

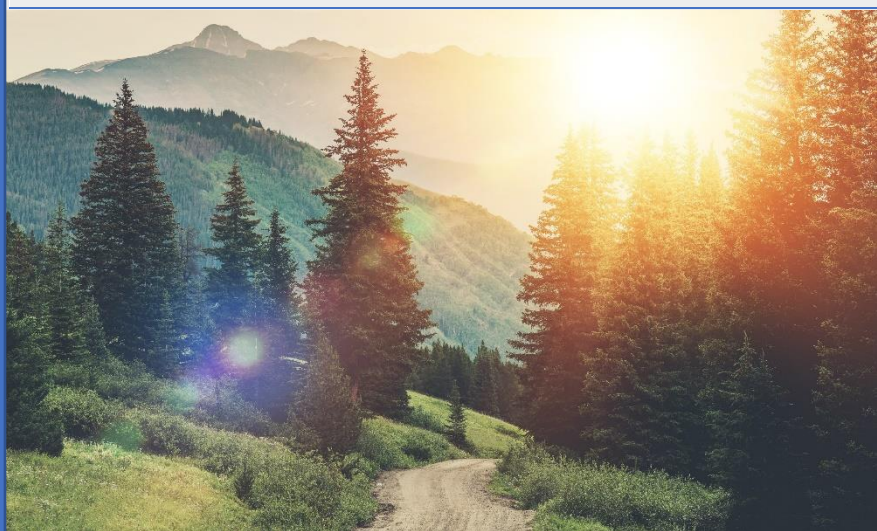


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Our Mission

We are an Association of Radiology Managers who facilitate meetings and educational seminars for the purpose of disseminating information among the members of the Association in the province of Alberta in order to provide professional growth through education, consultation, and communication with peers and ensure a stronger professional presence and liaisons with other health care agencies.



Who are we?

The AARM is an association of Diagnostic Imaging leaders from across Alberta. Formed in 1978 with twenty-nine members, the AARM has grown to include over 100 members. We promote professional growth through education, consultation and communication with peers. The association encourages a strong professional presence and has established ongoing relationships with other health care agencies.





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Why become a member?

The AARM supports the professional growth and leadership development of its members. Through an established network of individuals from across the province in the public and community imaging sectors, regulatory bodies, educational institutions and commercial vendors, the AARM promotes the exchange of ideas to establish and continuously improve the standards of professional services. As a member, you will receive notification of annual educational seminars and general meetings and access to the AARM social media platforms. Members have the privilege of holding office, serving on committees, making motions and voting.



Presidents Message

Hello fellow AARM members!

