“Fetal Imaging: From the Titanic to Tom Cruise”

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Refreshments will be served at 11:45 AM

Biography: Dr. Graham is the Founding Chairman of Radiology in the Herbert Wertheim College Medicine, coming to FIU from Beth Israel Deaconess Hospital/Harvard Medical School in Boston. Dr. Graham qualified in medicine at the University of Edinburgh in the United Kingdom and also received an MBA from Edinburgh Business School. He then completed residency training in Radiology and Obstetrics-Gynecology at Johns Hopkins Hospital in Baltimore and McMaster University in Ontario, Canada and subsequently completed a Fellowship in Maternal Fetal Medicine at the University of Rochester. Given his joint training, Fetal Imaging/OB-GYN Ultrasound has become Dr. Graham’s primary clinical interest and he has worked in this area for 30 years. Following residency and fellowship training Dr. Graham has held faculty positions in Obstetrics-Gynecology and Radiology at several major institutions. At each he has received teaching awards from resident staff.

Seminar topic: The capability of fetal ultrasound has advanced dramatically in the 50 years since Ian Donald first used it clinically in Scotland and it is now difficult to imagine Obstetrics-Gynecology practice without its ready availability. This seminar will discuss not only the history of fetal imaging from the early days in Scotland to its current widespread use but also the current status of fetal imaging with ultrasound and MRI from the first trimester to birth. The role of these modalities in fetal interventional procedures prior to delivery will also be discussed.