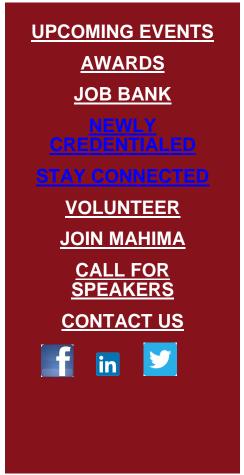
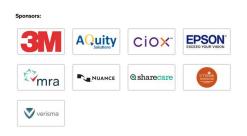




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JULY 2021- PRESIDENT LETTER

To My Fellow Health Information Professionals,

Wow, what a year! While COVID disrupted everyone and everything, I do feel that MaHIMA had an extremely successful year. The following are a few of the highlights:

• Successful transition from in-person meetings to virtual meetings and educational offerings resulting in increased attendance and higher revenues. Read more....

Scott Eischen, MPH, RHIA, CHC, CCS, CPC, CRC President, MaHIMA 2020-2021

JOIN A MAHIMA COMMITTEE TODAY! CONTRIBUTE TO OUR SUCCESS

We have many opportunities to be involved with MaHIMA. Give a little get a lot! Many of the committees meet once a quarter or monthly via zoom call. Sign up today here!

FINANCE REPORT – THIRD QUARTER YEAR TO DATE (JULY – MARCH 2021)

Income for the first nine months of our fiscal year totaled \$73.088.82 with expenses of \$66,966.95. Sixty-four (64) % of our income for this period was generated from our educational meetings. Additionally, thirty-four (32) % of our income came from AHIMA member rebates. Read more...

Submitted by Linda A. Hyde, RHIA Finance Committee Chair

MAHIMA MOVES TO A NEW AMS/LMS!

MaHIMA has been working over the last few months to move to a new association management system (AMS) that includes a learning management system (LMS). Functionality of the new system includes:

• Allowing members to interact more effectively with one another in organized communities and "circles".



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Submitted by Elisa Pelchat, Administrative Director, MaHIMA

MAHIMA LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE UPDATE

Ann Dooley, outgoing Director of Legislative Committee with the assistance of Bibi Von Malder, Past President of MaHIMA launched the Privacy Matters Forums in the Fall of 2020. They held a total of 4 Forums throughout the year: September 2020; December 2020; March 2021 and May 2021 which awarded 1 CEU for the attendance and discussion. Read more...

Submitted by Ann Dooley, RHIA Director of Legislative

MAHIMA AWARDS

This May, the Awards Committee presented three MaHIMA teams with the following 2021 HIM Innovation & Collaboration Awards. Congratulations to our peers for such great Achievements! The Awards committee is an exciting committee to be a part of. Please consider joining!

HIM Team Excellence Award - 2021 Best Practice was awarded to Emerson Hospital Clerical Team. This team was made up of the following: Amy Bowman, Scott Woodman, Deirdre Joyce, Erynn Holmes, Julie Holway-Hansen, Evelyn Stafford, Alexis Hamilton, Tessa Sweeney, Jacquelinne Bedoya, Janet Cozzens, Joceline Hanna, Kristyn Hanifin, Carol LeSage, Dorothy Tucker.

HIM Team Excellence Award - 2021 Financial Impact was awarded to Mass General Brigham Coding Team. This team was made up of the following: Maryellen Osborne, Christopher Rushbrooke, Cynthia Vieira, Iryna Bushuyeva, Gina Mannion, Cindy Marchando, Monica Baggio-Tormey, Karen Paquette, Cynthia Trapp, Amy Lenane, and their MGB Coding team.

HIM Team Excellence Award - 2021 Collaboration was awarded to South Shore Health HIM Departments, at South Shore Health HIM Departments, at South Shore Medical Center and South Shore Hospital - Colleagues and Management Team. This team was made up of the following: Kelli Randall and HIM Colleagues, Susan Brierley and HIM Colleagues, Susan Martin and HIM Colleagues.

MAHIMA MENTORSHIP PROGRAM LAUNCHED – COMMUNICATIONS COMMITTEE UPDATE

The primary goal of the Communications Committee has been and continues to be an enhanced focus on membership and student awareness. We are excited to report achievement in a portion of this goal by launching our Mentor/Mentee program! The intention of the program is to connect subject matter experts with members/students/non-members by sharing information. These mentorship opportunities are not only valuable for members and students, but they also build our membership.

The program brings HIM subject matter experts together with those who are looking to venture into a job change or seeking to know more about a new HIM area. Read more...

Submitted by Marianne Garfi, RHIA, CCS-P Director of Communications