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Intellectual Property: HHS Reference No. E-106-2015/0-US-01-US Provisional Application No. 62/135,442 filed March 19, 2015.

Related Technologies:

- HHS Reference No. E-080-2008/0-US-03-US Patent Application No. 12/934,214 filed September 23, 2010.
- HHS Reference No. E-291-2012/0-PCT-02-PCT Application No. PCT/US2013/060332 filed September 18, 2013.

Licensing Contact: David A. Lambertson, Ph.D.; 301-435-4632; lambertsond@mail.nih.gov.

Magnetic Resonance Magnification Imaging

Description of Technology: With conventional MRI, it is inherently time-consuming to generate high dimensional images with high spatial resolution. This invention, inspired by optical magnification, uses a fundamentally different approach to MRI image formation. It uses specially designed radiofrequency pulses to interact with the magnetic field gradient, wherein the region of interest is filled with more pixels resulting in increased spatial resolution and reduced overall scan times for patients at the region of interest. Currently, 3-fold magnification has been achieved *in vivo*. This invention allows the magnification of predefined regions of interest and improved diagnostic images for the same scan time.

Potential Commercial Applications:

- Diagnostic imaging.
- Environmental Sampling/Testing.
- Quality Control/Quality Assurance.

Competitive Advantages:

- Magnified image with increased image resolution.
- A 3-fold increase in spatial resolution *in vivo* in comparison to traditional MRI scans.
- Reduced scan time.
- Patient friendly—with reduced scan time, there is less patient discomfort especially for those who experience claustrophobia.

Development Stage:

- Early-stage.
- *In vivo* data available (animal).

Inventor: Jun Shen (NIMH).

Intellectual Property: HHS Reference No. E-252-2014/0-US Provisional Application No. 62/059,520 filed October 3, 2014.

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Collaborative Research Opportunity: The National Institute of Mental Health is seeking statements of capability or

interest from parties interested in collaborative research to further develop, evaluate or commercialize Magnetic Resonance Magnification Imaging. For collaboration opportunities, please contact Jun Shen at shenj@mail.nih.gov or 301-451-3408.

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Richard U. Rodriguez,

Acting Director, Office of Technology Transfer, National Institutes of Health.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

National Institutes of Health

Center for Scientific Review; Notice of Closed Meeting

Pursuant to section 10(d) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, as amended (5 U.S.C. App.), notice is hereby given of the following meeting.

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Name of Committee: Center for Scientific Review Special Emphasis Panel Clinical Trial Planning Grant for Interventions and Services to Improve Treatment and Prevention of HIV/AIDS.

Date: August 3, 2015.

Time: 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Agenda: To review and evaluate grant applications.

Place: National Institutes of Health, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Bethesda, MD 20892, (Telephone Conference Call).

Contact Person: Jose H Guerrier, Ph.D., Scientific Review Officer, Center for Scientific Review, National Institutes of Health, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 5218, MSC 7852, Bethesda, MD 20892, 301-435-1137, guerriej@csr.nih.gov.

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Name of Committee: National Library of Medicine Special Emphasis Panel; UG4—Regional Medical Library Grants.

Date: October 16, 2015.

Time: 12:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Agenda: To review and evaluate grant applications.

Place: National Library of Medicine, 6705 Rockledge Drive, Suite 301, Bethesda, MD 20817 (Telephone Conference Call).

Contact Person: Zoe E. Huang, MD, Scientific Review Officer, Extramural Programs, National Library of Medicine, NIH, 6705 Rockledge Drive, Suite 301, Bethesda, MD 20892-7968, 301-594-4937, huangz@mail.nih.gov.

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