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## Welcoming Neuroradiologist Tyler Gasser, MD

Scottsdale Medical Imaging (SMIL) welcomed Tyler Gasser, MD, to its staff in July. Gasser is a neuroradiologist specializing in brain and cranial imaging. Born in Delta, Utah, a small farming community, Gasser attended the University of Utah, where he met his wife, Andrea, who was studying physical therapy. After graduation, they moved to Winston-Salem, N.C., where they started their family and Gasser earned his Doctor of Medicine at Wake Forest University School of Medicine.

He completed his internship through the University of Washington School of Medicine's Boise Track Transitional Program at the Veterans Affairs Medical Center in Boise, Idaho. He then returned to Wake Forest to complete his radiology residency and fellowship training in neuroradiology earlier this year.

He says he was attracted to SMIL because of the highly regarded radiologists on staff, and after meeting them, he was drawn to the collaboration of the group and appreciated the cooperation and respect they have for each other.

"I liked the fact that I could be in a practice where I could focus on the area of my fellowship training in neuroradiology, which is what I enjoy doing most," Gasser says. "And the area is just a wonderful place to live. We were very impressed when we came for our interview, and we're enjoying it very much so far."

In terms of radiology, Gasser says temporal bone pathology and anatomy, inner ear, and the cranial nerve pose some of the most interesting imaging problems.

"It is a very challenging and intricate anatomy," he says. "It poses a challenge and offers a broad breadth of pathology and interesting cases almost every day."

The Gassers apparently thrive on challenge as they decided to move from North Carolina to Scottsdale in the middle of summer, and they did it with five kids—two boys and three girls, ages 10, 8, 6, 4 and 2, and another on the way, a baby girl who arrived before they were unpacked.