Dear all

I hope this finds you well! I am reaching out to share some exciting news. We are in the process of organizing our first annual “Pediatric, Adolescent, and Young Adult Urologic Oncology Course” to take place Friday June 4th and Saturday June 5th, 2021. This meeting will be hosted at the Children’s Hospital Colorado. It is primarily oriented towards pediatric urology fellows but will be a CME event open to pediatric urologists, urologic oncologists, pediatric surgeons, urology residents, and pediatric oncologists.

I wanted to share some details about the meeting with you, including a preliminary agenda which is attached to this email. We have confirmed three outstanding guest faculty to serve as part of our initial course: Margarett Shnorhavorian, Rodrigo Romao and Jonathan Routh. The course will include: “how to” video sessions, panel discussions, presentations on treatment protocols, reports on emerging research in the field, interactive Q and A sessions, and discussions of complications. The topics for the inaugural meeting will be focused on renal, bladder/prostate and testicular/para-testicular tumors in children, adolescents and young adults.

We would like to invite you to attend the course. It has been scheduled at a time when hopefully it will interfere as little as possible with any holidays, other urology meetings, and the annual trainee transition in July. The schedule will allow fellows and trainees to travel to Denver on Friday morning prior to the start of the course and then be done Saturday evening to allow travel home Saturday evening or Sunday. Thus, you would only miss one day of weekday fellowship training.

We are so committed to educating fellows in this area that we will be covering the cost of their registration and also their accommodations Friday and Saturday night. The only commitment a fellowship program would have is to cover the fellow’s travel to and from the course. We are reaching out now so we can ensure a commitment to attend the meeting in order that we can make all necessary arrangements and book the necessary hotel rooms. In order to secure the best rates and keep costs to a minimum, we need to know by July 31, 2020 if you will be participating. To confirm your commitment to attending, please send an email to nicholas.cost@childrenscolorado.org.

We hope and plan to offer this course annually and will welcome all those who are interested. We look forward to your support and please do not hesitate to reach out with any questions or concerns.

Thank you for your time and interest. Have a great day!

Sincerely,

The Planning Committee:

Amanda Saltzman, Kathleen Kieran, Jonathan Ross, Duncan Wilcox and Nicholas Cost
Title: Pediatric, Adolescent and Young Adult Urologic Oncology Course

Target Audience: 1) Pediatric Urology Fellows, 2) Pediatric Urologists, 3) Urologic Oncologists, 4) Urology Residents, 5) Pediatric Surgeons

Target Dates: June 4-5, 2021 (Friday and Saturday)

Location: Children’s Hospital Colorado (CHCO) Conference Center: Aurora, CO

Friday June 4, 2021

11:30a - 12:30p: Arrival and Lunch

12:30p - 1p: Introduction

1p - 5p: Kidney Session (3.5 CME) - Led by Rodrigo Romao

1p - 2p: Basics/Background

2p - 3:30p: Case Presentations/Videos

- How to/How I do it
- Tips and Tricks
- Topics:
  - Radical Nephrectomy
  - Partial Nephrectomy
  - LN Dissection
  - Minimally invasive surgery
  - Late Effects

3:30p - 4p: Coffee/Snack Break

4p - 5p: Kidney Session - Rodrigo Romao

Discuss Open Trials/Data/COG

Controversies

Q&A

5p - 6p: Wrap up/Break

6p - 8p: Reception/Cocktails/Hors d’oeuvres in CHCO Conference Center (For all attendees)
Saturday June 5, 2021

7:30a - 8:30a: Arrival and Breakfast

8:30a - 12p: **Bladder/Prostate Session (3.25 CME) - Margarett Shnorhavorian**
- 8:30a - 9:30a: Basics/Background
- 9:30a - 10:45a: Case Presentations/Videos
  - How to/How I do it
  - Tips and Tricks
  - Topics:
    - Biopsy techniques
    - Surgical techniques
    - Radiation considerations
    - Late Effects

10:45a - 11a: Coffee/Snack Break

11a - 12p: **Bladder/Prostate Session - Margarett Shnorahvorian**
- Discuss Open Trials/Data/COG
- Controversies
- Q&A

12p - 1p: Lunch

1p - 5p: **Testis/Para-testis Session (3.5 CME) - Jonathan Routh**
- 1p - 2p: Basics/Background
- 2p - 3:30p: Case Presentations/Videos
  - How to/How I do it
  - Tips and Tricks
  - Topics:
    - Radical Orchiectomy
    - Partial Orchiectomy
    - Retroperitoneal LN Dissection
    - Hemi-scrotectomy
    - Testicular Prosthesis
- Late effects

3:30p - 4p: Coffee/Snack Break

4p - 5p: Testis/Para-testis Session - Led by Jonathan Routh

Discuss Open Trials/Data/COG Controversies Q&A

5p - 5:30p: Conclusions/Wrap Up/Send off

Course Faculty:

Rodrigo Romao, MD, MSc is an Associate Professor of Surgery and Urology and the Program Director for the Pediatric General Surgery fellowship program at the IWK Health Centre, Dalhousie University in Halifax, Nova Scotia, Canada. He received training in General Surgery, Pediatric General Surgery and Pediatric Urology at the University of Sao Paulo, Brazil and SickKids in Toronto. Dr. Romao is the Children’s Oncology Group (COG) Surgical PI for the IWK Health Centre and is also a member of the COG Renal Tumors Committee. Dr. Romao has a strong interest in pediatric surgical oncology, both clinically and from a research perspective. He is also a member of the Executive Committee of the Pediatric Uro-Oncology Working Group (PUOWG).

Margarett Shnorhavorian, MD, MPH, FAAP, FACS is a Full Professor in the Department of Urology at the University of Washington in the Division of Pediatric Urology and Affiliate Investigator in the Epidemiology Program at the Fred Hutchinson Cancer Research Center. Her research program has focused on adolescent and young adult survivorship and her clinical niche is in pediatric urologic reconstruction. Dr. Shnorhavorian is the Principal Investigator for a five-year NIH R01 level grant leading a multi-disciplinary team and has a record of accomplishment of successful collaborations on extramurally funded grants. Within COG she serves on the Steering Committee for the Survivorship and Outcomes Committee.

Jonathan Routh, MD, MPH is the Paul H. Sherman Associate Professor of Surgery (Urology), Pediatrics, and Population Health at Duke University School of Medicine, where he serves as the Chief of the Center for Children’s Surgery. He has been a member of the Society for Pediatric Urology Oncology Working Group’s Executive Committee since 2011, and was recently elected as the PUOWG President. He is an active member of the Children’s Oncology Group (COG), serving on the Soft Tissue Sarcoma committee, Surgery committee, ARST1431 Intermediate Risk Rhabdomyosarcoma study committee, and the Urinary Tract and Endocrine Task Forces of the COG Long-Term Follow-up committee. Internationally, he is a past member of the Nephrotoxicity Core of the International Guidelines Harmonization Group (IGHG) and currently serves on the Paratesticular and Bladder/Prostate Working Groups of the International Soft Tissue Sarcoma Consortium (INSTRUCT).