Title of Clerkship: **Radiology/Pathology Clerkship UTMC**

Elective Type: Third Year Elective

Departments: Radiology and Pathology

Type of Clerkship: Clinical **x** Non-Clinical/Research _______ Basic Science _______

Clerkship Site: The University of Toledo Medical Center

Course Number: RADI 762 and PATH 762: Co-Requisites, must register for both

Blocks Available: All blocks

Number of Students/Block: 9

Faculty: Vasuki Anandan, MD, Robert Booth, MD, Richard Cantley, MD, Luis De Las Casas, MD, Cara Gatto-Weis, MD, Amira Gohara, MD, William Gunning, PhD, Kenneth Hensley, PhD, Robert Mrak, MD, PhD, Mary R. Smith, MD, Gail Wenger, PhD, Jacob Bieszczad, MD, Mark Buehler, MD, Robert Coombs, MD, Haitham Elsamaloty, MD, Terrence Lewis, MD, Hassan Semaan, MD, Lee Woldenberg, MD, Jacob Zeiss, MD

Elective Description/Requirements:

Students will spend 2 weeks in the Department of Radiology and 2 weeks in the Department of Pathology. The overall course will bridge radiology and pathology subspecialties to prepare students to best utilize departmental resources (i.e. testing, consultation, procedures) as they transition into clinical practice.

Students will participate in a plethora of clinical activities in the Department of Radiology including ½ day subspecialty assignments in Cardiothoracic, Gastrointestinal, Genitourinary, Musculoskeletal, and Neuroradiology as well as ½ day modality based experiences in diagnostic radiography/mammography, CT, MRI, ultrasound and nuclear medicine.

While in Pathology students will participate in all anatomic and clinical activities in the Department of Pathology including surgical pathology, cytology, hematology, chemistry, immunology, microbiology, molecular pathology, genomics & transplant immunology.

Students will attend all radiology and pathology departmental case conferences provided during the rotation and various interdisciplinary conferences when available.

Length of Clerkship: 4 weeks

Links to EPOs:

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<td>K5, K15, K16, S7, S9, S11 P3, P7</td>
<td>Defend common radiology tests, including their accuracy, limitations and risks by utilizing ACR Appropriateness Criteria for common conditions.</td>
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<td>K1-K5, K7, S7-11, P7</td>
<td>Discuss clinical cases which provide clinical, radiologic, and pathologic correlations on various disease processes.</td>
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<td>K1-K4, S4, P7</td>
<td>Distinguish the basic principles of cytology and surgical pathology to describe and recognize benign versus malignant tumors.</td>
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<td>K1-K5, S7-11, K4, S7, P4, K4, S7, P4</td>
<td>Incorporate patient specific variables into ordering appropriate imaging and laboratory tests. Review and analyze dermatopathology cases. Interpret lab tests in hematology, microbiology, chemistry, immunology, blood bank, flow cytometry and histocompatibility &amp; transplant immunology.</td>
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<td>K4, S7, S11, P4, K10, S7, P5-P7, S6, S7</td>
<td>Dissect and examine post mortem specimens. Determine mode of death in forensic cases. Discuss genomics concepts and testing. Identify the different interventional procedures performed by radiology and pathology including their contraindications, risks and benefits.</td>
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<td>K2-5, K16, S1, S9, P5</td>
<td>Identify radiation, contrast, and MRI safety concerns to minimize and quantify risk from common imaging studies.</td>
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<td>S1, S9-S11, P4, P7</td>
<td>Communicate effectively with patients and clinicians when reporting imaging and pathology results or consulting on test appropriateness.</td>
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<td>K15-16, P1, P6, P7</td>
<td>Become aware of laboratory and imaging costs and the need to reduce unnecessary tests.</td>
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Professionalism: UT/COM students will meet or exceed the institutional standards for professionalism as stated in the current Educational Program Objectives and the current Educational Course Objectives for the Sponsoring Department.

Instructional Methods: Problem-solving exercises (web-based case modules)
Small-group, Clinical skills and Didactic Sessions
Lecture/Didactic sessions (web-based)
Independent study
Observation of technologies used in lab medicine to include but not limited to microbiology, transfusion medicine, immunology, clinical chemistry, hematology and molecular
Observation of and participation in daily radiology cases
Observation of image guided procedures
Observation of and participation of technologies used in radiology including but not limited to CT, MRI, US, DR, and DM.
Observation of and participation in surgical pathology and post-mortem examination
Observation of and participation in fine needle aspiration and cytopathology
Case discussions and clinical pathological correlation with individual faculty
Didactic sessions to include but not limited to neuropathology, hematopathology, molecular pathology, cytopathology and genomics.
Review of teaching slides and discussion with faculty (scope time)
Case discussions with radiology and pathology correlation
Didactic sessions to include but not limited to subspecialty radiology in emergency, neuroradiology, GI/GU, musculoskeletal, cardiothoracic, interventional, and vascular.
Review of teaching cases and discussion with faculty (PACS time)

Evaluation Methods:
1. Attendance
2. Evaluation of participation in small-group discussion during case conferences
3. Faculty/resident observation and assessment of clinical skills
4. 360-degree evaluations of communication skills and behavior on modality rotations by technologists
5. Professionalism assessment module Alliance of Medical Student Educators in Radiology (AMSER)
6. End of rotation AMSER shelf-exam
7. Test skills with unknown slides and clinical cases

Prerequisites: Successful completion of blocks 1-7

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Special Requirements: None

AAMC Hot Topics Addressed in this Elective Clerkship:
(please make selection from attached Hot Topic list)
- Clinical Pathology
- Clinical problem solving/decision making
- Communication skills
- Diagnostic Imaging
- Evidence Based Medicine
- Health Care Quality Improvements
- Health Care Systems
- Medical ethics
- Medical Jurisprudence
- Medical Socioeconomics
Evaluation will include an OSCE [being developed], which will include clinical cases with images and pathology slides.