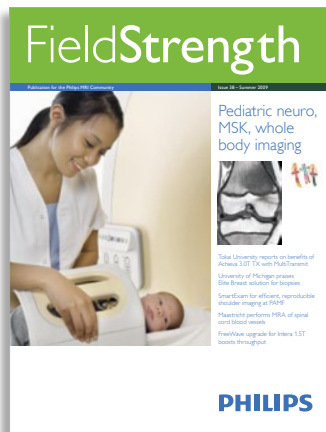


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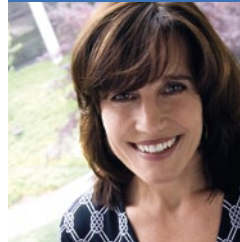
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Dear Friends,

The highlight at this year's ISMRM was Philips MultiTransmit, introduced at last year's RSNA. Several papers provided excellent clinical evidence of the value of this clever technology. And even the competition mentioned that MultiTransmit is the future of 3.0T imaging.

The Philips lunch symposium was a great success, with high attendance and a fascinating presentation by Winfried Willinek, MD, demonstrating the clinical benefits of Achieva 3.0T TX with MultiTransmit: improved image homogeneity and consistency, better contrast and shorter scan times.

This issue of FieldStrength features a report on Achieva 3.0T TX from Tokai University in Japan. It also focuses on pediatric MR imaging, with articles describing different approaches and techniques required for MRI of pediatric patients.

I hope you enjoy reading this issue of FieldStrength!

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