



American Association of Physicists in Medicine

DELAWARE VALLEY CHAPTER (AAPM-DVC)

DVC National Leaders of the AAPM

Presidents



John Hale
(1962)



Robert O. Gorson
(1969)



Nagalingam Suntharalingam
(1983)



Alfred Smith
(1990)

Secretaries



Leonard Stanton
(1965 - 1971)



D. John Wright
(1976 - 1978)



James M. Galvin
(1997 - 1999)

Treasurers



Benjamin Galkin
(1968 - 1973)



Mary Moore
(2008 - 2009)

DVC Officers of 2024

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Avery, Stephen M	Harrison, Amy S	Smith, Rene J
Bakic, Predrag	Huq, M. Saiful	Solberg, Timothy D
Brown, Karen	Li, Shidong	Stanton, Leonard
Carlson, David J	Lightfoot, David A	Suntharalingam, Nagalingam
Chen, Lili	Ma, Chang Ming Charlie	Nagalingam
Chu, James	Maidment, Andrew D	Vinogradskiy, Yevgeniy
Das, Indra J	Maughan, Richard L	Wang, Lu
Dave, Jaydev K	Mihailidis, Dimitris N	Wright, D. John
Dong, Lei	Moore, Mary E	Wu, Andrew
Galkin, Benjamin M	Mourtada, Firas	Xiao, Ying
Galvin, James M	Och, Joseph	Yu, Yan
Gingold, Eric L	Pai, Sujatha	Zhu, Timothy C
Gorson, Robert O	Price, Robert A	Zhu, Xiaowei
Grimm, Jimm	Saw, Cheng B	
Hale, John	Smith, Alfred R	

DVC Presidents

Amy Harrison	Laura Doyle	Ying Xiao
Andrew Maidment	Leonard Kim	
Brian Hasson	Leonard Stanton	
Cheng Peng	M. Saiful Huq	
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David Lightfoot	René Smith	
Eric Gingold	Robert Gorson	
Firas Mourtada	Robert Price	
Indra Das	Shannon O'Reilly	
Jatinder Palta	Shawn McNeeley	
Jay Reiff	Timothy Zhu	
Jerry Edelstein	Virginia Lockamy	
Jinsheng Li	Winnie Zhu	
John Hale	Yan Chen	
John Sweet	Yan Yu	

AAPM Award Winners

Coolidge Award

- 1992 – Nagalingam Suntharalingam
- 1996 – Leonard Stanton
- 1998 – Bengt D. Bjarngard

Achievement in Medical Physics

- 1997 – Robert O. Gorson
- 1998 – John Hale
- 2008 – James M. Galvin

Farrington Daniels Award

- 1992 – M. Saiful Huq
- 1994 – Harold Perera

National Hosts

The DVC played host to the Annual AAPM Meeting in Philadelphia in 1972, 1996 and 2010.

Of note, the 1972 meeting was the first AAPM meeting to have an exhibit hall. Twenty vendors displayed their goods.

2022 Fall Meeting – in person!



History of the DVC AAPM

The Philadelphia Radiological Physicists was formed on February 28, 1952 by John Hale and Robert Gorson of University Hospital S. Reid Warren, Jr. and Ferdinand Werner of University of Pennsylvania James Bierly of Jefferson and Pennsylvania Hospitals George Henney of Temple Hospital James Weatherwax and Theodore Miles of Oncologic Hospital Theodore Sopp of Philadelphia General, Hahnemann, and Jewish Hospitals.

During the meeting, the founding members elected leadership and formed committees with specific oversight goals. It was decided that the society would meet on the last Thursday of every month.

The first official meeting was held on March 27, 1952. The members would discuss interhospital problems and the future directions of the group.

The Philadelphia Radiological Physicists assimilated into the American Association of Physicists in Medicine when the organization was formed in 1958.

*Information obtained from the Philadelphia Radiological Physicists meeting minutes

Delaware Valley Area



2024 Young Investigator Symposium Winners

We had an exciting event this year, with a tie for first place! Congratulations to all the YIS award recipients!

- 1st Place – Brook Byrd - Penn
- 1st Place – Vincent Dong - Penn
- 3rd Place – Chris Tyerech - Penn