

Reported by (Name):	Cynthia McCollough, PhD
Organization:	SCARD (Society of Chairs of Academic Radiology Department)
Position Title:	Liaison to the Society of Chairs of Academic Radiology Department
Activity:	I continue to keep in touch with leadership. Am currently discussing with their president a joint effort to review salary survey data – few chairs use the AAPM salary information. Rather, they are using sources that may not have the right cohort (e.g., includes primarily academic physicists whose salaries tend to be lower than those with clinical responsibilities).
Meeting Dates:	October 7-9, 2021
Meeting Location:	Santa Ana Pueblo, NM
Payment \$:	Unknown at present
Reasons for Attending	Build bridges, advocate for medical physics resident funding in imaging, advocate for them to use AAPM salary survey data, be seen as a resource and partner to them
Issues from Previous Meetings or Year:	In lieu of attending their 2020 virtual meeting, I had a web conference call with the current and incoming presidents, and we discussed a number of ideas for collaboration. The bridge that I have built is helpful as they have subsequently reached out to me a few times with physics-oriented questions.
General Description of Activities of the Organization and/or Meeting:	Chairs of Academic Radiology Depts. come together to discuss issues of common importance
Issues for AAPM:	Stay plugged in
Budget Request (\$):	Funding for 2022 travel