

CURRICULUM VITAE

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CURRENT POSITIONS:

Clinical Associate Professor
UIC Department of Biomedical and Health Information Sciences

Interim Associate Head
UIC Department of Biomedical and Health Information Sciences

Program Director, Health Information Management
UIC Department of Biomedical and Health Information Sciences

Fellow
UIC Honors College

EDUCATION:

1974 *Bachelor of Science*
University of Illinois, College of Associated Health Professions,
Chicago, Illinois.
Major: Medical Record Administration (now Health Information
Management)

1986 *Master of Business Administration*
DePaul University, Chicago, Illinois
Concentration in Management Information Systems, with Distinction

1996-2002 *Doctor of Philosophy -ABD*
University of Illinois, School of Public Health, Chicago, Illinois
Health Policy and Administration

PROFESSIONAL CREDENTIALS:

- 1974-present** *Registered Health Information Administrator*
American Health Information Management Association
- 2009-present** *Fellow*
American Health Information Management Association

FACULTY POSITIONS:

- 1980-1985** *Instructor, Medical Record Technology*
Indiana University-Northwest, Gary, Indiana
Department of Health Information Management
College of Health and Human Services
- 1990-1991** *Instructor, Medical Terminology*
Prairie State College (now South Suburban College),
Chicago Heights, Illinois
- Developed/taught course in Medical Terminology at Olympia Fields Osteopathic Medical Center to meet hospital managers need for staff training; negotiated articulation agreement with Prairie State College to offer college credit to those who successfully completed the course
- 1993-1995** *Clinical Instructor*
UIC Department of Biomedical and Health Information Sciences
College of Applied Health Sciences
- 1995-2001** *Research Assistant Professor*
UIC Department of Biomedical and Health Information Sciences
College of Applied Health Sciences
- 2001-2011** *Clinical Assistant Professor*
UIC Department of Biomedical and Health Information Sciences
College of Applied Health Sciences
- 2011-present** *Clinical Associate Professor*
UIC Department of Biomedical and Health Information Sciences
College of Applied Health Sciences
- 2009-present** *Fellow*
UIC Honors College

ADMINISTRATIVE POSITIONS:

2016-present
1996-present

Interim Associate Head***Program Director, Health Information Management***

UIC Department of Biomedical and Health Information Sciences
 College of Applied Health Sciences

- Collaborate with and maintain relationship with knowledge partner for online programs, ensure fiscal responsibility
- Responsible for curriculum and budget planning for current Bachelor of Science and IBHE post-baccalaureate certificate and degree programs, and online Bachelor of Science completion degrees in Health Information Management
- Review and approve admissions to all programs to assure compliance with accreditation and program policies and procedures
- Direct and mentor 4 faculty and 6 adjunct faculty involved in delivery and support of the Health Information Management programs
- Responsible for student affairs, including nominations for student awards, career guidance, counseling, and student discipline
- Developed computer-based mock certification exam to prepare students for national credentialing exam
- Planned and implemented conversion of 20 Health Information Management courses from campus-based 16-week to blended 8-week delivery as part of a grant received from the Alfred P. Sloan Foundation, "Increasing Access and Opportunity UIC Blended Learning Initiative". Established timetable and directed and mentored faculty during this 15-month process. This was the first step in preparing for fully online delivery of courses in the post-baccalaureate certificate program.
- Developed proposal and obtained UIC Senate and IBHE approval for online post-baccalaureate certificate program in Health Information Management, which provides an opportunity for health care, IT, or business professionals with a baccalaureate degree, to receive HIM education and eligibility to sit for the RHIA exam as a mode of career change and advancement. Directed other faculty in development of curriculum for the program, including five new and conversion of six current courses to online, 8-week format. Enrolled first students Fall, 2009.
- Developed proposal and obtained UIC Senate approval for online delivery of Bachelor of Science in Health Information Management for students with earned Associate Degrees. Directed faculty in conversion of 8 courses from blended to fully online delivery format. Enrolled first students Fall, 2012.

PROFESSIONAL POSITIONS:

1974-1977 *Assistant Director, Medical Records Department*
Evanston Hospital/North Shore University Health System

Evanston Hospital is a 476 bed teaching hospital that together with Glenbrook Hospital, was a founding partner of the Northwestern Healthcare Network (along with Northwestern Memorial, Children's Memorial and Highland Park Hospital). It later reorganized with the University of Chicago Pritzker School of Medicine and is now known as North Shore University Health System. This health system is known for its evolution from paper-based medical records to a state of the art electronic patient record system.

