International Workshop of Cardiac Magnetic Resonance Imaging

Overview:

The international workshop of cardiac magnetic resonance (CMR) Imaging is a comprehensive educational event designed for healthcare professionals interested in advancing their knowledge and skills in the field of cardiac MRI. This workshop aims to provide participants with a deeper understanding of the principles, techniques, and clinical applications of cardiac MRI.

Who Should Attend:

The workshop is designed for radiographers/medical imaging technologies, medical physicists, and other healthcare professionals involved in cardiac imaging. Participants can range from beginners seeking an introduction to cardiac MRI to experienced practitioners looking to enhance their skills and keep up with the latest advancements in the field.

About This Course

This course is under development by the Radiation Sciences Department in collaboration with the Radiology Department of the Tehran Heart Center at Tehran University of Medical Sciences. It is designed to cater to a wide range of healthcare professionals, including radiographers/medical imaging technologies, medical physicists, and other medical practitioners interested in gaining a deeper understanding of the physics and techniques associated with CMR.

No prior experience in CMR is necessary to enroll in this course. However, participants are expected to have a foundational knowledge of pulse sequence physics.

Workshop Highlights:

- Lectures by Experts: Renowned experts in the field of cardiac MRI will deliver informative lectures, covering various aspects of cardiac imaging, including CMR physics, acquisition techniques, image interpretation, and clinical applications.
- 2. Hands-on Training: Participants will have the opportunity to engage in handson sessions using state-of-the-art cardiac MRI equipment. These sessions will enhance practical skills and provide a valuable learning experience.
- 3. Case Studies and Discussions: Interactive case studies will be presented, allowing participants to analyze real-life scenarios and discuss diagnostic challenges and treatment strategies with experts and fellow attendees.
- 4. Networking Opportunities: The workshop will provide an ideal platform for networking with professionals in the field of cardiac imaging, fostering collaborations and sharing knowledge.

Local Organizing Committee

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What we must know about CMR imaging

Outline:	Time	Speaker	
Day 1, April 27			
Introduction	8-8.10	Dr. Shapoor Shirani	
Cardiac Anatomy			
Introduction to Cardiac Chambers	8.10-9	Dr. Zahra Abroodi	

Valves and Coronary Vessels and main	9.15-10.15	Dr. Zahra Abroodi	
thoracic and abdominal vessels			
Question	10.15-10.30	Dr. Zahra Abroodi	
Basic Cardiac MRI Physics			
Principles of Cardiac MRI	10.45-11.45	Dr. Sadegh Dehghani	
The Physics of Black blood, Cine, and STIR	12-13	Javid Abdolmohammadi	
Question	13-13.30	Javid Abdolmohammadi	
Day 2, April 28			
Advanced MRI Physics			
Advanced MRI Physics Concepts (perfusion,	8-9	Javid Abdolmohammadi	
stress perfusion)			
Advanced Cardiac MRI Sequences (Phase	9.15-10.15	Dr. Ali Nahardani	
Contrast Velocity Mapping - i.e. Flow			
Measurement; & Late Gadolinium			
Enhancement Imaging; i.e. PSIR)			
Question	10.15-10.30	Dr. Ali Nahardani	
Introduction to Cardiac MRI Techniques	•		
Basics of Cardiac MRI Imaging and Patient	10.45-11.45	Kianosh Kasani	
Preparation			
Imaging Planes, Cine and STIR Imaging	12-13	Kianosh Kasani	
Question	13-13.30	Kianosh Kasani	
Day 3, April 29			
Intermediate Cardiac MRI Techniques			
Tissue Characterization in Cardiac MRI, T1	8-9	Dr Sadegh Dehghani	
and T2 mapping			
Perfusion Imaging, Stressed Perfusion	9.15-10.15	Shabnam Shokraei	
Imaging, and Phase-Contrast Imaging			
Question	10.15-10.30	Shabnam Shokraei	
Advanced Cardiac MRI Applications			

Late Gadolinium Enhancement, Strain imaging	10.45-11.45	Kianosh Kasani
MRA with and without Contrast	12-13	Hosein Mahmoudzadeh
Question	13-13.30	Hosein Mahmoudzadeh
Day 4, April 30		
Clinical aspect of CMR		
Myocardium diseases and related CMR	8-9	Dr. Najme Sadat Mousavi
protocols for diagnosis		
What is important in echo report?	9.15-10.15	Dr. Najme Sadat Mousavi
Question	10.15-10.45	Dr. Najme Sadat Mousavi
Practical work	11-17	Shabnam Shokraei
Day 5, May 1		
Practical work	9-15	Hosein Mahmoudzadeh
Day 6, May 2		
Practical work	9-15	Dr Sadegh Dehghani