It is my great pleasure to introduce Brad Schwartz as our incoming President of the North Central Section of the American Urological Association, Inc. Brad received his Doctor of Osteopathy degree from the University of North Texas Health Sciences Center in Fort Worth and completed his urology residency at Madigan Army Medical Center in Tacoma, Washington. He then completed a fellowship in laparoscopy/endourology at University of California at San Francisco, followed by two years stationed at Tripler Army Medical Center and a brief time in private practice in Texas. In 2003, he joined Southern Illinois University Urology Department and has stayed for the duration of his career. He became Department Chairperson in 2017 and in October of 2021, he received an Endowed Chair. Throughout his career he has continued to serve and provide care for our military personal through 11 years active duty and 20 years in the US Army Reserves. He retired in May 2021 at the rank of Colonel with 31 years of service.

Dr. Schwartz has been involved extensively throughout his career in numerous organizations including the Society of Government Urologists, Endourological Society, Society of Laparoendoscopic Surgeons, and Illinois State Urologic Society. He has served on the editorial boards of the Journal of Urology, Journal of Endourology and is the Editor of WebMD Urology section as well as eMedicine. A unique focus of his career has been in the education of current and future urologists. He has served as Course Director or Co-Director for a variety of course in endourology. His focus is not just teaching surgical skill but also in shaping faculty urologists into being better educators. He co-directed an AUA course Surgeons as Educators: A Primer for Academic Development and Teaching Excellence. He has published a Springer textbook on Urologic Surgical Education. His passion for education is evident in his having received the Excellence in Teaching Award from the Department of Surgery 17 times throughout his tenure at SIU and the Educator of the year award for the entire Southern Illinois University system.

Dr. Schwartz has been a long serving member to the NCS. He served as the Illinois State Representative to the board from 2009-2012 and then was chair of the education committee from 2014-2019. In addition, he was a member of the Editorial and Awards Committee and the Nominating Committee. He has helped shape the section and the educational mission through these roles.

Brad and his wife Brandi continue to call Springfield, IL home. They whole heartedly embrace education and its value to their four children. If it is not crazy to have a senior, junior, sophomore and freshman in college at one time – it must be passion. Beyond work, he enjoys travel and adventure. He has had a private pilot’s license since age 16, scuba dives, loves motorcycles and all things dangerous. He has been to six continents, 50 states and 58 countries.

Please join the entire NCS Board of Directors in welcoming Dr. Brad Schwartz as President of the NCS. Brad has served the section membership for many years and is a great pleasure of working under his leadership in the coming year.
The specter of COVID-19 could not stop the 95th Annual Meeting of the North Central Section from being a resounding success. With appropriate safety measures in place, the Section was able to deliver live content for the membership and provide an opportunity to gather and share ideas. Dr. Elizabeth Takacs, The North Central Section Secretary, carefully curated a scientific program that attracted 393 attendees from across the region to the Fairmont Hotel by providing content of interest to practicing urologists of all disciplines, resident urologists and advanced practice providers. Post-meeting survey results would indicate that the program content and selection of speakers was well received. I would personally like to thank Drs. Richard Santucci, Sam Chang and Stuart Wolf for their informative and thoughtful presentations. In addition, I would also like to thank all our outstanding North Central Section faculty who so graciously volunteered their time and energies providing meeting content and moderating scientific sessions.

I would like to acknowledge Elizabeth Takacs for her excellent job putting together such a fine meeting. COVID provided many challenges during the meeting’s planning and execution beyond the obvious safety concerns. There were travel restrictions placed on many of our faculty, increased reliance on video capabilities and additional technology demands. Dr. Takacs was able to negotiate each one of these challenges and deliver a final meeting product to the membership that was nothing short of spectacular. I would also like to thank Samantha Florine and the entire WJ Weiser and Associates, Inc. team for their efforts in organizing and supporting the annual meeting.

The North Central Section will continue its mission and directives under the very capable guidance of new Section President Dr. Bradley Schwartz from the great state of Illinois. Together with the existing Board of Directors, Brad will ensure opportunities for learning, teaching and advancement within our wonderful organization for each and every member.