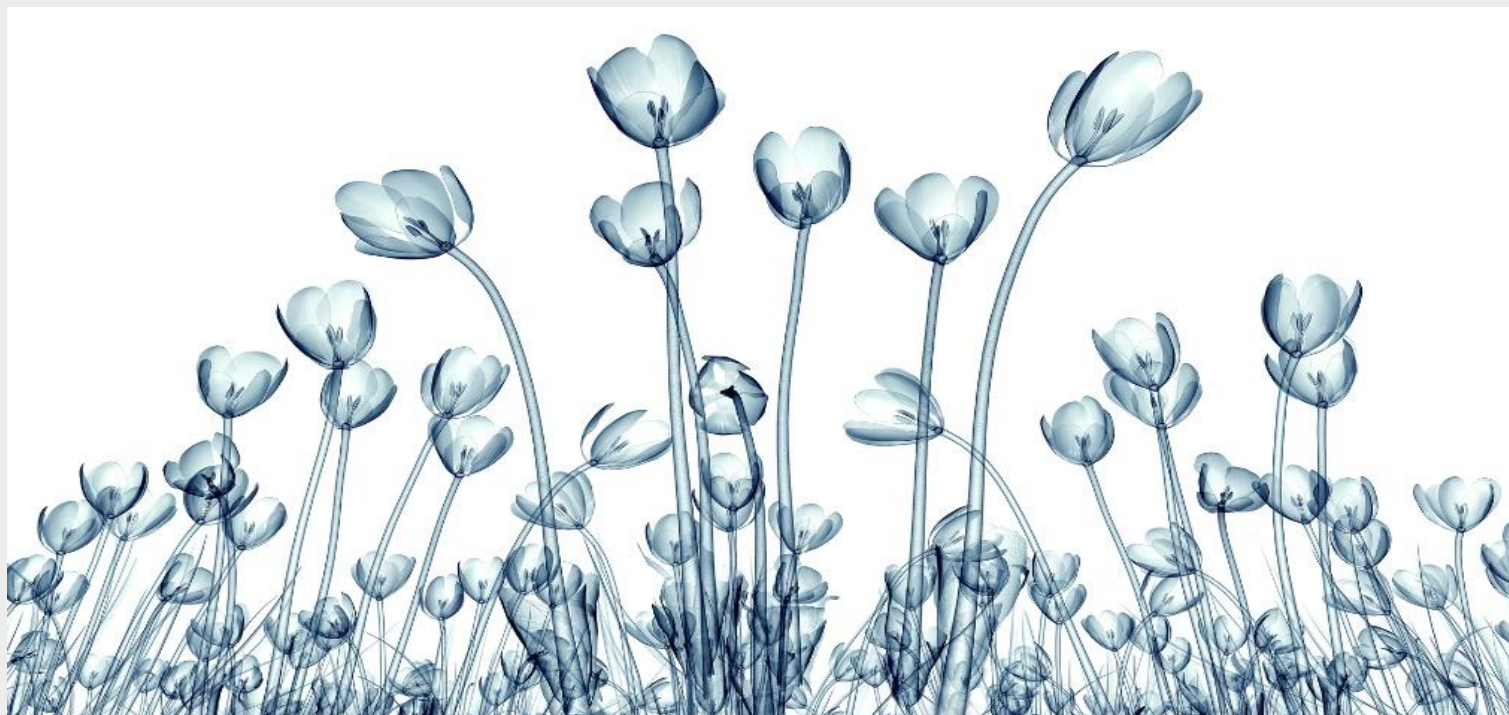
Radiology in Alberta continues to be a diverse and exciting profession. We are all resilient and adapt to new technologies, equipment, and staffing adversity. As leaders, we face all these challenges with optimism and empathy. We find energy in the interactions and conversations we have with patients and colleagues. I am looking forward to this year's meeting and AGM in the fall and renewing our passion for leading and learning together.

Last year, membership voted to return to beautiful K country. Our conference is scheduled for September 13-15 at the Pomeroy in Kananaskis. The theme is 80's. Your executive and education committees have organized a 'radical' agenda including education, inspiring speakers and interactive team building sessions.

AARM continues to foster leadership development and advocate for our professions by providing educational content on emergent and relevant topics. We know that this year's agenda will have something for everyone.

Have a restful and safe summer with family and friends. See you in September!

Kandis Decolle



Education Report

The 2022 AARM Conference reunited its membership after three long years. The Delta Hotels by Marriott Kananaskis Lodge provided the perfect surrounding for a full agenda and human reconnection.

Dr. Kumar opened our conference exploring the impact of COVID on burnout, highlighting things that both individuals and organizations can do to support wellness.

Krista Tolhurst, AARM Presented kicked off Thursday with a warm welcome and AGM. The committee and membership welcomed Heather Hannaford as the new Vice President, Jennifer Borden as the new Education Chair, Graydon Lee as the new Web Master and Lisa Garnett as the new Secretary. As the AARM continues to grow and thrive all the new members were also recognized.



Danelle Spence's presentation on Screen Time left people contemplating the impact that being 'too connected' has on our brain's integration.

The afternoon took teams of AARM Members on an adventure all around and within the Kananaskis Lodge; focused on teamwork and connection to achieve success.

Jennie Gilbert our Keynote closed the conference by exploring the impact that everyday language and actions have towards psychological safety, and how that can create contagious, inclusive cultures that thrive.

The AARM Executive and Education committee would once again like to take this opportunity to thank all who virtually attended our conferences. We look forward to seeing you all again soon!

Heather Hannaford

Treasurer's Report

Outwit, Outlast and Outplay was the theme from our fall conference and it was a beautiful weekend for us all to escape the city for a weekend of education, networking and socializing.

