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I am an Associate Professor of Radiation Oncology at Washington University in St. Louis and chief of the Stereotactic Body Radiation Therapy (SBRT) service.

My overarching research interests include optimizing dosing and delivery of radiotherapy with or without the addition of biologic modifiers for purposes of tumor control and normal tissue protection. I have written and opened several institutional prospective trials through the Siteman Cancer Center with topics ranging from neuroprotection after cranial radiotherapy, hypofractionated proton radiotherapy for locally-advanced non-small cell lung cancer, and MRI-guided stereotactic radiotherapy for ovarian cancer.

Additionally, I am a co-chair on several large scale cooperative group trials exploring the use of SBRT in oligometastatic cancer and the use of hippocampal avoidance whole brain radiation. More recently, I have collaborated with Dr. Phillip Cuculich in the Division of Cardiology to explore the use of SBRT for treatment of ventricular tachycardia, and have initiated development of a phase I protocol on the same topic. I am excited to bring my experience in advanced radiotherapy delivery and clinical trial design within the CBAC, and more importantly, to learn from the wealth of experience within the consortium.