



Specialty Advising: Integrated Interventional Radiology (IR)

Overview: The Interventional Radiology- Integrated Residency strives to provide an excellent, well-rounded educational experience in imaging, image guided therapy, radiological science, and radiological research for medical students and residents. The Interventional Radiology residency exposes residents to a wide variety of high-volume interventional vascular procedures while allowing them to develop strong foundational skills for excellent patient care. Choosing electives/selectives that remedy any self-identified knowledge gaps is recommended. [OPDA Guide for Diagnostic Radiology](#).

Any student applying for radiology is required to complete RADI 4001 and will receive a LOR based on your performance during the rotation.

Suggested Selectives/Sub-Internships:

- **RADI 4001-** General Diagnostic Radiology (Clinical) (***Required for Radiology applicants**)
- RADI 4006- Pediatric Radiology (Clinical)
- RADI 4020- Mammography (Clinical)
- RADI 7000- Off Campus (Clinical)
- RADI 4000- Special Topic

Suggested Electives:

- Any electives in the following departments
 - Medicine
 - Family Medicine
 - Surgery
 - Pediatrics

Curriculum Elective Requirements for UME

Away Rotations:

They are not required, but strongly encouraged. It may be useful to seek an away rotation if you have an interest in a certain program or location.

USMLE Step 2:

Step 2 needs to be completed/scored by the time applications are submitted. Programs will want to review your score before offering interviews. Interviews are typically offered September through January.

Radiology Bound Counseling:

The Department of Radiology offers individual career/application guidance to all students potentially interested in the specialty. An email will be sent to all students in the winter inviting them to a group session. After the group session, students will be scheduled to meet individually with Dr. Kroma (Professor, Program Director for Interventional Radiology Residency).

LSOM Specialty/Career Advisors:

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