- Supervisory responsibility for 10 employees and operations of all department functions.
- In early 1977 was given additional responsibility for opening the Medical Records department of the new 153-bed Glenbrook Hospital. This included planning staffing, equipment purchase, office layout, and writing policies and procedures.

1977-1991 *Manager, Medical Records Services*
Olympia Fields Osteopathic Medical Center

1985-1988 *Corporate Manager, Medical Records Services*
Chicago and Olympia Fields Osteopathic Medical Center

The Chicago College of Osteopathic Medicine was a premier institution for training osteopathic physicians and operated the 300-bed Chicago Osteopathic Hospital and Clinics on the south side of Chicago. In 1978 the medical school opened a second hospital, Olympia Fields Osteopathic Medical Center (now part of St. James Health System).

- In late 1977, as a direct result of work at Glenbrook Hospital, was recruited as Manager of Medical Records Services and charged with opening the Medical Records department for the new 200-bed Olympia Fields Osteopathic Medical Center. This included planning staffing, equipment purchase, office layout, and writing policies and procedures
- In 1985 assumed corporate management of both the Chicago and Olympia Fields facilities for three years, to resolve management problems and standardize operations between the two facilities.
- In 1988 continued as corporate manager of the Olympia Fields facility until 1991.

1991-1993

Director, Independent Study Division
American Health Information Management Association

American Health Information Management Association (AHIMA) is the national professional membership organization for the Health Information Management profession. AHIMA's more than 59,000 members are dedicated to the effective management of personal health information required to deliver quality healthcare to the public. Founded in 1928 to improve the quality of medical records, AHIMA is committed to advancing the HIM profession in an increasingly electronic and global environment through leadership in advocacy, education, certification, and lifelong learning. (www.ahima.org)

- Recruited as Director, Independent Study Division. The major product of the division was the long established Independent Study program for Medical Record Technicians. The program, formerly known as the "Correspondence Course for Medical Record Personnel," was discontinued in 1979 and reopened as the Independent Study Program for Medical Record Technicians to provide an educational opportunity to those who did not have access to a program in their area of residence.
- Responsible for administration, budget, staffing, policies and procedures, faculty hiring/development, and curriculum for the program's 1900 students.
- Implemented new Independent Study program for Coding in conjunction with the association's new coding certification program, including curriculum development, accreditation, and marketing.
- Outsourced shipping of recruitment information, publications and independent study course materials for improved cost efficiency.

TEACHING:**Courses taught:**

Current teaching includes the following online and campus courses per academic year

- BHIS 410 Health Data Structures and Management: online + campus
- BHIS 460 Introduction to Health Informatics (3 X/year online)
- BHIS 461 Information Systems for Health Information Management (2 X/year, online + campus)
- HIM 367 Systems Analysis:(2X/year, online + campus)
- HIM 455 Health Information Systems Analysis and Design (2X/year online)

Formal Recognition of Teaching Ability

- College of Applied Health Sciences Excalibur Award for Teaching Excellence, 1995, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2006, 2009, 2012, 2014, 2016
Senior students from each academic unit in the College of AHS select the instructor that best represents teaching excellence. The Excalibur Award is given to instructors who are role models, who encourage learning in the classroom or clinical setting, who provide guidance towards achievement of students' goals, and who are supportive of the students' individual efforts. Since 2010, recipients cannot receive the award in successive years.
- University of Illinois at Chicago Silver Circle Award for Teaching Excellence, 2004, 2009
The UIC Silver Circle Teaching Excellence Award has been given each year since 1966 to honor UIC faculty members chosen by the senior class for their outstanding teaching ability. Eleven faculty members representing all UIC undergraduate colleges are presented with this prestigious award every year.
- University of Illinois at Chicago, Council on Excellence in Teaching and Learning, Teaching Recognition Program Award, 2005
The Teaching Recognition Program (TRP) recognizes faculty who document outstanding performance in their teaching activities over a three year period.
- College of Applied Health Sciences Educator of the Year Award, 2010
This award is presented each year to a faculty member from each academic unit in the College of AHS for outstanding contributions to teaching.
- College of Applied Health Sciences Outstanding Academic Leadership Award, 2015
This award is presented each year to honor faculty and staff who exemplify outstanding academic leadership.

