North Central Chapter of AAPM (1973-2017)

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Formation of the North Central chapter was first considered in 1970; proposed constitution, by-laws and geographical boundary was discussed during the 1973 RSNA at the Blackstone Hotel. The first meeting was held April 5, 1974 in Madison, WI and was a joint meeting with the NC Health Physics Society. John Cameron served as the Temporary Chairman and Acting Secretary.



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November 13, 1970

Subject: Establishment of a Wisconsin Area Chapter of the AAPM

On November 11, 1970, several members of the AAPM (W.G. Connor, J. R. Cameron, C. A. Kelsey, J. M. Hevezi, H. Hansen and K. P. Doppke) held an informal meeting to discuss the desirability and feasibility of establishing a Wisconsin Regional Chapter of the AAPM. It was decided that this might be desirable and the Wisconsin Members of the AAPM are therefore being contacted to solicit their views. This is the purpose of this memorandum and I would appreciate receiving your comments as soon as possible.

The next step in the procedure will be to form an Ad-Hoc Organization Committee to contact the AAPM Regional Organization Committee and draft a constitution for our Regional Chapter. These efforts will proceed and interested members replying to this memorandum will be contacted about further developments. The list of AAPM members (see below) being contacted in this primary inquiry may not be complete and I would appreciate help in making sure all interested members are notified. Please tell your associates of this endeavor if their name does not appear in this list and I will include their names in the next mailing if they respond.

Thank you for your cooperation and I'll look forward to hearing

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A group of us have decided there is merit in having an AAPM Chapter in this area. We suggest that we call it the North Central Chapter. (It covers the same states as the North Central Chapter of the HPS.) If you are interested in joining this proposed chapter, please return the enclosed application blank. I would expect the dues to be approximately \$3/year and that we would have a half or full day meeting once or twice a year--perhaps in conjunction with the NC-HPS chapter or the Midwest AAPM chapter meeting.

If we get at least 10 full members we will draft a set of by-laws based on those of other AAPM chapters and circulate them for comments. This memo is being sent to those individuals in the attached list. If you know of other interested applicants please invite them to join. You do not have to be an AAPM member to belong to the chapter.

Your comments and suggestions would be welcome. If you are willing to be active as an officer or on the Board of the new chapter, please check the appropriate space.

December 4, 1973

Minutes of Proposed North Central Chapter of the AAPH (NC-AAPM)

An organizational meeting was held in the Blackstone Hotel on 28 November 1973 commencing at 1:00 P.M. with John Cameron serving as temporary Chairman. The following individuals were present: R. J. Boge, P. M. DeLuca, G. D. Fullerton, R. G. Lane, V. C. Moore, A. L. Orvis, B. R. Paliwal, J. T. Payne, J. R. Tesmer and C. R. Wilson. Ray Tinner was also present for a short while during the meeting. John Cameron asked how the members wished to have the meeting run; they agreed to have him

There was a discussion of the proposed constitution and by-laws of the NC-AAPM. Al Orvis proposed that the nowinating committee should be required to submit two names for each position. This was agreed upon unanimously.

AAPM member can join any chapter he wishes. It was generally felt that Iowa should be added to the list of states covered by the NC-AAPN since we have received membership applications from two medical physicists in Iowa and it is not clear that there are any other members in that state.

John Cameron reported that our application to be a chapter of the AAPM had been submitted several weeks earlier to the AAPM Regional Chapter Committee. The committee had not yet made a decision but there seemed little doubt that we would have eny problems being approved.

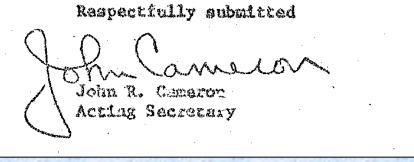
Cameron pointed out that 35 individuals had applied for membership and of these 26 are full or junior members of the AAPM.

Cameron suggested that an appropriate time and place for the first meeting of the new chapter would be Madison, Visconsin on the morning of April 5, 1974. The NC Chapter of the Health Physics Society will be peeting in Madison that afternoon and we could thus have an NC-AAPM Scientific meeting in the morning and an NC-HPS Scientific meeting in the afternoon. The details of the program and business meeting were left to an ed hoc committee which will also serve as the nominating committee. This committee is: Al Orwis, Vaughn Moore and John Cameron. This committee is to make nominations for the various offices and to arrange the election by mail ballot before April 5. 1974.

