



**Sports Medicine Section - Annual Meeting
Virtual (Zoom)
Wednesday, December 1st, 2021
7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. (EST)**

ACEP Sports Medicine Section Meeting Minutes

Section Officers in Attendance:

Participating in all or part of the meeting along with other members of the section were the following section officers: Christopher Hogrefe, MD, FACEP (Chair); Ross Mathiasen, MD (Chair-Elect); John Kiel, DO, MPH, FACEP (Secretary); AJ Monseau, MD, FACEP (Liaison); Calvin Hwang, MD, FACEP (Councilor); Dustin M. Harris, MD (Alternate Councilor)

Attendees:

Stephen Adams, MD, FACEP; Sarah Bunker; Will Denq, MD; Katie Dolbec, MD, FACEP; Jeffrey Feden, MD, FACEP; Jolie Holschen, MD, FACEP; Victor Huang, MD; Rami Houry, MD (ACEP Board of Directors Liaison); Melissa Leber, MD; Michael Molloy, FRCEM, FFSEM, FRCSEd, MSc MCh; Amber Mounday, MD; Laura Nilan, DO; Ben Oshlag, MD, MS; Brendan Parker, MD; John Radio, MD; Sandra Schneider, MD, FACEP (ACEP Section Liaison); Jacob Stelter, MD; Christopher Trigger, MD, FACEP; Jessica Tsao, MD, MSc; Philipp Underwood, MD; Julie Wassom (ACEP Section Administrative Coordinator); Libby Winton, MD

The meeting started at 7:00 p.m. (EST).

- Dr. Molloy presentation (7:00 p.m. to 7:52 p.m.)
 - Contact e-mail: mickmolloy@mac.com (personal); mick.molloy@ucd.ie (academic)
 - World Association for Disaster and Emergency Medicine (WADEM) 2023 in Dublin (April 23rd through April 27th, 2023)
- Old Business:
 - ACEP Sports Medicine Section Meeting Minutes from ACEP20 Approval
 - Council Meeting Report (Dr. Calvin Hwang and Dr. Dustin M. Harris)
 - Resolution 23: Board certification versus non-Board certification marketing; may strengthen the role/status of the CAQ-SM designation
 - Resolution 60: Establishes a task force for residencies to ensure training, education, etc.
 - Atraumatic Shoulder Pain Imaging Workgroup via the American College of Radiology (ACR)
 - Dr. Mathiasen is assisting with this endeavor, including a best practices article

- There may be a need for contributions regarding imaging indications of other body parts in the future; please contact Dr. Mathiasen if you are interested (remathia@unmc.edu).
 - Spine Injury Point-of-Care Tool
 - How do we want to disseminate these tools? MDCalc, a sideline emergencies app, another point-of care tools interface, ACEP app (point of care tools interface, sideline emergencies app, ACEP app (<https://www.acep.org/patient-care/point-of-care-tools/>)?)
 - Please send thoughts/feedback to Dr. Hogrefe (christopher-hogrefe@uiowa.edu).
 - ACEP21 Scientific Assembly Presentations/ACEP22 Scientific Assembly
 - Drs. Feden, Hogrefe, Mayer, and Waterbrook presented at the ACEP21 Scientific Assembly.
 - If you are interested in participating in the ACEP22 Scientific Assembly, please contact Dr. Hogrefe (christopher-hogrefe@uiowa.edu).
 - We will look to involve more from the research group at future ACEP Scientific Assemblies.
 - Consider entering the New Speaker Competition (i.e., Drop the Mic). Information can be found at: <https://www.acep.org/sa/education/drop-the-mic>
 - Keep in mind that proposals for the ACEP23 Scientific Assembly will be due shortly after the conclusion of ACEP22 (early-to-mid October of 2022); start formulating session ideas now.
- Guest Introductions and Thank Yous
 - Sandra Schneider, MD, FACEP (ACEP Section Liaison) and Ms. Julie Wassom (ACEP Section Administrative Coordinator) were introduced and thanked for their incredible contributions to the section.
 - Rami Khoury, MD was introduced as the ACEP Board of Directors Liaison to our section.
- Ongoing Business:
 - Cross Collaboration with Other Sections/Interest Groups
 - The topic of collaborating with the Event Medicine Section was again broached. A suggestion for finding a speaker of combined interest was presented; Dr. Jeffrey Feden will follow-up on that matter.
 - The Ultrasound Section was another area mentioned as ripe for crosstalk. They will be contacted to determine how we might be able to lend our musculoskeletal ultrasound prowess to their educational offerings.
 - Engagement/Involvement with the National Athletic Trainers' Association (NATA)
 - They have inquired about how to get athletic trainers more involved in emergency medicine/the emergency department.
 - There was a conversation about their role in musculoskeletal-based clinics and orthopaedic urgent cares as well.
 - A proposal was advanced to draft a joint policy statement outlining their goals and how we (as a section) can help them achieve those goals.

- Dr. Mathiasen will contact the NATA representatives to advance this topic.
 - If you are interested in contributing to this issue, please contact Dr. Hogrefe (christopher-hogrefe@uiowa.edu) or Dr. Mathiasen (remathia@unmc.edu)
 - Sports Medicine Mentorship/Engagement
 - There was a discussion about where e-mails from interested individuals who reach out through the ACEP website should be directed.
 - One proposal suggested dividing up the e-mails by geographic regions and assigning them to interested faculty.
 - Ultimately, it was determined that the section secretary would receive the e-mails and maintain a list of faculty who are willing to engage these individuals. The requests for mentorship/engagement would then be forwarded to those faculty members accordingly.
- New Business
 - Sports Medicine Section Dues Fund Status
 - This fund does not roll over; the current balance is unclear but will be assessed by Dr. Schneider.
 - We can utilize the funds on a project or to augment a meeting. There was a discussion regarding whether it could be used to fund a guest speaker and/or food at section meetings. This too will be investigated by Dr. Schneider for further clarity.
 - Section grants were also referenced as an avenue for securing additional funding to be used for apps (e.g., a point-of-care tool app), programs, etc. At this time, it appears that section grant funding has been paused; however, the section leadership will investigate this matter further and determine when such grants may become available again.
 - Of note, the fiscal year concludes in July; we must allocate our funds by then.
 - Parent Education Courses
 - The idea of conducting community events annually at the ACEP Scientific Assembly to teach basic skills to parents attending sporting events was raised.
 - A similar concept for physician parents was proposed.
 - The section leadership will clarify the status of section grants as an avenue to help fund such endeavors.
 - Future ACEP Sports Medicine Annual Section Meetings
 - It was suggested that the annual section meeting be conducted via a hybrid model (i.e., both in-person and virtual) to optimize attendance and participation.
 - Additional Virtual Meetings
 - We will look to host virtual meetings in mid-winter and early summer to continue the momentum of the group.
 - Offline modalities (e.g., text messaging, Slack, etc.) will be explored as other ways to optimize our productivity.

The meeting was concluded at 9:01 p.m.