- American Health Information Management Association Triumph Award for Educator, 2004

This award honors those individuals who demonstrate excellence in preparing the next generation of professionals for their HIM careers. AHIMA is the national professional membership organization for the Health Information Management profession, with more than 59,000 members. Recipients of this national award are nominated by peers and selected by committee.

Continuing Education

Developed and taught “The Electronic Health Record and Information Technology Standards” as a unit in the American Medical Informatics Association 10 X 10 program. UIC is one of nine selected sites that offer this program as part of the national initiative to train 10,000 health information technology professionals by the year 2010.

Student Advising

Academic Advisor, HIM program, 10-12 students per year

Faculty advisor, Honors College, 2-3 students per year

Selected Student Evaluation Comments:

Spring, 2009, HIM 367, Systems Analysis

“Karen has great speaking skills and communicates well. She is really thorough. I enjoyed the hands-on project”

Fall, 2009, BHIS 410, Health Data Structures and Management

“Karen is well organized and makes the discussion topics online very interesting. I enjoyed the data model assignment and Microsoft Project assignment.”

Spring, 2010, HIM 367, Systems Analysis

“Karen presented material thoroughly and clearly. I found the implementation project to be a great experience, something to apply our knowledge (to).”

Fall, 2011, BHIS 460, Introduction to Health Informatics

“Karen is very knowledgeable of what she teaches and is extremely easy to get in touch with if need be”

Spring, 2012, HIM 455, Health Information Systems Analysis and Design

“Unparalleled knowledge of the subject matter, ability to juggle all of her courses and professional responsibilities while conveying that the success of each student is her key objective. Unwavering commitment and passion for the fields of HIM and Education.”

Summer, 2013, HIM 455, Health Information Systems Analysis and Design

“Very knowledgeable on the subject, easy to reach, and easy to talk to. Probably the best professor in the program.”

Spring, 2014, HIM 367, Systems Analysis

“Karen is very helpful and responds promptly to emails”

RESEARCH/SCHOLARLY ACTIVITY

PUBLICATIONS:

Articles in Peer Reviewed Journals:

Brewer, E., Kluck, E., Susala, K. Nohos, J. Peer Review for the Medical Record Professional. Medical Record News. 1980 Apr; 51: 74-76

Medical Record News was renamed the Journal of the American Medical Record Association, and now is known as the Journal of the American Health Information Management Association, the industry’s foremost journal for health information managers about issues that affect practice and professional development.

Patena, K. Managing a Multihospital Medical Record Department. Topics in Health Record Management. 1988; 8(3): 37-47, Aspen Publishers.

Topics in Health Record Management is a peer reviewed journal published quarterly between 1983-1992 by Aspen Publishers, which provided health information management professionals in practice settings with articles on current issues and problems regarding the management of health information. The editor, Melanie Brodnik, PhD, a recognized scholar in the profession, is Director of the Health Information Management and Systems Division at The Ohio State University.

Mon, D., Patena, K., and Khan, S. Career Trends in Health Information Management: A Look Toward 2006, Part I. Journal of the American Health Information Management Association. 1997; 68 (9): 92-8, 100-2, 104-5

This two-part article on career trends, was funded by a grant from the AHIMA foundation.

Mon, D., Patena, K., and Khan, S. Career Trends in Health Information Management: A Look Toward 2006, Part II. Journal of the American Health Information Management Association. 1997; 68 (10): 73-79

This two-part article on career trends, was funded by a grant from the AHIMA foundation.

Russell, L., Patena, K. Preparing Tomorrow's Professionals: A New Framework for HIM Education. *Journal of the American Health Information Management Association*. 2004;75(6) 22-26

Journal of the American Health Information Management Association, the industry's foremost journal for health information managers about issues that affect practice and professional development.

Dixon-Lee, C., Patena, K., Olenik, K., Brodnik, M. Graduate Education Bridges the Gap Between the Electronic Health Record and Clinical Need. *Journal of Healthcare Information Management*. 2004;18(3) 19-25

The Journal of Healthcare Information Management is a quarterly peer reviewed journal for healthcare information and management systems professionals published by the Healthcare Information and Management Systems Society (HIMSS), the leading professional organization for professionals promoting the optimal use of information technology in healthcare.