Thank you to our Vendors who continue to attend and support the AARM in many ways. Without opportunities for sponsorship, we would be unable to create our AARM family. The Platinum, Gold, Silver and Bronze sponsorships allow our vendors to choose which monetary contribution best suites them. Each one with its own unique value and perks, which include but are not limited too conference registration complete with all meals, membership dues for the current year, sponsorship recognition on the AARM web site and sponsorship recognition during the conference.

Events like these are not possible without our members, thank you for your continued support.

Have a great summer and I look forward to seeing you in the fall for our gnarly 80's themed conference.

Jennifer Sharp
AARM Treasurer

Registration and Annual Dues Notice

Registration opportunity for the 2023 AARM Annual Conference and AGM will be made available shortly. This is also a great time to submit your annual membership dues.

AARM e-transfer account: treasurerAARM@gmail.com
2023 AARM Conference Fee -\$170.00
2023 AARM Membership Fee -\$60.00

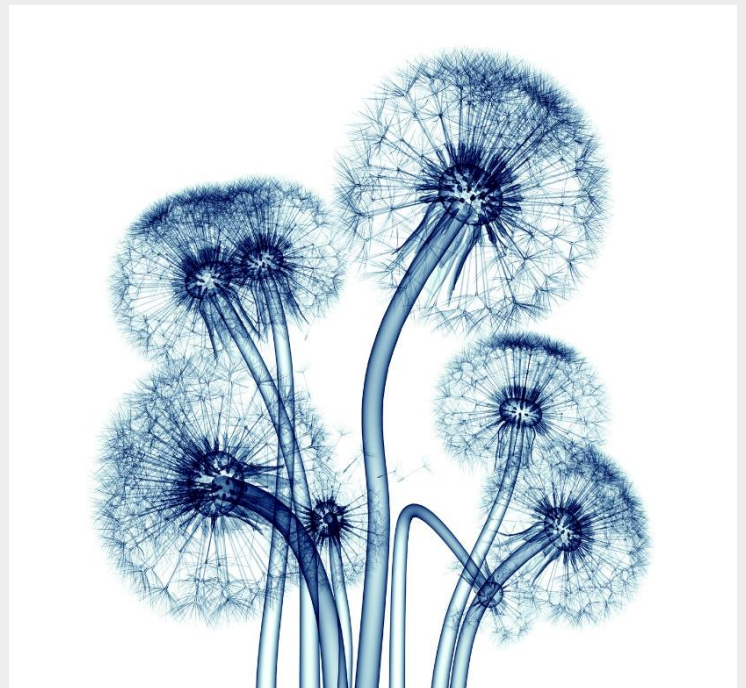
Vendors, please contact the AARM Vendor Relations Committee for amounts.

For further information on the AARM 2023 Conference, including Registration and the Agenda, please visit the AARM website: [AARM Website \(albertaarm.ca\)](http://albertaarm.ca)

Annual Conference & AGM The AARM hosts an annual conference and general meeting in the fall. This conference is an amazing opportunity for learning and networking. Presentations at the conference are designed to enhance understanding of current issues leaders may be facing, explore exciting opportunities in the imaging environment and even challenge members to consider different approaches to their work.

What's in it for you?

