



# The Clinical TMS Society

## Education Committee Meeting Minutes

September 18, 2025 @ 6pm ET / 5pm CT / 4pm MT / 3pm PT (US)

7pm (Brazil)

Friday, September 19, 2025 @ 8am AEST (Australia)

*"Members are reminded to disclose any changes in Conflict of Interest (COI) information since the most recent disclosure and follow all COI policies."*

### Education Committee Roll Call | Attended ☒ | Did Not Attend ☐

|                   |                                             |                                     |                   |                                          |                                     |
|-------------------|---------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------|------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Co-Chair          | Steve Harvey, MD                            | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Co-Chair          | Sabrina Segal, PhD                       | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| Member            | Ibrahim Alsherief                           | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Member/VP         | Tracy Barbour, MD                        | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| Member            | Michelle Bernabe, RN                        | <input type="checkbox"/>            | Member            | Adam Chan, MD                            | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| Member            | Rachel Goldberg, MD                         | <input type="checkbox"/>            | Member            | Ken Goolsby, MD                          | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| Member            | Marc Gunderson, MD                          | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Member            | Samir Ibrahim, OAM, MBCHB, MPsy, FRANZCP | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| Member            | Izio Klein, MD                              | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Member            | Carlos Lowell, DO                        | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| Member            | Fidel Vila-Rodriguez, MD, PhD, DFAPA, FRCPC | <input type="checkbox"/>            |                   |                                          | <input type="checkbox"/>            |
| Non-Voting Member | Linda Carpenter, MD                         | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Non-Voting Member | Mehmet Dokucu, MD, DFAPA, PhD            | <input type="checkbox"/>            |
| President         | Joshua Brown, MD, PhD                       | <input type="checkbox"/>            |                   |                                          |                                     |

### Guests & Staff

Guest: None

Staff: Jessi Maurer

#### I. Dr. Segal called the meeting to order at 6:02pm (ET)

#### II. Review August 21, 2025 meeting minutes

*There was a motion to approve the August meeting minutes, Seconded, Approved.*

#### III. Unfinished Business:

- No unfinished business

#### IV. New Business

- No new business

#### V. Task Force and Sub-Committee Updates

- **Slide deck for Basic Brain Networks Task Force**
  - Progress on the draft slide deck continues.
  - Deadline for draft pushed to November meeting due to workload.

- **Slide Deck for TMS Treeters Task Force**
  - Progress on the draft slide deck continues.
  - Agreed to adopt the term “TMS treeter” instead of “technician” to be more inclusive internationally.
  - Consideration of global definitions of “treeter” to help define the audience (e.g., nurses, psychologists, nurse practitioners.)
  - Finalizing the outline and assigning sections to each person.
- **Grand Rounds Sub-Committee**
  - October Grand Rounds is confirmed.
  - The November slot is currently open, as Dan Blumberger has withdrawn until he has more data to present.
  - Attempted to move December’s speaker, Alex McGirr, to the November slot but received no response. It is therefore likely there will be no Grand Rounds in November.
  - New speaker/topic ideas:
    1. Linda Carpenter volunteered to present on a new neuromodulation device on May 5, 2026.
    2. Coil angle in TMS paper by Andris Cerins.  
<https://pubmed.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/38729243/>
- **Action Item-** Tracy Barbour to contact Leo Chen about inviting Andris Cerins to present on coil angle in TMS paper. Will report back to Steve Harvey.
- **Slide deck translation Task Force**
  - Identified three short introductory public-facing videos for Spanish translation either as text translations or voiceovers.
  - Plan to start with small-scale translations and expand later.
  - Confirmed intention to translate the two new slide decks once completed.
- **Action Item-** Steve Harvey to contact Dr. Alvarez regarding Spanish translations.
- **Slide deck for MA/PhD level therapists**
  - Discussion deferred, currently on hold.
- **Psychiatry resident survey**
  - The IRB was submitted and waiting on approval.
- **AADPRT partnership**
  - The AADPRT website is being updated, and the CTMSS link will be added once the improvements are complete.

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### VI. Updates from all over

- **Membership & Outreach Committee Update**

- Efforts are underway to improve the Society's digital presence.
- International outreach:
  1. Booth planned for Spanish TMS conference.
  2. Booth secured for Neuromodulation Conference in New Zealand and materials in preparation.

- **Annual Meeting**

- Planning is ongoing for symposium topics.
- Call for symposium and poster abstracts will go out soon.

- **PULSES Update**

- Registration for PULSES Providence is full at 80 participants.
- PULSES Singapore will take place in March 2026 with consideration to incorporate Pain Academy.
- PULSES Boston will take place in June 2026.

### VII. Adjourn Meeting at 6:36pm (ET)

VIII. **Next Zoom Meeting:** Thursday October 16, 2025 @ 6pm ET / 5pm CT / 4pm MT / 3pm PT / 7pm Brazil and Friday, October 17, 2025 @ 9am AEDT