Ryan, Jessica; Patena, K., Judd, W. and Niederpruem, M. "Validating Competence: A New Credential for Clinical Documentation Improvement Practitioners." *Perspectives in Health Information Management* (Spring 2013): 1-38

Articles in Peer Reviewed and/or Online National Trade/Educational Publications:

Patena, K. Making Healthcare Intranets Secure, Part I. *In Confidence*. 1998;6(2): 6-7

In Confidence is an AHIMA Newsletter with an editorial review board published bimonthly. Its focus is on issues of health information privacy and security.

Patena, K. Making Healthcare Intranets Secure, Part II. *In Confidence*. 1998;6(3): 5-6

In Confidence is an AHIMA Newsletter with an editorial review board published bimonthly. Its focus is on issues of health information privacy and security.

Patena, K. Can This Course be Adapted from "On Ground" to "Online"? *Advance for Health Information Professionals*. 2001;11(9):17,74.

Advance for Health Information Professionals is a monthly trade newsmagazine with an editorial review board for health information professionals.

Patena, K. Is Online Education for Me? (2010, July 19) Healthwire, Retrieved from <http://thejordanevansinstitute.com/is-online-education-for-me/>

Healthwire is an electronic newsletter published by the Jordan Evans Institute, a private vocational workforce training school that teaches entry-level skills for employment in health information management positions. The newsletter's audience is prospective students and other health information management professionals

Chapters in Books (Original Scholarship Created for Publication):

Patena, K.(1993) Total Quality Management in Student Services. Student Services Handbook, 2nd edition pp: 13-24. Michael P Lambert and Sally Welch, Editors. Published by National Home Study Council, Washington, D.C.

Patena, K. (2002). Chapter 24: Training and Development. Health Information Management: Concepts, Principles and Practices. pp. 579-602. Shirley Eichenwald and Kathleen LaTour, Editors. Published by the American Health Information Management Association, Chicago, IL.

Patena, K. (2006). Chapter 25: Training and Development. Health Information Management: Concepts, Principles and Practices. 2nd ed. pp. 705-733. Shirley Eichenwald and Kathleen LaTour, Editors. Published by the American Health Information Management Association, Chicago, IL

Patena, K. (2006) Chapter 25: Training and Development. Health Information Management: Concepts, Principles and Practices. 2nd ed. **Student Workbook.**, pp. 149-154. Shirley Eichenwald and Kathleen LaTour, Editors. Published by the American Health Information Management Association, Chicago, IL

Patena, K. (2006) Chapter 25: Training and Development. Health Information Management: Concepts, Principles and Practices. 2nd ed. **Instructor Guide.** Shirley Eichenwald and Kathleen LaTour, Editors. Published by the American Health Information Management Association, Chicago, IL Available in electronic format only through the AHIMA Assembly on Education Community of Practice, a secure website accessible only to verified instructors.

Patena, K. (2010). Chapter 24: Training and Development. Health Information Management: Concepts, Principles and Practices. 3rd ed. pp. 741-770. Shirley Eichenwald and Kathleen LaTour, Editors. Published by the American Health Information Management Association, Chicago, IL

Patena, K. (2010) Chapter 24: Training and Development. Health Information Management: Concepts, Principles and Practices. 3rd ed. **Student Guide.** Shirley Eichenwald and Kathleen LaTour, Editors. Published by the American Health Information Management Association, Chicago, IL. Available on CD-ROM packaged with the textbook.

Patena, K. (2010) Chapter 24: Training and Development. Health Information Management: Concepts, Principles and Practices. 3rd ed. **Instructor Guide.** Shirley Eichenwald and Kathleen LaTour, Editors. Published by the American Health Information Management Association, Chicago, IL. Available in electronic format only through the AHIMA Assembly on Education Community of Practice, a secure website accessible only to verified instructors.

Patena, K., LeBlanc, M. (2013) Chapter 24: Human Resources Management and Employee Training and Development. 4th ed. pp. 717-759. Kathleen LaTour, Shirley Eichenwald Maki, and Pamela K. Oachs, Editors. Published by the American Health Information Management Association, Chicago, IL

Patena, K., LeBlanc, M. (2013) Chapter 24: Human Resources Management and Employee Training and Development. Health Information Management: Concepts, Principles and Practices. 4th ed. **Student Workbook.** Kathleen LaTour, Shirley Eichenwald Maki, and Pamela K. Oachs, Editors. Published by the American Health Information Management Association, Chicago, IL. Available in electronic format with access code only at <http://ahimapress.org/HIM3593>.