It has been my absolute honor and privilege to serve as your NCS President. I look forward to seeing you all again next year at the Annual NCS Meeting in Chicago.
travel and be present in person. We know these decisions were not easy. The board of directors selected the five best podium presentations, the best video, and the best bizarre and interesting case. In addition, the following award recipients were: Katherine Theisen, MD for the Traveling Fellowship Award, Ronney Abaza, MD for the Thirlby Award, Michele Fascelli, MD for the John D. Silbar Award, and Juan Jose Andino, MD for the NCS Health Policy Young Investigator Award. Congratulations to all of the award winners. The full list of individual award winners for the 2021 Annual Meeting can be found on page 7 of this newsletter or on the NCS website.

As we are already working on the planning for the 96th Annual Meeting at the Sheraton Grand in Chicago, it is important to note the shift in meeting dates. The meeting will begin Sunday, August 28, 2022 and conclude Wednesday, August 31, 2022.

I will be working with the programming and education committees to create a robust, creative program while balancing opportunities to present new concepts of care and research.

At the Annual Business Meeting, the membership approved Dr. Bradley Schwartz as President, Dr. Matthew Gettman as President-Elect, Dr. Thomas Gardner as Secretary-Elect. Thank you to the nominating committee for their efforts and insights. I would like to welcome our new members to the sections.

Health Policy Council Update

By Candace F. Granberg, MD

It is an honor to provide a summary of another successful Health Care Policy Forum, held at the 95th annual NCSAUA meeting. First, it was refreshing to return to an in-person meeting and see colleagues for the first time in over a year. The Health Policy session was held in a hybrid fashion, with many speakers present and on-stage, while others joined virtually. We are indebted to the dedicated and incredibly responsive audiovisual team who made this possible.

Dr. Hans Arora kicked off the afternoon session, giving a comprehensive update on Telehealth and Scope of Practice Challenges affecting urologists across the country. Thanks to Dr. Takacs’ innovative programming, we were excited to have an Open Mic segment, featuring two speakers: Susanne Quallich offered insight into onboarding of urology advanced practice providers as well as how to optimally integrate APPs into a urology practice, and Dr. Kevin Koo gave an absolutely outstanding talk on how federal price transparency policies will impact our urology practices.

As many urologists and trainees have not had formal education on how lobbying works, we had a session on “Lobbying 101” which hopefully inspired many in the audience, at all levels of training and practice, to increase their involvement in health policy at the local, regional and national level.

Our last panel covered a few Hot Topics in Health Policy that have garnered significant attention in the past several months. With the next residency application cycle looming, we learned more about trends in medical student interest in urology and the important new changes to the urology match from Dr. Kristina Suson. With several bills and resolutions on intersex and transgender legislation circulating in several states, Dr. Emilie Johnson gave an update on the guiding principles of the AUA Public Policy Council and Intersex/Transgender Task Force. Finally, Dr. Mary Beth Westerman gave a summary of the health care disparities in prostate cancer screening, which is timely in light of H.R.4880 / S.2720, the Veterans’ Prostate Cancer Treatment and Research Act, a bill that is a top priority for the Senate Veterans’ Affairs Committee, as well as ongoing strategic, collaborative efforts to improve access to prostate cancer screening.

We are proud to continue offering the NCS Health Policy Young Investigator Award, supporting the winner in attending the AUA Annual Urology Advocacy Summit. This year’s winning abstract was presented by Dr. Juan Andino for his work titled, “Not everyone can use video visits: using phone encounters for urologic care during COVID-19.” This important work should supplement the continued push for providing multimodal telemedicine options for our patients, even beyond the pandemic (whenever that may be...).

It is with excitement that we are already looking forward to the next annual meeting, again in the Windy City! We welcome the increasing interest and involvement in Health Policy of our NCS members and trainees, and anticipate another well-attended forum in 2022.
Young Urologist Committee Update

By Adam O. Kadlec, MD

The North Central Section Young Urologists Committee (YUC) continues to be active in its advocacy for the needs of Urologists both in training and in the early phase of their careers. We had a well-attended joint session with Women In Urology at the recent section meeting in Chicago. The topic was balancing personal goals and professional aspirations with your partner. We had an interactive discussion with three urologists - Dr. Kristin Greco from Loyola, Dr. Ed Cherullo from Rush, and Dr. Sarah Vij from Cleveland Clinic. In addition to this event, the YUC announced plans for a Mentorship program that will start in 2022. In this program, interested Young Urologists can apply for mentorship from a pool of established later-career Urologists in both academic and private practice. Stay tuned for formal messaging after the new year. Finally, the YUC was pleased to nominate Nathan Gruenwald (Sauk Prairie, Wis.) for our section’s Young Urologist of the Year award.

