

RAMPS 2011 Calendar:

1. 1/6/2011: Call for abstract for YIS.
2. 1/24/2011: Board Meeting and Failla Memorial Lecture “Forty Years of Health Physics – Looking Back and Looking Ahead” by Michael Ryan, Ph.D. Board Meeting.
3. 1/31/2011: Deadline for YIS abstract submission.
4. 3/1/2011: Board Meeting and seminar “NCRP Report 168 Radiation Dose Management for Fluoroscopically Guided Medical Interventional Procedures” by Stephen Balter, Ph.D..
5. 3/22/2011: Board Meeting and SAL VACIRCA Young Investigator Symposium.
6. 4/13/2011: Special meeting for RAPHEX
7. 4/30/2011: Spring Symposium “Novel Radiation Detectors and their applications in dosimetry, imaging and health physics”
8. 5/24/2011: Board Meeting and seminar “Recent development in dose-volume risk factors for predicting normal tissue toxicity” by Joe Deasy, Ph.D.
9. 5/31/11: Deadline for nomination of new officers for 2012
10. Mid-June: New officer election
11. 6/30/11: Submission of the list of new officers to AAPM
12. ***Happy Summer!***
13. 9/20/2011: Board Meeting and seminar “Saving RAPHEX and RAMPS- how to write good questions” by Howard Amols, Ph.D.
14. 10/11/2011: Annual business meeting and seminar “AAPM Initiatives, 2011 and beyond” by Gary Ezzell, Ph.D., AAPM President Elect
15. 11/2/2011: Fourth Annual RSO Symposium “The Nuclear Accident in Fukushima Japan”
16. 11/15/2011: Board meeting and seminar “Tumor and organ delineations and their applications in therapy response assessment and radiation treatment planning” by Binsheng Zhao, Ph.D.
17. 12/8/2011: Board meeting, officer transition/planning for 2012 and seminar “The Evolution of Dose QA Metrics for Highly Conformal Plans” by Benjamin E. Nelms, Ph.D.
18. ***Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!***

Note: MPCEC hours will be applied to CAMPEP for the above scheduled symposiums and seminars. Special meeting might be arranged on a needed basis but MPCEC hours might/might not be applied depending on the budget, time and appropriateness of the topic.

Other important dates:

1. 3/7/11: AAPM abstract submission deadline
2. 3/16/11: ASTRO abstract submission deadline
3. AAPM Annual Meeting: 7/31-8/4
4. ASTRO Annual Meeting: 10/2-10/6