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MEMORANDUM

To: UWM Faculty Senate

From: Ray Fleming *RF*
Interim Dean and Professor

Re: Extending Voting Privileges to Two Full-Time Academic Staff

At the March 1, 2019 College of Health Science (CHS) Faculty and Staff meeting, there was a motion to approve voting rights at the college level for:

- Christine Grams, Clinical Assistant Professor, Diagnostic Medical Sonography Program, Dept. of Biomedical Sciences
- Nathan Wojciechowski, Clinical Assistant Professor, Diagnostic Medical Sonography Program, Dept. of Biomedical Sciences

The motion passed 44 yes, 0 no, and 0 abstain.

CHS respectfully submits to the Faculty Senate approval to grant voting privileges at the college level, e.g., CHS Faculty and Staff Meetings, for the two aforementioned Academic Staff. Both individuals have training, experience, and responsibilities comparable to those in the faculty ranks and have voting rights in their respective departments.

Attached to this memo are the CHS Academic Staff Voting Eligibility Policy and the CHS Academic Staff Voting Rights Process and Procedures Policy.

Thank you.

Christine Grams

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Professional Summary

Clinical Coordinator/Clinical assistant professor with UWM Diagnostic Medical Sonography program. Sonographer with 6 years of clinical experience in general/vascular ultrasound. Advanced knowledge in female reproductive systems, fetal hearts, abdomen, small parts, vascular and personally trained in musculoskeletal ultrasound. Strong initiative in continuing education of new ultrasound techniques and board certifications. Organized, compassionate, creative, critical thinker with exceptional abilities to prioritize efficiency while maintaining high levels of patient care and satisfaction.

Certifications

- RDMS ABD, Ob/gyn
- RVT
- RDCS fetal echo
- BLS-CPR

Skill Highlights

- Perform and evaluate ultrasound images
- Perform diagnostic Interventional procedures
- Collaborate professionally with Radiologist
- Diligent with remaining educated in current technology
- Clinically instruct future sonographers
- Dynamic Team Player

Work Experience

- 11/2018 to current UWM DMS Program Clinical Coordinator
- 08/2017 to current Aurora St. Lukes advanced sonographer/CI
- 05/2016 to 08/2017 Ascension All-Saints advanced sonographer
- 04/2015 to 05/2016 Prohealth Waukesha advanced sonographer
- 04/2013 to 04/2015 Aurora Maternal Fetal Medicine Sonographer

Education

BS in Diagnostic Medical Sonography, Mount Mary University

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Experience

2018-Present
Diagnostic Medical Sonography Program Director
Clinical Assistant Professor
Biomedical Sciences
College of Health Sciences

2005-2019
Diagnostic Ultrasonographer

West Allis Medical Center- Aurora Health Care

Responsible for performing a variety of diagnostic ultrasounds in a radiology setting, and an accredited Vascular laboratory as well as an accredited breast imaging center. This includes imaging for a level III neonatal intensive care unit and guidance for invasive and surgical procedures.

Responsible for education and guidance of ultrasound students as a clinical learning site for the St Luke's School of Diagnostic Medical Sonography.

2005

Diagnostic Ultrasonographer-Pool

Covenant Healthcare-St Francis, St Josephs, St Michaels Hospitals

Responsible for performing a variety of diagnostic ultrasounds in a radiology setting across a wide variety of hospitals and patient populations and exam types including guidance for interventional radiology including thyroid biopsies, paracentesis and thoracentesis procedures.

Responsible for education and guidance of ultrasound students as a clinical learning site for the St Francis School of Diagnostic Medical Sonography.

Education

2016-Present
Concordia University
MBA-Health Administration

2003-2005
St Francis School of Diagnostic Medical Sonography
Certification in Diagnostic Medical Sonography

2002

University of Wisconsin- Milwaukee
additional healthcare and biology related coursework

1997-2001

University of Wisconsin- Madison
Bachelor of Science(Anthropology)

Additional Qualifications

American Registry for Diagnostic Medical Sonography certifications in Abdomen, OB/GYN, Breast, Neurosonology(defunct) and Pediatric Registered Vascular Technologist

RDMS(AB,OB,BR,NE,PE) RVT)

CPR certification, experience with McKesson PACS and Epic EHR systems

Aiding in the process of Lab Accreditation under the American College of Radiology as well as the Intersocietal Commission for the Accreditation of Vascular Laboratories

Guest Lecturer: Pediatric Neurosonography Concordia University 2018

Attendance of an ARDMS breast credential item writing conference in 2013 discussing and evaluating questions to be used on the board exam

Attendance and completion of education focused webinars:

- SDMS Learning-Style Directed Clinical Education
- SDMS How to Provide Effective Feedback to Improve Clinical Skills
- SDMS Assessing Competency
- SDMS Learning-Style Directed Clinical Education
- Colorado Community College Learning Theories and Instructional Design

Additional continuing education credits:

- JDMS A Retrospective Analysis of Abdominal Competency Scores to Improve Clinical Education in a Sonography Program
- JDMS Understanding Sonography Clinical Decision-Making Learning Through Student Voices

JDMS Lab Accreditation and Credentials in Sonography: A Demographic Assessment of Facilities Receiving Federal Reimbursements

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