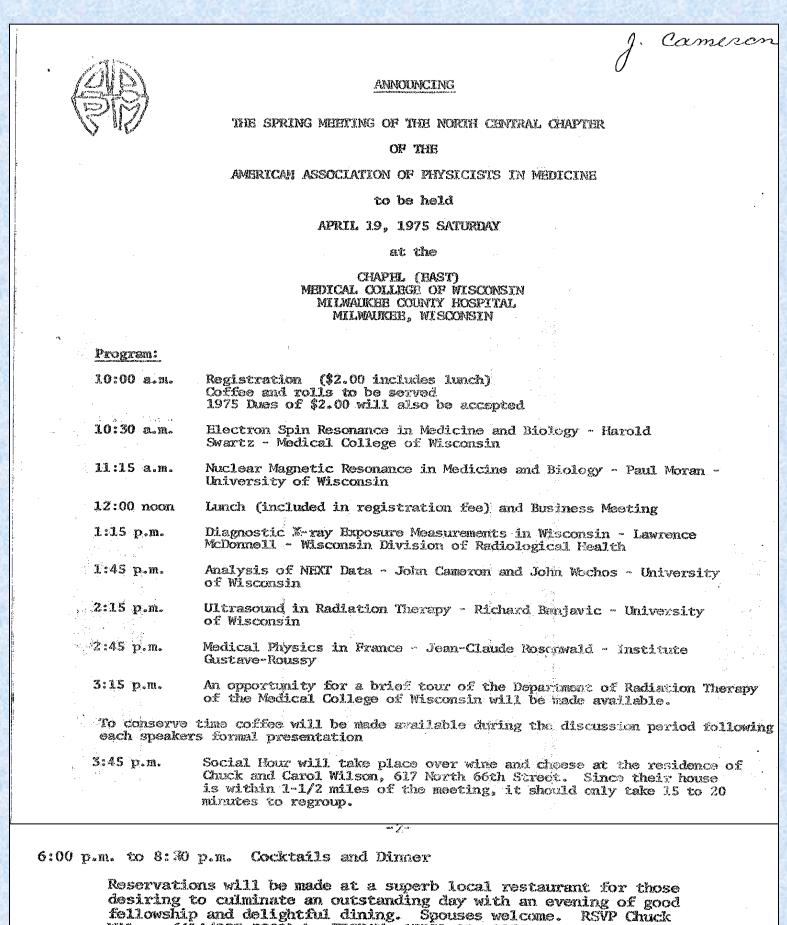
There was a brief discussion of dusa but since no money is needed at this time it was decided to postpone this matter until April 5.

The meeting adjourned at approximately 1:50 P.M.

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at 3:45 for the Social Hour.

