

SAVE THE DATE!

May 21

Spring Conference “Driving Value through Health Information Technology”

8am-4:30pm - [REGISTER](#)
Rice-Eccles Stadium

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PRESIDENTS MESSAGE – JULIE BEARD

What a fun and informative Innovation Technology Day that UHIMSS sponsored on April 15 with great attendance by our membership. We would like to extend a thank you to Intermountain Healthcare who hosted the event at their beautiful Doty Family Education Center Auditorium. Our thanks to Fred Holston, Chief Technology Officer at Intermountain Healthcare who provided a tour of the Intermountain Healthcare Transformation Lab, answering many questions with an enlightening description of the approach and exciting new projects being worked on in conjunction with partners, such as Sotera Wireless to transform healthcare. Fred described wireless mobile technology sensors worn by a person that enables continuous monitoring of vitals and blood pressure, with future potential for other areas such as glucose for diabetics.

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We enjoyed the privilege of hearing from two Utah based companies, Privasent and Orca Health. Kathleen Harris, VP and Cofounder of Privasent, described Privasent’s ability to provide 100% accurate, unique and interoperable identification of an individual by utilizing the biometric vein pattern of their hand or foot combined with smart card technology and cloud security. This new technology has been successfully Beta tested at Saint Peters University Hospital in New Brunswick, NJ. Matt Berry, Founder and CEO of Orca Health, in partnership with Harvard Medical School, illustrated their multisensory mobile healthcare applications visual 3D video representation of potential procedures and an easy to understand dash board risk assessment of various options, enabling physicians to improve the patient

experience and helping patients to make more informed decisions. The Orca Health patient education mobile apps are rapidly being recognized worldwide by providers. If you were unable to attend, please refer to the UHIMSS website Past Events tab for information and slides from prior events.

We are super excited about the UHIMSS and Utah Healthcare Executive (ACHE) first ever cosponsored May 21 Spring Conference “Driving Value through Health Information Technology” event that will be held at the wonderful Rice Eccles Stadium Tower Room. Parking will be free. Our sponsors have contributed some very fun raffle prizes to be given away, to include two 24” TV/monitors at the end of the conference. To participate, attendees will need to have a completed sponsor bingo card and be present to win. Make sure to reserve time on your calendars and benefit from attending this event. (cont. page 2)

I would like to extend a special thank you to our 2014-2015 Premier Sponsors: University of Utah Health Care Information Technology Services and Utah Health Information Network (UHIN) for their continued support and our two new Premier sponsors Information Builders and ViaWest. In addition, we are very appreciative of our 2014 Spring Conference sponsors: 3M, Delta healthcare consulting group, First Digital, ISC, LANDESK, Novarad, Orca Health, Privasent, ROI Solutions, Sagemcom, Security Metrics, Sotera Wireless, TEKsystems, ViaWest, and Vigilanz.

I extend a warm welcome to our new members and continue to encourage you to enjoy the benefits of becoming involved in one of the committees. Please watch for and respond to the UHIMSS survey that we will be providing in early May, so that we can plan appropriately for programs and events that are of interest and benefit to you at our Board retreat in June. I am grateful for the opportunity to continue to serve as your President with such an amazing Board. Thank you for all you do to make a difference in healthcare. As always, I welcome your feedback at jgbeard1@gmail.com.

2014-2015 BOARD VOTE

Please submit your vote on the UHIMSS website for new 2014-2015 potential Board members by May 9.

UPCOMING EVENTS

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Cohosted by Utah Health Executives and UHIMSS from 8:00 – 4:30 PM at the beautiful Rice-Eccles Stadium, Tower Room 6th floor. The Continental Breakfast, Networking and Vendor Fair will begin at 8:00 AM. The Spring Conference Agenda is now available on the UHIMSS web site. It is packed with outstanding speakers and will provide an excellent opportunity to network and learn about some of the exciting technology from our vendor sponsors. Dr. Greg Bell, President of the Utah Hospital Association and prior Lieutenant Governor and Senator of Utah will be our keynote speaker along with special guest speakers Kent Gale, Founder and Chairman of KLAS Enterprises, LLC, David Muntz, former Principle Deputy of ONC and Rich McKeown, President and CEO of Leavitt Partners, former Chief of Staff US Dept. of Health and Human Services. In addition, we have an incredible panel on HIT Adoption with HIT experienced CMIO physicians representing our community and another panel with national and local industry experts on HIPAA security.

NEW UHIMSS MEMBERS!

We want to extend warm welcome to our newest UHIMSS members:

Kevin Cadwell, Vice President - Sales, Krames Staywell LLC, Salt Lake City, UT

Eileen Cianciolo, Sr. Vice President - Product Management, Krames Staywell LLC, Salt Lake City, UT

Tim Costantino, Director of Product Development, Krames Staywell LLC, Salt Lake City, UT

John George, Chief Growth Officer, Krames Staywell LLC, Salt Lake City, UT

Rick Jennings, Chief Technology Officer, Krames Staywell LLC, Salt Lake City, UT

Susan Lewis, EVP Chief Product & Strategy Officer, Krames Staywell LLC, Salt Lake City, UT

Julia McAllister, Vice President - Sales, Krames Staywell LLC, Salt Lake City, UT

Heber Allen, SM - Relationship Management, Intermountain Healthcare, Salt Lake City, UT

Risa Peterson, Interface Specialist, Central Utah Clinic, Provo, UT

Lauren Stiles, Applications Analyst, Central Utah Clinic, Provo, UT

Joni Pierce, Manager - Product Marketing, 3M Health Information Systems, Salt Lake City, UT