



Michigan Radiological Society
Resident & Fellow Section
Application for Executive Board Position

Michigan Radiological Society Resident & Fellows Section Executive Board: Application and Selection Process

- Prior to the yearly conference, applicants must complete an anonymized application.
- The resident affairs committee will rank each application using a numerical score (1-10).
- The average score will be used to determine the candidate's rank.
- The highest-ranking applicant from each program will get their "first-choice" position, and so on.
- If a position is already filled, the applicant will choose their next preferred option.
- A second position may not be filled by a member of the same residency program until all programs are represented unless no other programs have applied.
- In the event of a tie, the chair of the resident affairs committee will make the final decision.
- All winners will be announced at the yearly conference.

Please rank ALL positions you would be interested in filling.

President-Elect	1
Secretary	3
Treasurer	5
Webmaster	4

Fundraising Chair	
Resident Liaison	2
Fellow Liaison	

Why are you interested in joining the Michigan Radiological Society Executive Board?

Community engagement is a cornerstone of my professional values. MRS offers a unique platform to connect radiology residents across Michigan, and I'm eager not only to be a part of this but also to help shape it. The organization plays a crucial role in uniting trainees and providing resources, mentorship, and advocacy, all of which deeply resonate with me. By serving on the board, I aim to collaborate with fellow leaders to create accessible initiatives that set trainees up for professional success. This opportunity will also allow me to apply my leadership skills at an organizational level while gaining valuable insight into the workings of organized radiology—an experience that will be invaluable as I pursue a career in academic medicine. I am excited about the chance to strengthen ties within our state's radiology community and create a welcoming space where residents can come together, share knowledge, and support one another.

What qualifications do you have for the positions you are applying?

My advocacy and leadership are driven by a commitment to excellence and continuous improvement. For example, after gathering feedback from residents on the didactic structure, I proposed a restructuring plan and led a task force to implement changes for the upcoming academic year. I leveraged my communication skills to bridge gaps and create mutually beneficial solutions focused on advancement and problem-solving. My qualifications and interest in MRS, as a Michigan-based organization, stem from my ongoing leadership roles in the state. I was a founding board member of a national medical student association that started in Michigan and am actively involved in a local organization supporting young professionals in Metro Detroit. These leadership experiences are also reflected in my academic research, with a recent first-place award in clinical review category from Applied Radiology's "Leaders on the Horizon" competition and a certification of merit for an educational exhibit at the ARRS conference.

What ideas do you have for MRS RFS this year?

A key challenge of a statewide organization is making events accessible to all. I propose maximizing webinars tailored to different training levels, where senior residents share peer-to-peer insights, and staff offer broader, expert-focused guidance. In addition to online events, I would like to promote in-person gatherings focused on interprogram networking and mentorship, especially on a smaller scale between nearby programs, to strengthen local bonds. I also aim to increase awareness of the organization by working with program directors or designating a point person within each program to provide a monthly summary of upcoming events and contact information. This would keep trainees informed and encourage them to get involved. As an organization, I believe it would be valuable to plan ahead for the academic year, ensuring we have a clear roadmap and ongoing initiatives to engage and support members throughout the year.

Application # _____

Return completed application to Shannon Sage at shannon@michigan-rad.org

Scoring to be completed by the Resident Affairs Committee:

Score 1: _____

Score 2: _____

Score 3: _____

Score 4: _____

Score 5: _____

Score 6: _____

Score 7: _____

Score 8: _____

Score 9: _____

Score 10: _____

Average Score: _____