/1/20 – 8:00 am – 9:00 am (CST)

Subsequent EXCOM meetings take place on the first Thursday of every other month