# Research Audiologist Information & Support Network

## RAISN E-Newsletter

## November 2020

As we approach 2021, it's time to introduce our newly elected RAISN committee coordinators. These coordinators will head up committees that organize all the RAISN initiatives. Please read on for a brief description of each committee and let us know at raisnmail@gmail.com if you're interested in serving.



#### **Internal Coordinator:**

Judy Kopun is a Research Audiologist in the Auditory Signal Processing and the Communication Engineering Labs and serves as the Coordinator of Recruitment and Quality Assurance in the Human Subjects Core at Boys Town National Research Hospital. As the Internal Coordinator of RAISN, Judy will be responsible for coordinating and leading the monthly RAISN meeting which occurs the third Monday of every month. The next meeting will be November 19<sup>th</sup> at 12 PM CST. Please email us if you are interested in attending.



### **External Coordinator:**

Merry Spratford is a Senior Research Audiologist in the Audibility, Perception and Cognition Lab at Boys Town National Research Hospital. As the External coordinator Merry will advocate for representation of research audiology within national organizations, seek out relevant continuing education opportunities, and monitor RAISN outreach programs to ensure they effectively accomplish our goals.



#### **Academic Outreach Coordinator:**

Maggie Miller is a Senior Research Audiologist in the Human Auditory Development Lab at Boys Town National Research Hospital. As the coordinator of the academic outreach committee, Maggie is responsible for fielding academic Q&A panel requests from Au.D. graduate programs or student audiology organizations and coordinating presentations and panelists. If you are interested in hosting a panel, please email us with your name and institution, and we will send you a survey to get an idea of how we can best serve you.



#### **Summer O&A Coordinator:**

Sara Fultz is a Research Audiologist in the Auditory Signal Processing Lab. As the coordinator of the Q&A committee Sara will organize panels for our summer Q&A series with current T-35 students and anyone else interested in learning more about the benefits of having a research audiologist in your lab, students wanting to learn more about getting the different routes you can take in audiology (Au.D., Ph.D., Au.D./Ph.D.). We will send out more information in summer 2021.





Sarah Al-Salim is a Research Audiologist in the Translational Auditory Physiology and Perception Lab and in the Clinical Measurement Program at Boys Town National Research Hospital. Jessie Patterson is a Senior Audiology Research Associate Au.D./Ph.D. working both clinically and in the Vestibular and Balance Research Laboratory at Boys Town National Research Hospital. As co-coordinators of the annual webinar, Sarah and Jessie will lead this committee to choose a topic and coordinate speakers for the annual webinar. Previous webinars have addressed topics such as research subject recruitment and retention and bridging the research-to-practice

gap. If you are interested on serving on this committee, please email us.



Social Media Coordinator: Devon Kulinski is a Research Audiologist at the Walter Reed National Military Medical Center. Devon is responsible for generating the content of the monthly newsletter and distributing the newsletter to the larger RAISN group. Sarah Al-Salim also serves on this committee and is responsible for all of our Facebook content, including job postings and general RAISN promotional posts. If you have anything you would like included in the monthly newsletter or posted on the RAISN facebook page, please contact us via email at raisnmail@gmail.com

## **Collaboration Corner**



## ARO SEMINAR SERIES

This month we would like to promote the <u>ARO Seminar Series</u>. These webinar sessions are free to attend and are recorded for later viewing. Closed captioning is available during the live and recorded sessions. The webinar sessions will rotate dates and times to be inclusive of all time zones. Please contact <u>headquarters@aro.org</u> with any questions.

This months seminar: Dr. Jennifer Stone- 'Regeneration of Hair Cells After Damage: A Historical Perspective and an Update on Mammals'

## **RSVP Today!**

## **AAS Mentoring Conference**

### Organized by students and post-docs of AAS (spAAS)

Presented: Friday, October 23, 2020

The AAS Mentoring Conference, organized by students and post-docs of AAS (spAAS), was held on Friday, October 23. The goal of the seminar was to discuss and share ideas regarding areas of mentorship that were identified in a recent survey to students and post-doctoral members.

Overview talks by current AAS President, Sumit Dhar and Student Mentoring Chair, Lisa Hunter were followed by team-led breakout rooms.

#### Click here to watch the recording!

### **Promoting Podcasts**

#### The Juice and the Squeeze

About the show: "We (Julia & Jonathan) happen to be academics and also happen to be psychologists studying speech perception. We want to make awesome science, make science awesome, and share what we've learned with a broad audience. In The Juice and the Squeeze, we peel apart issues in our careers and beyond (e.g., prioritizing, imposter syndrome, motivation, and more).

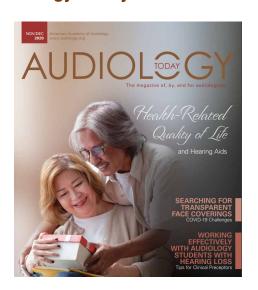


## Newsletters

## **Hearing Health Magazine - Fall 2020**



## <u>Audiology Today - Nov/Dec 2020</u>



\*Tinnitus Today - Summer 2020



\*The Hearing Review - Sept 2020



\*still latest issue

## **Current Position Openings**

<u>UT Southwestern, Research Audiologist</u>

Dallas, TX

Apple, Research Audiologist Cupertino, CA

Madigan Army Medical Center, Research Audiologist Tacoma, WA

Massachusetts Eye and Ear, Clinical Research Audiologist Boston, MA

BTNRH, Post-doc Omaha, NE

NIDCD, Research Audiologist Montgomery County, MD

Starkey, Manager of Clinical Research Eden Prairie, MN

**University of Manchester, PhD Studentship** 

Manchester, UK

## **Call for Papers**

American Academic of Audiology (AAA): Deadline: November 9, 2020

<u>American Auditory Association (AAS)</u>: Deadline: November 15, 2020

Thank you for being a part of this community. The purpose of RAISN is to serve as a network to support and promote audiologists, scientists, and doctoral students in the field of research.

Questions/Comments are always welcome! Please do not hesitate to contact us.

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