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### 1. What are your key areas of interest and research?

- Paediatric imaging: trauma, gastrointestinal, genitourinary;
- Management of imaging departments.

### 2. What are the major challenges in your field?

- Decreasing reimbursements;
- Commoditisation of imaging;
- Part-time workforce.

### 3. What is your top management tip?

"Your people should come to work with a smile on their faces, and, if you do it right, leave with a smile on their faces at the end of the day."

### 4. What would you single out as a career highlight?

Nearing completion of designing/building and opening my third department of academic (paediatric) imaging at the Golisano Children's Hospital in Rochester, New York, USA.

### 5. If you had not chosen this career path you would have become a...?

No idea!

### 6. What are your personal interests outside of work?

Running, yacht racing, classical music and reading historical tomes.

### 7. Your favourite quote?

"It is not how you get knocked down, but how you get up..."

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