Students’ Guide to APhA2017

The APhA Academy of Student Pharmacists (APhA-ASP) invites all student pharmacists to participate in programming designed especially for you. Final-year student pharmacists are also welcome to participate in APhA New Practitioner Network sessions and networking events.

Friday, March 24

Resiliency Medicine: Immunizing for Stress
2:00pm–3:15pm
Hilton, Continental Ballroom 5

The evidence abounds. A compelling body of research estimates that psychosocial stressors can play a contributing role in aggravating and even initiating pathology. Patient stress can limit the efficacy of our efforts to achieve optimal care management AND our own practitioner stress can lead to errors in judgment, dissatisfaction and burnout. This topic belongs squarely within the pharmacists’ scope of practice and urgently calls for an expanded approach to caring for our patients AND caring for ourselves.

Health-System Pharmacy Administration Residencies: Learning to Lead
2:00pm–3:15pm
Hilton, Continental Ballroom 6
Supported by a grant from The Houston Program

Have you always envisioned a career in pharmacy leadership? Pharmacy needs leaders, now more than ever. Answer the call and come to this session! Learn more about how Health-System Pharmacy Administration Residencies prepare aspiring leaders to advance pharmacy practice from representatives from The Houston Program.

How to Get the Job You Never Knew You Always Wanted: Life in Academia
3:30pm–4:45pm
Hilton, Continental Ballroom 5
Supported by a grant from the American Association of Colleges of Pharmacy

Still not sure what you want to be when you “grow up”? Then this session is for you! Come to learn skills that can be applied to any pharmacy setting and why academia may just be the best job in pharmacy and the job for you!
Navigating Career Options in the Pharmaceutical Industry
3:30pm–4:45pm
Hilton, Continental Ballroom 6
Supported by a grant from the Rutgers Institute for Pharmaceutical Industry Fellowships

Please come and join fellows from the Rutgers Pharmaceutical Industry Fellowship Program as they provide an overview on industry fellowships and give insight to the many career paths for a PharmD in the industry setting. Those who join this session will also be invited to a networking event also hosted by the Rutgers Fellowship Program.

APhA-ASP Meet the Candidates
5:00pm–5:45pm
Convention Center, Hall E Foyer

APhA-ASP Opening General Session
6:00pm–8:00pm
Convention Center, Hall E

The best and brightest of the nation’s student pharmacists gather to celebrate the achievements of our Academy. During this session, regional award winners will be recognized and awards will be presented to the national winning chapters of our patient care and community outreach projects. Our keynote speaker will inspire, motivate, and energize you for APhA2017.

APhA Opening Reception
7:00pm–9:00pm
Convention Center, Exhibit Hall ABC

Peace, love, and pharmacy. Kick off our week together with an opportunity to network, be treated to hors d’oeuvres, and take a first look at the amazing offerings from our exhibitors.

APhA-ASP Welcoming Social – Back to the 90s
9:00pm–12:00am
Hilton, Grand Ballroom
Supported by a grant from CVS Health

Student pharmacists, get ready for a slammin’ social where we will party like it’s 1995! Show off your stylin’ 90s threads, get jiggy with it on the dance floor, and throw down against homies at a game station. It’s going to be all that! Show up without an ID? As if! Proper ID is required for the purchase of alcoholic beverages.

Saturday, March 25

APhA-ASP Chapter Advisor Workshop
7:00am–8:30am
Convention Center, Room 124

APhA-ASP Open Hearing on Proposed Resolutions and New Business
7:30am–8:45am
Convention Center, Gateway Ballroom
**APhA General Session**
9:00am–1:00am
Convention Center, Hall E

**Postgraduate Training, Education, and Certification Exposition**
11:30am–1:00pm
Convention Center, Exhibit Hall ABC

Meet representatives from pharmacy residency programs, postgraduate training programs, and connect with APhA New Practitioner Network leaders. Learn how these opportunities can jumpstart your career.

**APhA-ASP Open Candidate Review**
12:30pm–2:00pm
Convention Center, Gateway Ballroom

**APhA-ASP Meet the Candidates**
2:00pm–3:00pm
Convention Center, Gateway Ballroom Foyer

**APhA-ASP House of Delegates – First Session**
3:00pm–5:00pm
Convention Center, Gateway Ballroom

Help to shape the future of our profession through the APhA–ASP House of Delegates, the policymaking body for student pharmacists. During this session, we will charter our new chapters, select the award recipients of the APhA–ASP PharmFlix Video Contest, debate and vote on the 2017 proposed resolutions, and hear from APhA–ASP National President Kelsea Gallegos on the State of the Academy. Chapter Delegates must arrive by 2:30pm to check in and pick up their delegate materials and ribbon.