Message From the Historian

By David R. Paolone, MD

It is with great pleasure that I am assuming the role of historian for the North Central Section, and I would like to personally thank the Board and the Section membership for the opportunity to serve in this capacity. I wish to congratulate the Board for successfully executing an in-person Section meeting in Chicago and to express my appreciation for all those who presented and attended to make the meeting a success. I ask that we remember all the members of the Section that have passed this year and recognize their dedication and contributions to the field of Urology. Their memories serve as an inspiration for us to further the success and achievements of the North Central Section.

I would encourage those planning to attend the Annual Meeting of the AUA in New Orleans in May 2022 to include a visit to the annual history exhibit as a part of their itinerary. For the meeting in New Orleans, the exhibit will be on the evolution of Sexual Medicine and Sexual Dysfunction. Dr. Irwin Goldstein will be the annual exhibit curator, and I am sure his decades of expertise in Sexual Medicine will make the exhibit fascinating and educational. The exhibit that was unfortunately postponed for the 2021 meeting in Las Vegas, Battlefield Urology, will be presented at the Annual Meeting in 2023. I would also encourage those planning to attend the Annual Meeting to consider submitting abstracts on the history of Urology, especially regarding unique achievements at their home institutions, to contribute to our knowledge and understanding of the evolution of our field. The Retrospectroscope Award is given yearly to the best abstract presented at the History Forum at the Annual Meeting.

I wish to recognize the commitment of the AUA in recognizing the importance of the history of Urology through the William P. Didusch Center for Urologic History, whose mission is “to preserve, document, and present the history of urology and the American Urological Association, to educate, engage, and inspire the medical community and the public about the rich history of urology so as to better understand its impact on today’s healthcare environment and provide insights into the future.” The Center can be visited in person at the AUA headquarters in Linthicum Heights, Maryland or virtually at www.urologichistory.museum.

Thank you again for the opportunity to serve as the historian for the North Central Section.
In Memoriam
In Loving Memory of our Members Who Have Passed

These members supported NCS during their lifetime and each made contributions to our profession. Although separated from us by death they are fondly remembered by all of us.

Joseph C. Cerny, MD*
Ann Arbor, MI

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Women in Urology Committee Update

By Larissa Bresler, MD, DABMA

I would like to thank Women in Urology Committee members and NCS Board of Directors for re-electing me to serve as Women in Urology Committee chair.

Our current Women in Urology Committee is decidedly motivated and hard-working.

We have instituted our Academic Support Net program that offers female urologists who have served on NCS committees letters of support to aid in their academic promotion and/or job search. The program led to several talented female urologists being promoted to the rank of Associate Professor.

Women in Urology Committee Update

We also are working closely with the Young Urologists Committee on NCS Mentorship initiative. Additionally, we are developing novel Support On the Spot (SOS) program. SOS is designed to provide a “coach on the spot” for any urologist in training or practice who needs urgent advice from a peer or more senior urologist. Members soliciting SOS may seek out a mentor, sponsor, or coach. A mentor is a more experienced person capable of offering advice on a dilemma. Sponsors promote the member’s goals. A coach offers specific instructions on how to navigate a situation. The guidance could be related to a specific work dilemma or project, promotion or advancement, or different career opportunities. Residents may, for example, use this platform to find someone outside their own institution who can help with fellowship or career decisions.

SOS is designed to provide PRN support, although it may turn into a longer mentorship relationship. Anyone looking for a long-term mentor-mentee relationship may apply for such a position through the Young Urologist Committee and Women in Urology Committee Mentorship Program. Additional details may be found on the NCS website: ncsaua.org.

