

## Outstanding *JNMT* Articles for 2018

**K**athy S. Thomas, MHA, CNMT, PET, editor-in-chief of the *Journal of Nuclear Medicine Technology (JNMT)*, and members of the journal's board of editors announced in April the winners of annual awards for outstanding articles. The awards will be presented in June

at the annual business meeting of the SNMMI Technologist Section in Anaheim, CA.



**Shelley N. Acuff,**  
CNMT, RT(R)(CT)

The first-place Editors' Choice Award for best *JNMT* article in 2018 will go to Shelley N. Acuff, Anetia S. Jackson, Rathan M. Subramaniam, and Dustin Osborne from the University of Tennessee Graduate School of Medicine/University of Tennessee Medical Center (Knoxville) for "Practical considerations for integrating PET/CT into radiation therapy planning" (*J Nucl Med Technol.* 2018;46:343–348). The second-place award will go to Sara M. Nardinger, Thuy D. Tran, Tiffinee N. Swanson, Lacey R. Ellingson, Courtney M. Solberg, Michael K. O'Connor, and Carrie B. Hruska from the Mayo Clinic (Rochester, MN) for "Guidelines for quality control testing of molecular breast imaging systems" (*J Nucl Med Technol.* 2018;46:349–354). The third-place award will go to Thuy D. Tran, Lacey R. Elling-

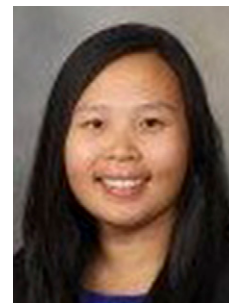


**Sara M. Nardinger,**  
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son, Tiffinee N. Swanson, Courtney M. Solberg, Michael K. O'Connor, and Carrie B. Hruska from the Mayo Clinic (Rochester, MN) for "Molecular breast imaging: Administered activity does not require adjustment based on patient size" (*J Nucl Med Technol.* 2018;46:265–267).

The Editors' Choice Award for Best Continuing Education Article in 2018 will be presented to Amanda Abbott, Christopher G. Sakellis, Eric Andersen, Yuji Kuzuhara, Lauren Gilbert, Kelly Boyle, Matthew H. Kulke, Jennifer A. Chan, Heather A. Jacene, and Annick D. Van den Abbeele from the Dana-Farber Cancer Institute (Boston, MA) for "Guidance on  $^{177}\text{Lu}$ -DOTATATE peptide receptor radionuclide therapy from the experience of a single nuclear medicine division" (*J Nucl Med Technol.* 2018;46:237–244). The Editors' Choice Award for Best Educators' Forum Article in 2018 will be presented to Anthony W. Knight from the University of Iowa Hospitals and Clinics (Iowa City) for "How clinical instructor behavior affects student clinical engagement from a motivational perspective" (*J Nucl Med Technol.* 2018;46:99–106).

"These articles represent the broad range of investigation and practice that characterizes the rapidly changing world of nuclear medicine and molecular imaging technologies," said Thomas. "We congratulate this year's awardees and all those whose contributions continue to make *JNMT* a vital resource for a diverse and growing community."



**Thuy D. Tran,** CNMT



**Amanda Abbott, MS,**  
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**Anthony Knight, PhD,**  
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