# Advanced Training in Cardio-Oncology - Washington University School of Medicine in St. Louis

## St. Louis, Missouri

### DESCRIPTION

**Program Description:** This is a one-year program designed to provide comprehensive exposure to all aspects of inpatient and outpatient cardio-oncology and cardiac amyloidosis.  Training in prevention, screening, and management of cardiotoxicity in patients with cancer as well as diagnosis and treatment of cardiac amyloidosis will be provided. Attendance in outpatient cardio-oncology clinic is expected throughout the year. Additionally, six months will be spent on the inpatient consult service (approximately one half day on weekdays, no weekends).  The remaining 6 months are structured based on the applicant’s interests; this can include further training in heart failure, radiation oncology, imaging (i.e. advanced echocardiography, CT, MRI, PET), medical education, or instruction in research or grantsmanship (i.e. classes from Masters programs in clinical investigation, population health sciences, bio-informatics, etc.).   Participation in a clinical or basic science research project in either cardio-oncology or amyloidosis is required as part of the fellowship.   Previous fellows have also had the chance to be involved in review articles and textbook chapters, if interested. Washington University is uniquely situated to provide enhanced and comprehensive training given the integration of its premier Cardiology division and the Siteman Cancer Center, a national leader in cancer care.  Ongoing and pending clinical trials include early identification and treatment of cardiotoxicity as well as novel therapeutics for cardiac amyloidosis. Teaching faculty are composed of experienced cardio-oncologists nationally recognized in their field.  One candidate is accepted annually.  Applications are due by December 1, 2019 with training to start July 1, 2020.

**Location:** Washington University School of Medicine in Affiliation with the Barnes-Jewish Hospital and Siteman Cancer Center

**Faculty**: Daniel J. Lenihan MD, Ronald Krone, MD, Joshua D. Mitchell, MD, Kathleen W. Zhang, MD

**Duration:** 1 year (July 1, 2020 to June 30, 2021)

**Eligibility:** Completion of a 3 year ACGME accredited cardiology fellowship preferred.  (Other applicants will be considered on a case by case basis). Must possess (or be eligible to apply for) a Missouri State medical license.

**Application Deadline**: December 1, 2019

**Application Requirements**: CV, Personal statement, and 3 letters of recommendation to include cardiology fellowship director or appropriate substitute (substitute should be approved prior to submission)

**Program Coordinator:**

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