Finally, I found serving on the NCS Board of Directors as Women in Urology representative to be highly rewarding and a great learning experience.
I appreciate the opportunity to provide some highlights from the AUA Board of Directors report to the membership of the NCSAUA. The AUA Board of Directors made the difficult, but necessary decision to convert the 2021 AUA Annual Meeting to a fully online, virtual experience held September 10-13, 2021. The virtual meeting included a robust offering of learning and engagement, including educational programming, abstracts, keynotes, surgical videos and space to connect with sponsors, exhibitors, and educators from across the globe. Numerous societies took advantage of the opportunity to hold their meetings on AUA’s virtual platform. In addition to participating in the live event, all attendees will have access to on-demand recordings, and ability to earn CME, through the end of the year.

Dr. Edward Messing was elected as AUA President-elect (Sept 2021-2022) to then ascend to President (2022-2023) and Immediate Past President (2023-2024). Dr. Messing serves as Professor of Urology and Oncology at the University of Rochester. Prior to this, he was the Winfield W. Scott Professor and Chairman of the Department of Urology at the University of Rochester School of Medicine and Dentistry from 1995–2018.

The search for AUA’s next Secretary is underway. The application deadline was December 6. Interviews will take place next spring with the Secretary-elect term to begin in May 2022.

A new two-hour course entitled, “Urology Physician Compensation Models” was offered at AUA2021 on September 12 with Dr. John McConnell as Course Director. The course is available on-demand to annual meeting attendees. Post-course, a series of podcast episodes focusing on financial management topics related to the course are being developed for future release.

The AUA Board approved establishing a new open access (OA) journal. The new peer reviewed journal provides free access to articles online providing unrestricted access to scholarly research. This publication model is supported by Article Processing Charges (APCs) paid for by the author, most commonly with funds from their funder or institution. A new independent Editor will be hired and will select a new Editorial Board to guide the journal’s editorial policies and peer review process. Details about the Editor position will be posted at AUAnet.org/JUOPEditor in October.


Participation in the AQUA Registry remains available to AUA members within the United States, and practices interested in joining the registry should visit https://www.auanet.org/practiceresources/aua-quality-(aqua)-registry/sign-up-for-aqua or contact the AQUA Registry team at AQUA@auanet.org.

The 2021 Annual Census is available online until September 30, 2021. In preparation for the 2021 Census, all questions were examined through a diversity and inclusion lens. The following special topic areas were included in the 2021 AUA Census: the causes and impacts of burnout; long-term structural and practical influence of COVID-19 in 2021 and beyond; utilization, reimbursement and quality of telemedicine; BPH treatment; and urologists’ role in smoking cessation.

The AUA held the 4th Annual Urology Advocacy Summit on July 20-21. Attendees at the virtual event held more than 160 meetings with House/Senate offices covering 35 states; congressional issues discussed included telehealth expansion, physician specialist workforce shortages, veterans’ prostate cancer care, and urology research funding. We appreciate your commitment and flexibility and look forward to seeing you in Washington, DC at the AUA Summit in March 2022.

Lastly, this is the NCS year to choose the next AUA President-elect. The voting period has already begun. Please make sure to cast your ballot.
2021 NCS Awards

Podium & Poster Award Winners

General Epidemiological and Socioeconomic Podium Session

UTILITY OF CERAMIDE TESTING IN MEN WITH ERECTILE DYSFUNCTION
David Yang, MD1, Manaf Alom, MBBS1, C Scott Collins, MD2, Stephen Kopecky, MD3, Sevann Helo, MD1, Ziegelmann Matthew, MD1, Tobias Kohler, MD1
1Mayo Clinic, Department of Urology, 2Mayo Clinic, Department of Internal Medicine, 3Mayo Clinic, Department of Cardiology
Presented By: Manaf Alom

Adrenal Kidney Ureter – Benign/Malignant Podium Session

TUMOR ENUCLEATION VERSUS STANDARD MARGIN PARTIAL NEPHRECTOMY: PERIOPERATIVE, RENAL FUNCTIONAL, AND ONCOLOGIC OUTCOMES
Hiten D. Patel, MD, MPH, Elizabeth L. Koehne, MD, Keshava Gali, Marcus L. Quek, MD, Gopal N. Gupta, MD
Department of Urology, Loyola University Medical Center, Maywood, IL
Presented By: Hiten D. Patel, MD, MPH

