The University of Toronto, Medical Imaging Visiting Professor Program 2015 is pleased to announce that Dr. Hugh Curtin (Chair of Radiology at the Massachusetts Eye and Ear Infirmary and Professor of Radiology at the Harvard Medical School) will be visiting the Department on June 25, 2015.

Hugh D. Curtin, MD, FACR is a radiologist specializing in imaging of the head, neck and skull base. He is Chair of Radiology at the Massachusetts Eye and Ear Infirmary and Professor of Radiology at the Harvard Medical School. Born and raised in Canton, New York, he attended St. Michael’s College at the University of Toronto. He graduated from Upstate Medical University in Syracuse and did a radiology residency at the University of Pittsburgh. After a year at the Ostra Sjukhuset in Goteborg, Sweden learning pediatric radiology and angiography, he returned to Pittsburgh. Dr. Bertram Girdany, the Chair of Radiology at the University of Pittsburgh, asked Dr. Curtin to oversee the new radiology department at the Pittsburgh Eye and Ear Hospital on an interim basis. In preparation, Dr. Curtin went to study at the Foundation Ophtalmologique Adolphe de Rothschild in Paris with Dr. Jacqueline Vignaud, one of world’s leaders in temporal bone imaging. Dr. Curtin moved to Boston in 1995 to become Chair of Radiology at the Massachusetts Eye and Ear Infirmary.

Dr. Curtin has served on the editorial boards of several journals including Radiology, the American Journal of Neuroradiology (AJNR) and Skull Base. He was the first Head and Neck Editor for the AJNR. He has authored or coauthored over 200 peer reviewed papers and numerous chapters. He has lectured extensively nationally and internationally. Much of his effort has focused on publication of the textbook Head and Neck Imaging with Dr. Peter Som. The fifth edition has recently been published. Dr. Curtin was awarded the Gold Medal of the American Society of Head and Neck Radiology (ASHNR) and the Presidential Citation of the American Academy of Otolaryngology- Head and Neck Surgery. He has served as President of the ASHNR as well as the North American Skull Base Society. Dr. Curtin is particularly proud of having received the teacher of the year award from the Massachusetts General Hospital radiology residents and also the teaching award from the Otolaryngology residents of Harvard Medical School. He was recently honored as “Distinguished Alumnus” by Upstate Medical University.