

Dear CASNMMI Members and Friends

On behalf of the Board of Chinese American Society of Nuclear Medicine and Molecular Imaging (CASNMMI <http://casnmmi.org/>) we cordially invite you to attend the 2014 CASNMMI annual meeting in St. Louis, MO.

Venue: This year we will have CASNMMI annual dinner meeting on June 9 (Monday) from 7:00 pm-10:00 pm, **Mandarin House** (京园, <http://www.stlouismandarinhouse.com/>)- 9150 Overland Plaza, St. Louis, MO 63114 (314-427-8070). There will be dedicated shuttle bus transportation from the Convention Center to the restaurant (6:30 sharp) and from the restaurant to hotels (around 10 pm).



Tentative menu include:

什锦拉皮/五福拼盘/北京鸭/西汁核桃虾/沙茶鲍菇炒牛肉/梅菜扣肉/豉汁鱼片/椒盐豆腐/京园小炒王/冬菇扒菜胆/精致点心拼盘

Lots of beer/wine/liquor will be served! This is a great opportunity for you to meet your old friends and make new friends. We hope this event will provide a platform for idea exchange, broader collaboration, communications and career development.

Fee: Due to limited space and budget, please RSVP through Dr. Xiaoyuan (Shawn) Chen (chen9647@gmail.com). Each attendee is expected to pay \$50 CASNMMI annual membership fee (dinner included). Those who already paid your membership fees will have free entrance. Family members unaffiliated with nuclear medicine or molecular imaging are also welcome with reduced rate (\$30/ea).

CASNMMI Life-Time Achievement Award: CSNMMI is proud to give one Life-Time Achievement Award each year to the individual who has made significant contributions to the advancement of nuclear medicine and molecular imaging, and has had positive influence on CASNMMI. The Life-Time Achievement Awardee will share the inspiring story of success, leadership and service to the CASNMMI during our annual meeting and will be bestowed with an inscribed plaque.

CASNMMI Young Scientist Award (YSA): We will be able to give 1 first prize (\$300), 2 second prizes (\$200/ea) and 3 third prizes (\$100/ea) and certificates to presenting authors of SNMMI abstracts with most impacts. The candidate should be a junior researcher or physician (non-faculty) with less than 10 years of experience in the field of nuclear medicine and molecular imaging. Individuals interested in competing for CASNMMI Young Scientist Award should send only one accepted SNMMI abstract (even if you may have multiple oral/poster presentations at SNMMI), biography with portrait photo, along with powerpoint presentation to

Dr. Xiaoyuan Chen (chen9647@gmail.com). The deadline is [June 5, 11:59 pm EDT](#). The applicant is also required to attend the CASNMMI annual meeting on June 9.

CASNMMI Community Achievement: We also want to applaud for the CASNMMI members who have made major achievements from June 2013 to May 2014 including, but not limited to, international/national major awards, high-rank journal publications, invention in the field of nuclear medicine and molecular imaging. Please kindly provide in powerpoint format by [June 5, 11:59 pm EDT](#) to Xiaoyuan (Shawn) Chen (chen9647@gmail.com). We will share and publicize your achievement(s) during CASNMMI dinner meeting.

Please also kindly distribute this email and flyer, and extend our warm invitation to your friends, colleagues, professionals and scholars-in-training in the field of nuclear medicine and molecular imaging who are interested in joining CASNMMI but not yet on this email list. Thank you for your effort in advance to make our society much stronger.

The formal invitation and meeting agenda will be sent out once we have a head count. Look forward to seeing you soon in St. Louis!

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Join Today and Become a CASNMMI Member!

The CASNMMI encourages all professionals with interest in nuclear medicine and/or molecular imaging to consider being members, as your input is needed to help promote and develop the many aspects of the society.

Why do you want to become a CASNMMI member:

- CASNMMI offers you growth and continuing education that you won't find anywhere else, along with the resources and connections especially, in the Chinese community, to help your career flourish in the imaging community.
- Receive current news about the field of nuclear medicine and molecular imaging and updates on activities of CASNMMI.
- Career assistance: Free of charge to post your job openings and situations wanted onto CASNMMI website, post your resume and sign up for job alerts.
- Get access to scholarship and awards for researchers, students and graduate students (Lifetime achievement award, Young Scientist Award, etc).
- Free entrance to dinner or lunch during annual CASNMMI meeting.
- Leadership and Advocacy: Get involved with your peers through the professional networking and educational programs provided by CASNMMI.
- And many more...

CASNMMI's Membership Year runs from July 1 – June 30 each year. The annual membership fee is \$50 or 300 RMB (free for trainees).

We pledge your support of our own society and increase your visibility! Make sure our society members remember and promote your company's products and services.

If you are interested in sponsoring the 2014 CASNMMI annual meeting and/or setting up awards for Chinese scientists/physicians in the fields of nuclear medicine and/or molecular imaging, please fill out the sponsorship application form at the end of this newsletter.

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SNMMI 2014 Annual Meeting

June 7–11, 2014

St. Louis, Missouri

CASNMMI 2014 Annual Meeting

June 9, 2014

St. Louis, Missouri

2014 WMIC Annual Meeting

September 17–20, 2014

Seoul, Korea

2014 EANM Annual Meeting

October 18-22, 2014

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2014 MRS Fall Meeting & Exhibit

November 30 - December 5, 2014

Boston, Massachusetts

SNMMI 2015 Annual Meeting

June 6-10, 2015

Baltimore, Maryland

2015 WMIC Annual Meeting

September 2-5, 2015

Honolulu, Hawaii

2015 EANM Annual Meeting

October 10-14, 2015

Hamburg, Germany

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CASNMMI Membership Application Form

(Items marked with * are required information Please fill in and email it back to chen9647@gmail.com together with membership dues by a check in US dollars payable to the Chinese American Society of Nuclear Medicine and Molecular Imaging (CASNMMI) mailed to Xiaoyuan Chen, PhD at 10901 Lamplighter Lane, Potomac, MD 20854, USA.)

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*Chinese Name: _____

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Lifetime¹ Full² Member (LFM): \$50

Full² Member (FM): \$50

Lifetime¹ Associate³ Member (LAM): \$50

Associate³ Member (AM): \$50

Trainee⁴ Member (TM): \$0

¹Lifetime membership is only applied to anyone who has previously designated as a lifetime member of CASNMMI.

²Full membership is entitled to have free entrance to dinner or lunch during annual CASNMMI meeting.

³Associate membership applies to those who are not members of the Society of Nuclear Medicine and Molecular Imaging (SNMMI) or the World Molecular Imaging Congress (WMIC) is also entitled to have free entrance to dinner or lunch during annual CASNMMI meeting.

⁴Trainee membership is granted pending on the supply of a status verification letter signed by the program director. Trainee membership is entitled to have free entrance to annual CASNMMI meeting but will need to pay nominal fees for dinner or lunch during annual CASNMMI meeting.

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2014 Annual Meeting
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