Surgical Technology, Simulation and Education Podium Session

THE ACADEMIC FRONT LINE: A SURVEY EVALUATING THE IMPACT OF ANTI-RACISM EVENTS AND SERVICE ON BLACK MEDICAL STUDENTS
Cheyenne Williams, BS1, Tasha Posid, MA, PhD2, Alicia Scimeca, BA2, Dinah Diab, BS2, Cheryl Lee, MD2
1Perelman School of Medicine at the University of Pennsylvania, 2Department of Urology, The Ohio State University Wexner Medical Center
Presented By: Cheyenne C. Williams, BS

Testis, Scrotum and Infertility – Benign/Malignant Poster Session

OUTCOMES FOR CHRONIC PELVIC AND GENITAL PAIN USING THROUGH AN INTER-DISCIPLINARY PAIN REHABILITATION PROGRAM
Matthew Ziegelmann, MD, Hannah Betcher, MD, Brian Linder, MD, Sevann Helo, MD, Tobias Kohler, MD, Elizabeth Kacel, PhD, Wesley Gilliam, PhD
Mayo Clinic
Presented By: Matthew J. Ziegelmann, MD

Prostate Malignant Poster Session

NATIONAL CANCER DATABASE ANALYSIS ASSESSING THE IMPACT OF TREATMENT MODALITIES ON SURVIVAL OUTCOMES IN LOCALIZED NEUROENDOCRINE PROSTATE ADENOCARCINOMA
Chandler Bronkema, BS1, Nicholas Corsi, BS2, Sohrab Arora, MD1, Jacob Keeley, MS1, Nikola Rakic, BS1, Akshay Sood, MD1, Maxwell Stricker, BS1, Phil Olson, BS1, Craig Rogers, MD1, Mani Menon, MD1, Firas Abdollah, MD1
1Vattikuti Urology Institute, Henry Ford Hospital, Detroit, MI, 2Wayne State University School of Medicine, Detroit, MI, 3VCORE (VUI Center for Outcomes Research, Analytics and Evaluation)
Presented By: Nicholas J. Corsi, BS

Pediatrics Podium Session

THE UTILITY OF RENAL SONOGRAPHIC MEASUREMENTS IN DIFFERENTIATING CHILDREN WITH HIGH GRADE CONGENITAL HYDRONEPHROSIS
Tomas Lence, B.S., Gina Lockwood, M.D., Douglas Storm, M.D., Christopher Cooper, M.D.
University of Iowa
Presented By: Tomas Lence, BS

Male Incontinence and Sexual Dysfunction Podium Session

WHAT IS A NORMAL TESTOSTERONE FOR YOUNG MEN? RETHINKING THE 300ng/dL CUTOFF FOR HYPOGONADISM
Alexander Zhu, DO, Juan Andino, MD MBA, Stephanie Daignault-Newton, MS, Zoey Chopra, BA, Aruna Sarma, PhD, James M. Dupree, MD MPH
University of Michigan
Presented By: Alexander Zhu, DO

Surgical Technology, Simulation and Education Poster Session

DEVELOPMENT AND APPLICATION OF A NOVEL AND OBJECTIVE SKILLS ASSESSMENT TOOL FOR TRANS-URETHRAL-RESECTION OF BLADDER TUMOR
Devon Langston, BA1, Cheryl Lee, MD2, Kamal Pohar, MD2, Debasish Sundi, MD2, Michael Gong, MD2, Dinah Diab, BS2, Alicia Scimeca, BA2, Tasha Posid, MA, PhD2
1The Ohio State University College of Medicine, 2Department of Urology, The Ohio State University Wexner Medical Center
Presented By: Devon M. Langston, BA
INTERVESICAL SEQUENTIAL GEMCITABINE AND DOCETAXEL VERSUS BACILLUS CALMETTE-GUERIN (BCG) PLUS INTERFERON IN PATIENTS WITH RECURRENT NON-MUSCLE INVASIVE BLADDER CANCER FOLLOWING SINGLE INDUCTION COURSE OF BCG


1University of Iowa Hospitals and Clinics, 2Washington University School of Medicine, 3UPMC Pinnacle, 4Holden Comprehensive Cancer Center, 5University of Calgary, 6Beth Isreal Deaconess Medical Center, 7Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center, 8University of Arizona School of Medicine, 9Johns Hopkins University, 10MD Anderson Cancer Center

