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Justin is a corporate, board and public policy advisor. In addition, he's Chairman Emeritus of the HIMSS EHR Association and Co-Founder of the Health Innovation Think Tank where he assists these organizations with industry strategy, collaboration and leadership. Mr. Barnes is also the host of healthcare's most popular weekly syndicated radio show "[This Just In](#)" that airs on Healthcare Radio and Business Radio X. He's also the voice of [HIMSS Radio](#).

Barnes previously was a member of the Leadership and Growth teams at Greenway Health where he worked for 11 years primarily serving as Vice President of Marketing, Corporate Development, Business Development, Government Relations and International Affairs.

In addition, Barnes was a member of the founding team and Vice President of Sales and Account Management of the patient-provider communications and engagement company, Healinx Corporation. Today, Healinx is known as the RelayHealth Division of McKesson. Before joining Healinx, Barnes held several national Sales positions with HBO & Company that subsequently merged with McKesson in 1999.

Justin has formally addressed and/or testified before Congress as well as the last three Presidential Administrations on more than twenty occasions with statements relating to alternative payment & care delivery models, MACRA, value-based medicine, revenue cycle management, interoperability, EHR meaningful use, consumerism, health IT innovation, health information exchange, patient engagement, quality, HIPAA and the globalization of healthcare. Barnes is a regular public speaker on these issues and has appeared in more than 2,000 journals, magazines and broadcast media outlets relating to national leadership of healthcare and health IT. In addition, Barnes has advised several U.S. Presidential campaigns on healthcare public policy, health information exchange, health IT and EHRs.

Barnes majored in Legal Studies and holds a BA & BS from the University of Massachusetts at Amherst. He holds a Certificate of Diagnostics from Emory's School of Medicine and is also a HIMSS Fellow. Justin proudly served Rotary International as a Board Member and Chairman of Public Relations for the Amherst Rotary Club. He's also a veteran, having served in the United States Army within Infantry (11B) & Communication (31M) Units.

Industry & Governance Positions

Chairman Emeritus of the HIMSS Electronic Health Record Association (EHR Association)
Co-Founder, Health Innovation Think Tank (HIThinkTank)
Board Member, GA HIMSS
Co-Founder & Director, Mobile Health Consortium
Co-Chairman, Accountable Care Community of Practice (ACCoP)
Board Member, Bipartisan Policy Center Task Force on Delivery System Reform & Health IT
Board Member, The Sequoia Project (*formerly Healthway*)
Co-Founder, The Sequoia Project's Carequality
Co-Founder & Board Member, CommonWell Health Alliance
Co-Founder & Board Member, Integrating the Healthcare Enterprise (IHE-USA)
Board Member, National Science Foundation (NSF) Body of Knowledge Advisory Board
Fellow, Healthcare Information Management and Systems Society (HIMSS)
Member of National Governors Association (NGA) Health Information Protection Task Force
Member of HIMSS Veterans Career Service (VCS) Advisory Council



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