



American Association of Physicists in Medicine

DELAWARE VALLEY CHAPTER (AAPM-DVC)

DVC National Leaders of the AAPM

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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)

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Benjamin Galkin
(1968 - 1973)



Mary Moore
(2008 - 2009)

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Jay Reiff

Teh Lin

Jerry Edelstein

Timothy Zhu

Jinsheng Li

Virginia Lockamy

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John Sweet

Yan Chen

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.

2024 Fall Meeting at Estia!



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 – Muskan Lather - Penn

2nd Place – Wenchao Cao - Jefferson

3rd Place – Xiaokun Teng - Penn

3rd Place – Vikas Aragam - Penn