Rules

Who is eligible?
As of the AAPM 2019 Annual Meeting, you must be a current Student, Junior, or Resident member of AAPM. Your presentation must be based on your own, original research.

How to enter
Each AAPM Chapter will be holding a separate competition. International trainees and trainees who belong to an AAPM Chapter not holding a competition will enter the contest through video application. The winner of each preliminary competition will be invited to the final competition at AAPM 2019.

Final Live Presentation
- Visuals
  - PowerPoint slides allowed but optional; no Prezi or other presentation formats
  - Maximum of 3 slides, exclusive of title slide to be generated by STSC
  - Slide material cannot be created by a professional
  - No embedding of audio and/or video clips is allowed
  - No gifs, animations, or slide transitions allowed. Participants may be asked to provide their slides in pdf format.
- No additional props (e.g. laser pointers, costumes, musical instruments, laboratory equipment) are permitted
- In cases of collaborative research, the presenter’s contribution to the project must be salient and clearly specified
- Presentations must be given in English. Spoken word presentations (e.g. poems, rap, or song) are not permitted
- Presenters must remain on stage for the duration of their presentation
- Timing will commence from the moment the presenter starts talking with 3 minutes permitted (-1 point if overtime, plus an additional 1 point penalty per 5 seconds thereafter)

Prizes
1st place: $500
2nd place: $300
People’s choice: $200

Videotaping
The 2019 AAPM MedPhys Slam live event will be photographed as well as videotaped. By entering the contest, you agree to allow the AAPM to use the resulting photographs and/or video, which may include your image or presentation, in publicity surrounding the contest and/or in other contexts, such as websites, promotional materials, etc.