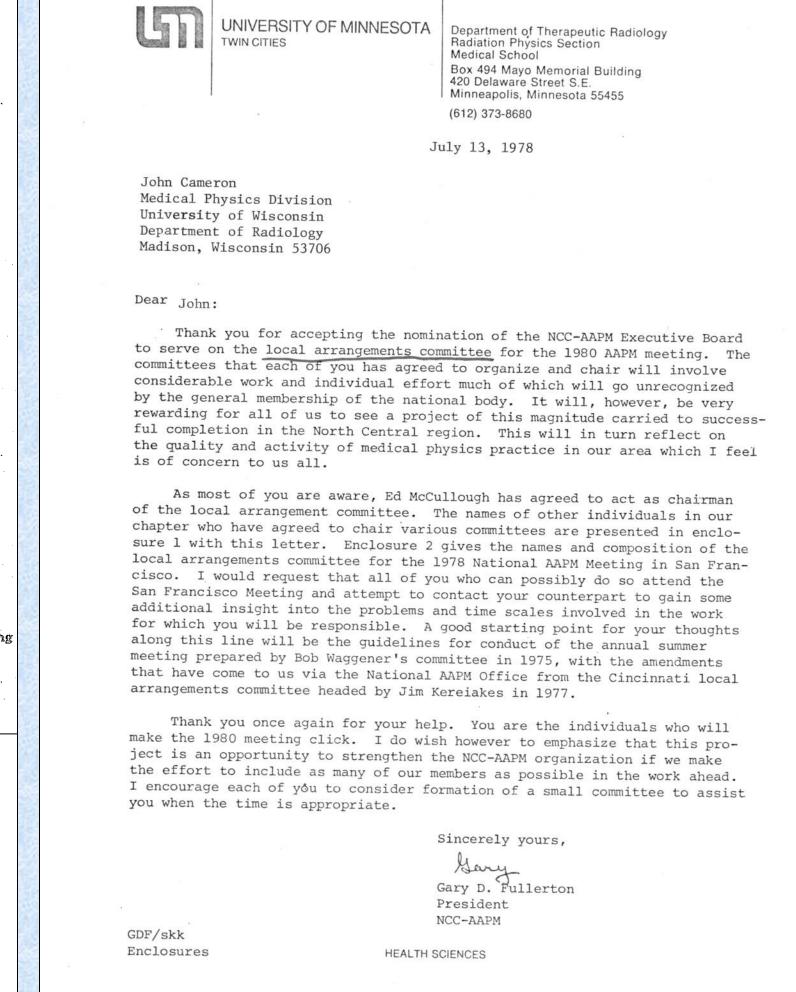
Ladies Program

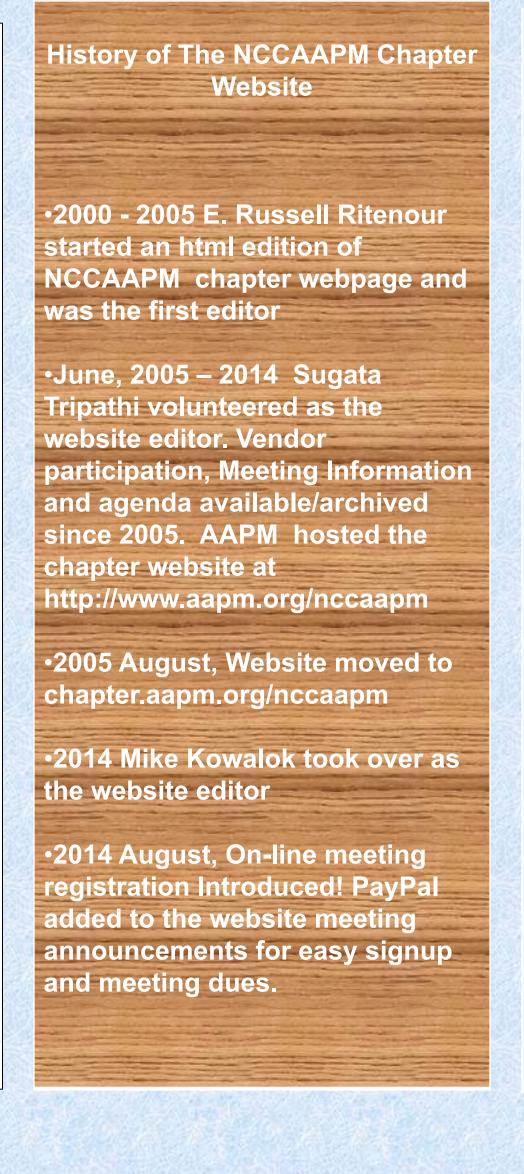
10:30 a.m. Carol Wilson has graciously volunteered to be the hostess of an

internal ladies program. After getting acquainted over coffee

whatever will take place finishing with a return to the Wilson's

at 10:00 at the Wilson's a day of shopping, sight seeing, or





ar Elected	Pres-elect	President	Secretary/Treasurer	Board Rep	Year Elected	Pres-elect	President	Secretary/Treasurer	Board Rep
1973	Temporary Chairperson – Cameron				1996	J Felmlee	D Bennett	T Murphy	B Thomadsen
1974	RG Lane	RJ Boge	JR Cameron		1997	B Scheuler	J Felmlee	R Kitchen	B Gerbi
1975	V Moore	RG Lane	D Tolbert	E McCullough	1998	R Wery	B Scheuler	R Kitchen	B Gerbi
1976	C Wilson	V Moore	D Tolbert	E McCullough	1999	J Wochos	R Wery	R Kitchen	B Gerbi
1977	G Fullerton	C Wilson	J Zagzebski	E McCullough	2000	B Thomadsen	J Wochos	D Marvel	R Geise
1978	E McCullough	G Fullerton	J Zagzebski	C Wilson	2001	J Limmer	B Thomadsen	D Marvel	R Geise
1979	B Paliwal	E McCullough	M Liss	C Wilson	2002	D Loshek	J Limmer	D Marvel	R Geise
1980	T Payne	B Paliwal	M Liss	C Wilson	2003	R Kruger	D Loshek	J Rownd	ER Ritenour
1981	M Liss	T Payne	B Thomadsen	C Wilson	2004	E Hendee	R Kruger	J Rownd	ER Ritenour
1982	J Allen	M Liss	L Rutz	C Wilson	2005	W Tang	E Hendee	J Rownd	J Limmer
1983	J Anderson	J Allen	R Geise	B Paliwal	2006	M Towsley	W Tang	P Alaei	J Limmer
1984	R Kline	J Anderson	S Reed	B Paliwal	2007	J Rownd	M Towsley	P Alaei	J Limmer
1985	J Wochos	R Kline	S Reed	B Paliwal	2008	Y Watanabe	J Rownd	R Dahl	E Hendee
1986	S Goetsch	J Wochos	S Reed	A Niroomand-Rad	2009	C Thomason	Y Watanabe	R Dahl	E Hendee
1987	M Fox	S Goetsch	D Simpkin	A Niroomand-Rad	2010	R Dahl	C Thomason	J Smilowitz	E Hendee
1988	S Reed	M Fox	D Simpkin	A Niroomand-Rad	2011	P Alaei	R Dahl	J Smilowitz	D Bennett
1989	D Porter	S Reed	D Simpkin	S Goetsch	2012	G Chen	P Alaei	W Geisler	D Bennett
1990	L DeWerd	D Porter	M Towsley	S Goetsch	2013	M Kowalok	G Chen	W Geisler	D Bennett
1991	B Gerbi	L DeWerd	M Towsley	B Thomadsen	2014	S Tripathi	M Kowalok	W Culberson	T Murphy
1992	M Garrity	B Gerbi	J Felmlee	B Thomadsen	2015	C Abing	S Tripathi	W Culberson	T Murphy
1993	D Bourland	M Garrity	J Felmlee	B Thomadsen	2016	W Culberson	C Abing	P Yadav	T Murphy
1994	ER Ritenour	D Bourland	T Murphy	B Thomadsen	2017	P Hill	W Culberson	P Yadav	M Kowalok
1005	D Bennett	ER Ritenour	T Murphy	B Thomadsen					