Patena, K., LeBlanc, M. (2013) Chapter 24: Human Resources Management and Employee Training and Development. Health Information Management: Concepts, Principles and Practices.4th ed. **Instructor Resources**. Kathleen LaTour, Shirley Eichenwald Maki, and Pamela K. Oachs, Editors. Published by the American Health Information Management Association, Chicago, IL. Available in electronic format only at <http://ahimapress.org>, with instructor verification and access code.

Patena, K. (2016). Chapter 23: Employee Training and Development. Health Information Management: Concepts, Principles and Practices.5th ed. **Instructor Resources**. Pamela Oachs and Amy Watters, Editors. Published by the American Health Information Management Association, Chicago, IL

Book Reviews:

Patena, K. (1993) [Review of the book Medical Terminology for Health Professions by Ann Ehrlich] Doody's Health Science Book Review Annual, 1993:496

Patena, K. (1993) [Review of the book Health Information Management: A Comprehensive Guide to Current Regulations and Management Practices by Joseph Mangano] Doody's Health Science Book Review Annual, 1993:499

Patena, K. (1994) [Review of the book Computerized Medical Office Management by Joan Johnson and Marcus Johnson] Doody's Health Science Book Review Annual, 1994-95:654

Patena, K. (1994) [Review of the book Community Health Information Networks: Creating the Health Care Data Highway edited by Ralph Wakerly] Doody's Health Science Book Review Annual, 1994-95:254

Patena, K. (1994). [Review of the book Health Information Management in Hospitals: Principles and Organization for Health Record Services by Margaret Skurka], Doody's Health Science Book Review Journal; 2(3):24.

Patena, K. (2000).[Review of the book Documentation and Reimbursement for Physician Offices by Lynn Kuehn and LaVonne Wieland] Doody's Health Science Book Review Journal; 8(2):160.

Patena, K. (2000) [Review of the book Electronic Health Records: Changing the Vision edited by Gretchen Murphy, Mary Alice Hanken and Kathleen Waters] Doody's Health Science Book Review Journal; 8(2):160.

Patena, K. (2000) [Review of the book Quality and Performance Improvement in Healthcare by Patricia Shaw, Polly Isaacson, Chris Elliott and Elizabeth Murphy] Ad hoc reviewer of text; See Acknowledgement, p. vi.

Published Quotations in National Trade Publications:

Mazzoni-Madigan, J. Simmen, D. Incorporating a Computerized Productivity Assignment into a Human Resources Management Class in an Undergraduate Health Information Management Class. Educational Perspectives on Health Information Management. 2000;3(1): 11-20

Staff Writer. Education Initiatives Move Into High Gear. American Health Information Management Association Advantage 2002;6(3)

Staff Writer. HIM Education: Assignment for Change. American Health Information Management Association Advantage 2006;10(2)

Dimick, C. Into the Laboratory: HIM Virtual Lab Offers Students EHR Experience. Journal of the American Health Information Management Association. 2008;79(9):30-33.

Dimick, C. Help Wanted: Schools Struggle Placing Students in PPEs. Journal of the American Health Information Management Association. 2009;80(9):34-39.

RESEARCH/SCHOLARLY ACTIVITY

PRESENTATIONS:

National Home Study Council (now known as the Distance and Education and Training Council)

The Distance Education and Training Council (DETC) is a voluntary, non-governmental, educational organization that has been the standard-setting agency for correspondence study and distance education institutions since it was established in 1926. The DETC Accrediting Commission performs the institutional accrediting functions of the DETC. The DETC conducts a national continuing professional development program for distance study educators as well as annual seminars and conferences devoted to distance education.

Patena, K. Enhancing the Quality of Student Services. National Home Study Council's Correspondence Education Workshop. Notre Dame, Indiana: October 21, 1992

Patena, K. A Case Study in Total Quality Management. National Home Study Council 67th Annual Conference. San Diego, California: April 19, 1993

American Health Information Management Association (AHIMA)

AHIMA is the national professional membership organization for the Health Information Management profession, with more than 59,000 members. AHIMA is committed to advancing the HIM profession in an increasingly electronic and global environment through leadership in advocacy, education, and certification. AHIMA holds an annual national convention which includes education sessions and exhibits.