Presented By: Justin N. Drobish, MD

IMPACT OF PROSTATE-SPECIFIC ANTIGEN (PSA) SCREENING INTENSITY ON PROSTATE CANCER DIAGNOSIS IN A RACIALLY DIVERSE HEALTHCARE SYSTEM OVER A 25-YEAR PERIOD

Deepansh Dalela, Marcus Jamil, Akshay Sood, Jacob Keeley, Brett Friedman, Patrick Etta, Craig Rogers, Mani Menon, Firas Abdollah

1Department of Urology, Henry Ford Health System, 2Oakland University William Beaumont School of Medicine

Presented By: Deepansh Dalela

NEIGHBORHOOD SOCIOECONOMIC DISADVANTAGE ASSOCIATED WITH INCREASED MORTALITY FOLLOWING RADICAL CYSTECTOMY

Jacob Knorr, BS, Rebecca Campbell, MD, Jarrod Dalton, PhD, Pritthvi Murthy, MD, Georges-Pascal Haber, MD PhD, Byron Lee, MD PhD

1Cleveland Clinic Glickman Urologic and Kidney Institute, 2Cleveland Clinic Quantitative Health Sciences

Presented By: Jacob M. Knorr, BS

ASSESSING THE IMPACT OF HOSPITAL DISMISSAL SUMMARY READABILITY ON PATIENT OUTCOMES FOLLOWING PROSTATECTOMY

Madeleine G. Manka, MD, Boyd R. Viens, MD, Raevti Bole, MD, Paige E. Nichols, MD, Stephen A. Boorjian, MD, Matthew K. Tollefson, MD, Brian J Linder, MD

Mayo Clinic

Presented By: Madeleine G. Manka, MD
**Video Session Winners**

**Oncology Video Session**

**Video #6**

**SINGLE-PORT REMOVAL OF ERODED PENILE PROSTHESIS RESERVOIR AND FISTULA REPAIR**
Ronney Abaza, MD, FACS, Paul Kogan, MD, Oscar Martinez
OhioHealth Dublin Methodist Hospital
Presented By: Ronney Abaza, MD, FACS

**Benign Video Session**

**Video #11**

**MCINDOE NEOVAGINA CREATION IN THE MANAGEMENT OF VAGINAL AGENESIS**
Brian Linder, MD, John Gebhart, MD
Mayo Clinic
Presented By: Brian J. Linder, MD

**Best Bizarre and Interesting Case**

**Bizarre and Interesting Cases Podium Session**

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**METASTATIC CROHN’S DISEASE; A CASE OF GENITAL CUTANEOUS CROHN’S DISEASE INVOLVING THE PENIS AND SCROTUM**
Zubin Shetty, MD, MS, Megan Schober, MD, PhD
Beaumont Health, Dept. of Urology, Royal Oak, MI
Presented By: Zubin Shetty, MD, MS, BS

**John D. Silbar Award**

Michele Fascelli, MD
Cleveland Clinic Foundation, Cleveland, OH

**Thirlby Award**

Ronney Abaza, MD, FACS
Central Ohio Urology Group, Dublin, OH

**NARCOTIC AVOIDANCE AFTER ROBOTIC RADICAL CYSTECTOMY ALLOWS ROUTINE OF ONLY TWO-DAY HOSPITAL STAY**
Ronney Abaza, MD, FACS, Paul Kogan, MD, Oscar Martinez
OhioHealth Dublin Methodist Hospital
Presented By: Ronney Abaza, MD, FACS

**Video Session Winners**

**Traveling Fellowship Award**

Katherine M. Theisen, MD
Mayo Clinic, Rochester, MN

**NCS Health Policy Young Investigator Award**

Juan Jose Andino, MD, MBA
University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI

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**NOT EVERYONE CAN USE VIDEO VISITS: USING PHONE ENCOUNTERS FOR UROLOGIC CARE DURING COVID-19**
Juan Andino, MD, MBA, Erica Odukoya, MPH, Sophia Ng, PhD, Emma Steppe, MPH, Chad Ellimott, MD, MPH
1Michigan Medicine Urology, 2Institute for Healthcare Policy Innovation, Ann Arbor, MI
Presented By: Juan J. Andino, MD, MBA
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