

***Congratulations to Adiebonye Jumbo, Ph.D., ITIL***, Assistant Professor & Clinical Coordinator of our Health/Medical Informatics Program, for having her paper titled "Functional Limitations Associated with Frailty Risk in Older Adults Increased after COVID-19 Infection in 2020 CDC NHIS Data" published in the recent issue of the Journal of Geriatric Medicine and Gerontology.

Dr. Jumbo also received a certificate of completion for the Brooklyn Center for Health Disparities TRANSPORT grant. Congratulations on an amazing job on both points!

***Congratulations to Yosefa Joy Pessin, DHSc, MS, RDMS, RDCS, RVT***, Program Chair & Director, and Associate Professor of our Diagnostic Medical Imaging Program for being selected by the Society of Diagnostic Medical Sonography as the recipient of the 2022 Distinguished Educator Award! This is truly an amazing achievement, Dr. Pessin! You have earned this incredible recognition! Congratulations!

***Congratulations to Farhad Haeri, PT, DPT, OCS, MTC***, Assistant Professor of our Physical Therapy Program for recently passing the RMSK (Registered in Muscular-skeletal Sonography certificate) national examination through the Alliance for Physicians Certification and Advancement body!

Congratulations, Dr. Haeri! This is quite an accomplishment! You were able to achieve mastery in the sonography field to obtain this advanced certificate. You are truly amazing to excel in PT and sonography! Congratulations!

***Congratulations to Dennis Torre, PT, PhD***, Assistant Professor, and Farhad Haeri, PT, DPT, OCS, MTC, Assistant Professor of our Physical Therapy Program for having their American Congress of Rehabilitation Medicine (ACRM) abstract for a poster presentation accepted as part of the ACRM 2022 national meeting in Chicago with the theme of "Progress in Rehabilitation Research". Their presentation will be titled "Feedback Type on Abdominal Drawing-In Maneuver Performance: Further Motor Control and Motor Learning Considerations". Congratulations, Drs. Torre and Haeri! Way to go! Outstanding work!

***Congratulations to Mohammad Faysel, Ph.D.***, Chair and Associate Professor of our Health/Medical Informatics Program, and ***Steve Levine, MD*** of the College of Medicine for receiving a new Downstate Seed Grant from the Office of the SVP for Research in the amount of \$50K to investigate "Discontinuity of Stroke Care in a Predominantly Black Urban Cohort: Levering EHR Data Mining to Trace Stroke Patient Trajectories." This study will set the stage for a larger NIH-funded study. Congratulations also go to David Kaufman, Ph.D., Clinical Associate Professor, Health/Medical Informatics Program, and Adiebonye Jumbo, Ph.D., ITIL, Assistant Professor & Clinical Coordinator of our Health/Medical Informatics Program, as well as Aimee Afable, Ph.D., MPH, of the School of Public Health. Congratulations on the excellent interprofessional collaboration and strong research effort!

***Congratulations to Krystal Brewington, OTD, OTR/L, CPAM, CHT, Loraine Antoine, PT, DPT, Ph.D. Puneet Dhaliwal, PT, DPT, MA, CEEAA, and Jasmin Thomas, OTD, OTR/L, BCP*** for being accepted into the Diversity in Medicine Mentorship program out of the Office of Institutional Equity under VP and COM Dean Dr. Carla Boutin-Foster's leadership. Many thanks go out to these three healthcare professionals for stepping up to help mentor underrepresented college students who will be part of the next generation of healthcare professionals. Congratulations!

***Congratulations to Susanrachel B. Condon, LM DM FACNM***, Clinical Assistant Professor of our Midwifery Program on publishing her study on "individuals with pregnancy and lactation associated osteoporosis," along with a co-author - Madeline Veitch, in the Elsevier journal, Midwifery! Congratulations!

***Congratulations to Nancy Kline, PhD, OTR/L, BCG***, Assistant Professor, Occupational Therapy Program for having two research projects she completed with OT students accepted as posters at the NYS OT Association's fall 2022 meeting. Congratulations!

***Congratulations to Puneet Dhaliwal, PT, DPT, MA, CEEAA***, Assistant Professor of our Physical Therapy Program, for having her abstract titled, "Vestibular Rehabilitation as a Treatment Intervention in People with Giant Cell Arteritis and Visual Loss," accepted at the Annual Meeting of the Association of Academic Physiatrists 2023! Outstanding work. Congratulations!

***Congratulations to Farhad Haeri, PT, DPT, OCS, MTC***, Assistant Professor of our Physical Therapy Program for having his ePoster abstract titled: "Clinical Application of Vertebral Column Kinematic Evaluation and Musculature Assessment Using Real Time Musculoskeletal Ultrasound Imaging" accepted by the annual Ultracon powered by the American Institute of Ultrasound in Medicine meeting in 2023!

***Congratulations to the DMI Team*** for having three e-poster abstracts accepted at the upcoming national UltraCon conference of the AIUM in 2023!

***Rivka Hellmann, MS, RDMS, RDCS, RVT***

Abstract Title: Let's Measure the Liver Better: A Pilot Study Assessing Inter-Rater Reliability When Measuring the Liver Volume Using Ultrasound

***Iryna Struk, MS, RDMS, RDCS, RVT***

Abstract Title: It's Not Black and White: Are NYC Sonographers a Diverse Group?

***Yosefa Joy Pessin, DHSc, MS, RDMS, RDCS, RVT***

Abstract Title: A Peek Into The Scope of Practice of Sonographers Across the United States: Who We Are and What We Do