Committee Charges:

1. Sustain JNMT’s high-quality content and support the activities of the JNMT editor for continuous journal development.
2. Support Uptake’s Editorial Board and the continuous high quality of the section’s newsletter.
3. Preserve the section’s active and proactive book program.
4. Ensure the committee’s goals and objectives continuously support the overall TS strategic plan.

Progress of Charge/Objectives/Goals to Date:

JNMT

- **JNMT statistics:** JNMT remains in good health.
  - Submissions in CY 2015 stayed level at 94.
  - In CY 2015, 63% of submissions were accepted—down from 66% in CY 2014. This is a positive indicator.
  - Turnaround from submission to print is 204 days; turnaround from submission to online publication is level at 95 days.
  - The average page count for 2015 YTD is down, at 87.
- **Opt in:** As of January 13, 2,450 members have opted in for print, an increase from the end of FY2015, when 2,229 members had opted in.
- **Financial health:** FY2015 revenue for JNMT as a whole came in above budget. Subscriptions revenue (including royalties) for FY2016 are slightly higher than the same time last year, at about 48% of our targeted budget.
- Norman Bolus’s term has been extended through December 31, 2017.

Uptake

- **Uptake** is doing very well on the editorial side. Recently there has been some turnover on the editorial board, so the committee will bring a resolution to the Executive Board at the Midwinter Meeting about new appointments.
- Members must opt in to receive the printed newsletter. As of January 13, 1,403 members have opted in, which again is up from the end of FY2015.
- Uptake had no budget this year for advertising revenue, but one advertisement has been sold for the May/June 2016 issue for $3,500—so we are $3,500 ahead of budget.
• The Publications Committee will bring a resolution to the Executive Board recommending that SNMMI-TS print only the Annual Meeting (May/June) issue of Uptake, and only for inclusion in the registration bags.

Books

• Book sales are looking good. For FY2015, sales were on target. For the first quarter of FY2016, unit sales were 28% above budget, and revenue was 16% above budget.

• Five additional books are in development:
  – The first of SNMMI-TS’s new mini-book series (series task force led by Mary Beth Farrell), **Myocardial Perfusion Imaging 2015: Quality, Safety and Dose Optimization** (editors: Perry and Thomas; contributors including Basso, Bolus, Chen, Cooke, Farrell, Folks, Foster, Galt, Holbrook, Malhotra, Mann, Mantel, Pagnanelli, Reames, Tauxe, Williams and Zimmerman), is in production and may be completed by the Midwinter Meeting.
  – The second book in the mini-book series will cover the topic of **Abdominal Imaging**; the task force will be led by Norman Bolus and Joyce Zimmerman. Release is planned for the second half of 2016.
  – A **Brain Imaging Primer** (author group led Liz Hackett) is in development.
  – A third edition of **Nuclear Cardiac Imaging** is in development, with a March 2016 target for manuscript delivery.