Patena, K. The Internet and the HIM Professional. American Health Information Management Association National Convention. Orlando, Florida: October 6, 1996.

Patena, K., Petterson, B., Eichenwald-Maki, S. (Panel Member) A New Framework for HIM Education. IFHRO International Educators Forum, AHIMA National Convention, Washington, D.C.: October 10, 2004.

Joe, S., Kyriakos, M., Mahalik, A., Patena, K. (Panel Member) It Takes an Association to Build a Profession. American Health Information Management Association National Convention. Grapevine, Texas: October, 5, 2009.

Joe, S., Kyriakos, M., Mahalik, A., Patena, K. (Panel Member) It Takes an Association to Build a Profession: A Look One Year Later. American Health Information Management Association National Convention. Orlando, Florida: September 29, 2010.

American Health Information Management Association (AHIMA) Assembly on Education Summer Symposium

The AHIMA Assembly on Education is the community for faculty in health information management programs throughout the United States. Each summer a conference is attended by about 350 educators to learn about new content that must be added to curriculum in this evolving field, as well as improved teaching methods.

Patena, K. Using the Internet to Enhance Student Learning. AHIMA Assembly On Education Summer Symposium, Chicago, Illinois: July 18, 1994

Patena, K. Career Trends in Health Information Management. AHIMA Assembly on Education Summer Symposium, Chicago, Illinois: June 29, 1997.

Patena, K., Layman, E (Co-Presenter) Developing a Research Agenda. AHIMA Assembly on Education Summer Symposium, New Orleans, Louisiana: June 25, 1998.

Patena, K. Implementing HIA Curriculum in Biomedical Research. AHIMA Assembly on Education Summer Symposium, New Orleans, Louisiana: June 25, 1998.

Patena, K. Using Spreadsheets in HIM Courses. Computer Tutorial. AHIMA Assembly on Education Summer Symposium, New Orleans, Louisiana: June 25, 1998.

Patena, K. Program Evaluation: Assessment for YOU and for THEM. AHIMA Assembly on Education Summer Symposium, Milwaukee, Wisconsin: June 26, 1999

Patena, K. Surviving and Thriving in an Electronic Environment. AHIMA Assembly on Education Summer Symposium, Chicago, Illinois: June 27, 2000

Patena, K. Model Curricula for e-HIM; Introduction and Educational Response Plan. AHIMA Assembly on Education Summer Symposium, Chicago, Illinois: June 28, 2004.

Patena, K. Using the AHIMA 2002 Workforce Study Data in an HIA Research Class. AHIMA Assembly on Education Summer Symposium, Chicago, Illinois: June 29, 2004.

Patena, K., Petterson, B. (Co-Presenter) Foundations of e-HIM Curriculum Design. AHIMA Assembly on Education Summer Symposium, St. Louis, Missouri: June 26, 2005.

Patena, K. The Next Step in HIM Education; Issues for Graduate Degrees. AHIMA Assembly on Education Summer Symposium, St. Louis, Missouri: June 28, 2005.

Patena, K., Davis, N. Fenton, S., White, M.(Panel Presentation) Building the Talent Pipeline. AHIMA Assembly on Education Summer Symposium, Austin, Texas; July 15, 2015

Illinois Health Information Management Association (ILHIMA)

The Illinois Health Information Management Association is the third largest component state association (CSA) in the United States, representing 3400 AHIMA members who reside and/or practice in Illinois. CSA's provide their members with local access to professional education and networking, and also serve as an important forum for communicating national issues and keeping members informed of regional affairs that affect health information management.

Patena, K. A Quick Trip on the Internet. Illinois Health Information Management Association Annual Meeting, Itasca, Illinois: April 12, 1995

Patena, K. The Internet and the HIM Professional. Illinois Health Information Management Association Annual Meeting. Peoria, Illinois: April 9, 1996.

Patena, K. Intranets: Their Potential for Health Care. Illinois Health Information Management Association Annual Meeting. Itasca, Illinois: April 14, 1997

Patena, K. AHIMA Strategic Options Roundtable. Illinois Health Information Management Association Annual Meeting. Springfield, Illinois: April 13, 1998

Joe, S., Kyriakos, M., Mahalik, A., Patena, K. (Panel Member) It Takes an Association to Build a Profession. Illinois Health Information Management Association Annual Meeting. Lincolnshire, Illinois: May 1, 2009

Chicago Area Health Information Management Association (CAHIMA)

The Chicago Area Health Information Management Association (CAHIMA) provides affordable local education and networking opportunities to 1200 AHIMA members in the Chicago metropolitan area

Patena, K. Using the Internet – How and Why. Chicago Area Health Information Management Association educational meeting. Chicago, Illinois: November 7, 1995.