- ✓ Continuing education
- ✓ Networking
- ✓ Professional growth
- ✓ Fun

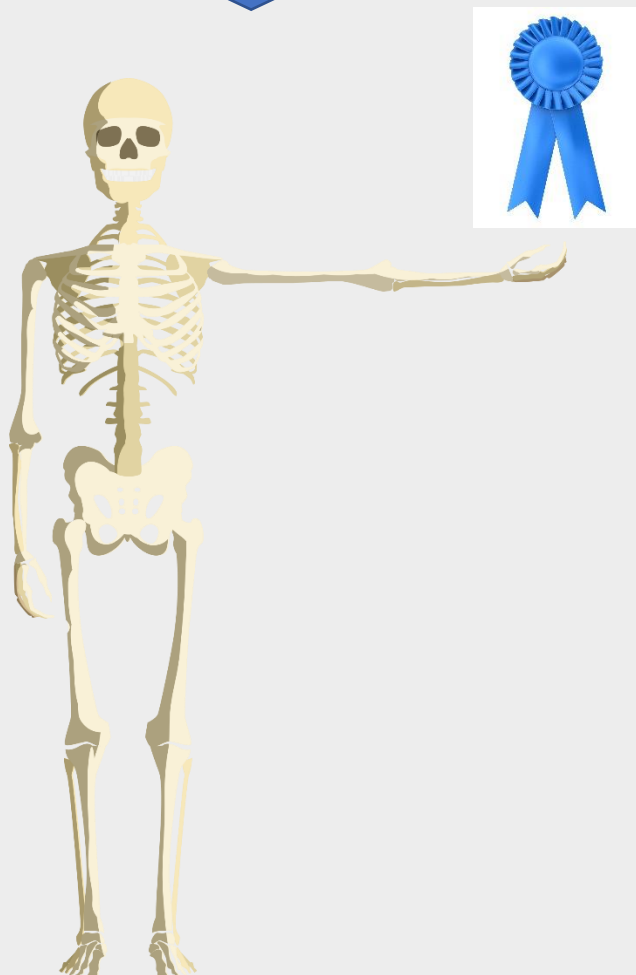


Professional Contribution Award

At this time we are calling for nominations for the 2023 Professional Contribution Award. Nominations will be accepted until August 25th, 2023. Please submit your nomination via email to the Vice President, Heather Hannaford (Heather.Hannaford@albertahealthservices.ca.)

Eligibility:

- i) Nominees should have a minimum of ten(10) years in the field of Radiological Sciences and Imaging, except under extraordinary circumstances;
- ii) Must have served on the executive or a committee for the AARM;
- iii) Must have been a member of the AARM for a minimum of five (5) years; and
- iv) No currently active committee member shall be eligible for nomination.





2023 AARM Conference – Sept 13th-15th, 2023

We are excited to be hosting this year's AARM conference in the pristine location of Kananaskis. This was an easy decision after a unanimous vote at the AGM to return for the 2023 conference. The Pomeroy Kananaskis Mountain Lodge was the perfect location to re-unite the AARM membership and we look forward to bringing everyone back together this fall. Get ready for an event full of education, team building, networking and breathtaking views!



Click below on the reservation link to book your rooms:

[Book your group rate for AARM 2023](#)

Group Booking Code: **AARM 2023**

Please book your rooms by August 14th



Park passes must be purchased by guests staying at the Pomeroy as it is on land in Alberta's Special Conservation area.

<https://www.alberta.ca/kananaskis-conservation-pass.aspx>



On Wednesday evening, AARM members will have discounted access to the Kananaskis Nordic Spa from 6-9 p.m. Please contact the hotel directly to purchase your pass if you would like to take in this opportunity. [Kananaskis Nordic Spa | Kananaskis Nordic Spa | Your Alpine Sanctuary \(knordicspa.com\)](#)



Our theme will be celebrated by requesting our members to dress in their favorite 80s inspired outfits.

WINE SURVIVOR Be sure to join us in playing wine survivor 2023. The more participants the more wine up for grabs! \$15 minimum/bottle



2023 AARM Conference Agenda

Kananaskis

Sept 13th-15th, 2023



Wednesday, September 13

1630	Registration, Hospitality Suite Head Shots	Jennifer Jones Photography
1730-1830	The importance of sleep and how of sleep affects the brain, performance and mood; seen through avenues including neuro imaging	Caroline LaPierre
1830	Pizza, Poutine, Engagement time	

Thursday, Sept 14

0730-0830	Breakfast	
0845 - 0900	Welcome	Kandis AARM President
0900 -1030	Internet Safety	Paul Davis
1030 -1045	Break	
1045 - 1200	AGM	Kandis AARM President
1200 – 1300	Lunch	
1300 – 1400	Diversity and Inclusion	Speaker from GEDI Hub
1400-1500	Practical Pursuit of Knowledge	
1500-1600	The Power of Foods	Amy Bodnar
1930	Dinner and Entertainment	Matt Day

Friday, September 15

0730-0845	Breakfast	
0900-1200	Keynote	Matt Day
1200-1215	Closing Remarks	Kandis, AARM President

WE CAN'T WAIT TO SEE YOU THERE!