**Pharmacy Organization Receptions**
5:00pm–10:00pm

See APhA2017 Program Guide for all the details on times and locations.

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**APhA–ASP National Patient Counseling Competition**

During the 2017 APhA–ASP National Patient Counseling Competition (NPCC), chapter representatives from every school and college of pharmacy participate in preliminary rounds of competition on Friday and Saturday. The top 10 finalists compete in a final round of competition on Sunday. The 2017 NPCC winner, along with the top 10 finalists, is recognized at the APhA–ASP Awards Celebration on Sunday evening. All NPCC events take place at the Hilton. See the Schedule of Events Program for a complete listing of NPCC events.
Sunday, March 26

**APhA-ASP Chapter Officer Bootcamp**
8:00am–9:00am
Convention Center, Gateway Ballroom

Network with fellow APhA-ASP leaders, discover the keys to keeping your chapter in tip top shape, and share innovative ideas on keeping your chapter members engaged.

**APhA–ASP Chapter Officer Workshops**
9:30am–10:30am
Convention Center, See Room List Below

All current officers and student pharmacists interested in learning more about these opportunities are welcome to attend the sessions.

Presidents & Presidents-elect
Communications Vice Presidents
Finance Vice Presidents
International Vice Presidents
Membership Vice Presidents
Patient Care Vice Presidents
Policy Vice Presidents

**Navigating Career Options in the Pharmaceutical Industry**
9:30am–10:30am
Convention Center, Esplanade 301

*Supported by a grant from the Rutgers Pharmaceutical Industry Program*

**APhA–ASP Patient Care Workshops**
10:45am–12:00pm
Convention Center, See Room List Below

All Patient Care Vice Presidents, Project Chairs, and student pharmacists interested in learning more about these opportunities are welcome to attend the sessions. Special thanks to our national supporters: Rite Aid, Walgreens, Albertsons Safeway Pharmacies, McNeil Consumer Health Care, and Cardinal Health Foundation.

Operation Diabetes
Operation Heart
Operation Immunization
OTC Medicine Safety
Generation Rx

**Health-System Pharmacy Administration Residencies: Learning to Lead**
10:45am–12:00pm
Convention Center, Esplanade 301

*Supported by a grant from The Houston Program*
How to Get the Job You Never Knew You Always Wanted: Life in Academia
10:45am–12:00pm
Convention Center, Esplanade 308
Supported by a grant from the American Association of Colleges of Pharmacy

APhA-ASP Leadership Training Series
1:00pm–2:15pm
Convention Center, Gateway Ballroom
Supported by a grant from Walmart

APhA-ASP Meet the Candidates
2:15pm–2:45pm
Convention Center, Gateway Ballroom Foyer

APhA-ASP House of Delegates – Final Session
2:45pm–5:30pm
Convention Center, Gateway Ballroom

In this exciting final session of the APhA–ASP House of Delegates, the recipient of the APhA Good Government Student Pharmacist Award will be honored, students will debate and vote on any remaining proposed resolutions and new business items, and elect the 2017–18 APhA–ASP National Executive Committee. The session will close with APhA–ASP National President Michael Murphy presenting his Inaugural Address.

APhA–ASP Student Advocacy Reception
7:00pm–8:00pm
Convention Center, Gateway Ballroom Foyer

No ticket is required to attend the reception. A $15 fee is required to purchase the APhA-PAC cup which includes 2 beverage tickets.

APhA-ASP Awards Celebration
8:00pm–10:00pm
Convention Center, Hall E

Join us in celebrating the Academy's year by honoring student pharmacists and the recipients of the APhA–ASP Chapter Achievement, Linwood F. Tice, Dean, Chapter Advisor, and Student Leadership Awards. The results of the APhA–ASP PharmFlix Video Contest and National Patient Counseling Competition will also be announced.

The Chapter Achievement Awards program is supported by a grant from Walgreens.

For details on all APhA2017 events visit: aphameeting.pharmacist.com

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