Patena, K. Career Trends in Health Information Management. Chicago Area Health Information Management Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, Illinois: December 4, 1997.

Patena, K. Illinois Delegate Update. Chicago Area Health Information Management Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, Illinois: December 4, 1997.

Invited Colloquia:

Patena, K., Campbell, E., Edelberg, W., Hagedorn, J. (Panel Member) Complementing Face-to-Face On-campus Instruction with Class Materials on the Web. ACCC ITL conference on online teaching and learning: March 2002
http://www.uic.edu/depts/acc/itl/conf2002/patena/KPatena'sRevITL_files/frame.htm

Patena, K., Garay, E. (Co-Presenter) Using Learning Technology to Meet Pedagogical Goals, ACCC ITL Faculty Development Workshop: November 2004.
[http://www.uic.edu/depts/acc/itl/workshops/materials/Patena ITL04.presentation.pdf](http://www.uic.edu/depts/acc/itl/workshops/materials/Patena%20ITL04.presentation.pdf)

Ms. Patena was asked to share her expertise in online teaching with other UIC faculty members at the above two Instructional Technology Lab (ITL) conferences.

Patena, K. Intranets and their Potential for Healthcare. Continuing Education workshop, College of Lake County, Grayslake, Illinois: April 27, 1998
A continuing education workshop for Health Information Management Directors and staff from north suburban hospitals and physician offices (35 participants)

Patena, K. Preparing for Your Future in Health Information Management. Moraine Valley Community College, Palos Hills, Illinois: February 8, 2005. (20 participants)

Patena, K. Preparing for Your Future in Health Information Management. Moraine Valley Community College, Palos Hills, Illinois: April 22, 2006. (20 participants)

Patena, K. Preparing for Your Future in Health Information Management. Moraine Valley Community College, Palos Hills, Illinois: April 10, 2007. (20 participants)

Patena, K. Preparing for Your Future in Health Information Management. Moraine Valley Community College, Palos Hills, Illinois: April 15, 2008. (20 participants)

Patena, K. Preparing for Your Future in Health Information Management. Moraine Valley Community College, Palos Hills, Illinois: April 14, 2009 (20 participants)

Patena, K. Preparing for Your Future in Health Information Management. Moraine Valley Community College, Palos Hills, Illinois: April 19, 2011 (20 participants)

Patena, K. Preparing for Your Future in Health Information Management. Moraine Valley Community College, Palos Hills, Illinois: February 14, 2012 (20 participants)

Patena, K. Preparing for Your Future in Health Information Management. Moraine Valley Community College, Palos Hills, Illinois: April 9, 2013 (20 participants)

Patena, K. Preparing for Your Future in Health Information Management. Moraine Valley Community College, Palos Hills, Illinois: March 1, 2017 (20 participants)

The annual presentations cited above, were delivered to graduating students of the Moraine Valley Community College Associate Degree program in Health Information Technology to aid in the transition to the HIM profession and to stimulate interest in advanced educational opportunities.

Patena, K. Trends and the Impact on Health Data Professionals. Presented to the Chicago Chapter of the American Academy of Procedural Coders, Elgin Community College, Elgin, Illinois July 20, 2012. (40 participants)

The speaker was invited to present the impact of legislation and the Electronic Health Record on the role of coding professionals.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICE:**University Committees/Service:****Department of Biomedical and Health Information Sciences activities:**

- Member, Committee on Educational and Academic Policy, 1997-present
- Member, Computer Strategies Committee, 1997-2003
- Chair, HIM Program Advisory Board, 1996-present
- Member, BHIS Program Director Working Group, 2009-present
- Chair, BHIS Academic Affairs Committee, 2011-present

College of Applied Health Sciences activities:

- Member, CAHS Student Affairs Committee, 1993-2000
- Member, CAHS Undergraduate Admissions Committee, 1993-2000
- Member, CAHS Urban Allied Health Committee, 1993-2003
- Member, CAHS Academic Affairs Committee, 1994-present
- Chair, CAHS Academic Affairs Committee, 2011-present
- Member, CAHS Urban Allied Health Academy Steering Committee, 2003-2012
- Participant, CAHS Student Learning Outcome Assessment Plans Working Group, for Campus-wide NCA Accreditation, 2004

