

Vikas Gulani received his B.S. in Chemical Engineering at UCLA. He then moved to the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, completing his Ph.D. in Physiology under Prof. Paul C. Lauterbur, the winner of the 2003 Nobel Prize for Medicine or Physiology. After his MD and internship in Internal Medicine also at Illinois, he completed a Diagnostic Radiology residency and fellowship in Body MRI at the University of Michigan. During his third year of residency, he was at the University of Würzburg in Germany, working as a research post-doctoral fellow in the Department of Physics. He has been in the Department of Radiology at Case Western Reserve University since 2006 and is currently an Associate Professor and the Director of MRI for the University Hospitals system in Cleveland. He also holds appointments in the Case Comprehensive Cancer Center, Biomedical Engineering, and Urology.

Vikas considers himself fortunate that he can make a living looking at pictures. His research is focused on MRI technology development and application. He is interested in the breadth of medical imaging, particularly MRI, and his research interests have included diffusion and perfusion MR, relaxometry, MRI sequence development, MR microscopy, fMRI, MR angiography, and clinical body MRI. Presently he spends some of his time in the clinical realm, some in the lab, and most of it lost between the two.