



## ANNUAL REPORT 2024

### **Based on the Memorandum of Understanding between the National Cancer Institute in Bratislava and Ohio State University, Department of Radiation Oncology:**

1. The Head of the Dpt. Of Radiation Oncology, OSU, Prof. Arnab Chakravarti, **visited the National Cancer Institute in Bratislava** on 16th of May 2024.
2. **Several online meetings** were organized with aim to strenghten the collaboration between the two institutes, but also between OSU, Dpt. Of Radiation Oncology and two other main institutes for radiation oncology in Slovakia. The collaboration with OSU within whole Slovakia is driven by NOI and two other institutions for radiation oncology are involved, the East Slovakian Institute, Dpt. Of Radiation Oncology that is represented by dr. Pavol Dubinsky and St. Elisabeth Oncological Institute, Dpt. Of Radiation Oncology, represented by dr. Martin Chorvath. The visit of dr. Dubinsky and dr. Chorvath of OSU in 2025 and visit of colleagues from OSU in Slovakia in 2025 was planned.
3. Two colleagues from the East Slovakian Institute in Kosice, a radiation oncologist, Dr. Petra Stefkova and physicist Michal Boldizar, MBA, were awarded by NOI grant and are planning their fellowship at the Dpt. Of Radiation Oncology OSU, under supervision of prof. Arnab Chakravati in July 2025.
4. Information about collaboration between OSU in Columbus, OH and NCI in Bratislava is available at the **webpage of the National Oncology Institute**, Bratislava: <https://www.noisk.sk/about-us/international-cooperation/ohio-state-university>

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