University activities:

- Facilitator, Quality Advancement Program, UIC Telecommunications Team, 1994-1996
- CAHS Representative, UIC Faculty Senate, 1994-present
- Member, UICMC JCAHO Survey task force and Mock Surveyor Information Management Standards, 1995-1997
- Member, UICMC Chart Documentation Committee, CERNER Implementation project, 1997-1998
- Member, UIC Senate Academic Services Committee, 1999-2002
- CAHS Representative, UIC Senate Executive Committee, 2001-present
- Honors College Fellow and Advisor to HIM students, 2005-present

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS:**American Health Information Management Association**

1974-present	Member
1984-87	Teller (Invited), AHIMA national elections, Board of Directors
1994	Member (Invited), HIM Model Curriculum Workgroup
1997-2000	Member (Elected), Council on Accreditation
1998-2000	Member (Invited), Joint Committee on Education
1998	Chair-Elect (Elected), Council on Accreditation
1998-99	Chair (Elected), Council on Accreditation
2000	Liaison to Panel of Accreditation Surveyors, Council on Accreditation
2001-present	Accreditation Surveyor, Council on Accreditation of Health Informatics and Information Management Education (CAHIIM)
2003-2005	Member, Invited, Educational Strategy Committee
2004-2005	Chair (Elected), Educational Strategy Committee
2008	Member (Invited), AMIA/AHIMA Health Informatics Workgroup
2008	Member (Invited), RHIA Job Analysis Task Force
2009-2014	Commissioner-at-large (Invited), Commission on Certification for Health Informatics and Information Management (CCHIIM)

2015	Member (Invited) AHIMA Council on Excellence in Education (CEE) Professional Practice Experience (PPE) Workgroup
2015	Member (Invited) AHIMA Virtual Lab Strategic Advisory Committee
2016	Member (Invited) AHIMA CEE Workforce Workgroup

Illinois Health Information Management Association

1974-present	Member
1988-1989	Chair (Invited), Nominating Committee
1989-1991	Liaison (Invited), to State Agencies
1991-1993	Project Manager (Invited), Research and Education Funds
1997-1999	Delegate (Elected), AHIMA House of Delegates
1999-2000	Member (Invited), Nominating Committee
1999-2000	Co-Chair (Invited), Hospitality Committee for AHIMA 2000 National Convention
2004	Emergency Substitute Delegate (Invited), AHIMA House of Delegates, 2004 AHIMA National Convention

Chicago Area Health Information Management Association

1974-2005	Member
1997-1998	Member (Elected), Nominating Committee
1980	Chair (Invited), Quality Assurance Committee
1993-1994	Secretary (Elected)
1994-1995	President-Elect (Elected)
1995-1996	President (Elected)
1996-1997	Past-President (Elected)
1996-1997	Member of Executive Board (Elected)

Health Information Management and Systems Society

2005-present	Member
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Greater Chicago Chapter – Health Information and Management Systems Society

1997	Member, Program Committee, Master Patient Index Workshop, Chicago, Illinois
1998	Member, Program Committee, Data Repositories Workshop, Chicago Illinois

HONORS AND AWARDS:**Fellowship**, American Health Information Management Association (AHIMA) 2009

AHIMA is the national professional membership organization for the Health Information Management profession, with more than 59,000 members. AHIMA is committed to advancing the HIM profession in an increasingly electronic and global environment through leadership in advocacy, education, and certification. The AHIMA Fellowship program allows for earned recognition of AHIMA members who have made significant and sustained contributions to the HIM profession.

Professional Achievement Award, Illinois Health Information Management Association, 2004**Distinguished Member Award**, Illinois Health Information Management Association, 2007

The Illinois Health Information Management Association is the third largest component state association (CSA) of AHIMA in the United States, representing 3400 AHIMA members who reside and/or practice in Illinois. CSA's provide their members with local access to professional education and networking, and also serve as an important forum for communicating national issues and keeping members informed of regional affairs that affect health information management.

Distinguished Member Award, Chicago Area Health Information Management Association, 1998

The Chicago Area Health Information Management Association (CAHIMA) provides affordable local education and networking opportunities to 1200 AHIMA members in the Chicago metropolitan area.