

AAPT Retreat Agenda

Retreat Goals:

- **Local Networks (Section Reps):** *To develop a proposed structure that makes it possible:*
 - *for local networks to better serve current and potential stakeholders, and thereby support the mission of the central organization.*
 - *for the central office to serve local networks more effectively.*
- **Intellectual Domains (Area Chairs):** *To develop a proposed structure that makes it possible:*
 - *for members with specialized interests or constituencies to be more engaged in setting and advancing the mission of the central organization.*
 - *for the central office to better support and serve members with specialized interests or constituencies .*
- **(Section Reps and Area Chairs)** *To join these proposed structures into a coherent whole to guide the AAPT in the full achievement of its mission and vision.*

Retreat Processes:

- **During the Retreat, we will develop, review and discuss:**
 - *structures/activities/strategies that would support AAPT in fully achieving its mission and vision.*
 - *a process for visioning that will help guide discussions.*
 - *various models and approaches regarding restructuring AAPT that can be proposed to the Governance Committee, Executive Board and the Council.*
 - *next steps in the restructuring process.*

Wednesday, May 23

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| 6:00-7:15 pm | Dinner/Socializing--ACP Cafeteria
Members of the US Physics Olympics team will join us for dinner. |
| 7:15-8:00 pm | Welcome--ACP Conference Room A
Greg Puskar, Mary Mogge, Alan Gibson
Orientation, Overview, Expectations
Steve Iona, Ingrid Novodvorsky
Background
Bernie Khoury, Warren Hein, Karen Johnston |
| 8:00-9:00 pm | Future of AAPT
Toufic Hakim
Norms for Retreat
Steve Iona, Ingrid Novodvorsky |
| 9:05 pm | Board buses to hotel |

Thursday, May 24

- 7:00–8:40 am** **Breakfast @ Hilton Garden Inn**
- 8:40 am** **Bus Pickup from hotel to ACP**
- 9:00-10:30 am** **AAPT Visioning**
Participants will meet in assigned small groups consisting of Area Chairs and Section Reps. Each small group will be given the *Vision Charge* (document distributed at retreat) and asked to develop a model to address that charge.
- 10:30-10:45 am** **Break**
- 10:45 am-12:30 pm** **AAPT Restructuring Part 1**
Participants move into 3 larger groups; each group will include both Area Chairs and Section Reps. Participants will share progress made in the first session, and then the larger groups will work to develop consensus models.
- 12:30-2:00 pm** **Lunch/Walking/Chatting**
ACP Cafeteria/ACP Grounds
- 2:00-3:45 pm** **AAPT Restructuring Part 2**
Participants continue to meet in 3 larger groups to develop consensus models..
- 3:45-4:00 pm** **Break**
- 4:00-5:45 pm** **Emerging Models**
Participants will meet in one large group to hear reports from each of the groups in the previous session.
- 6:00-8:00 pm** **Dinner and Socializing—ACP Cafeteria**
- 8:05 pm** **Board buses to hotel**

Friday, May 25

- 7:00–8:40 am** **Breakfast @ Hilton Garden Inn**
- 8:40 am** **Bus Pickup from hotel to ACP**
- 9:00-9:15 am** **Large Group Session—Conference Room A**
Announcements
Overview of Today’s Work
Charge to Small Groups
- 9:15-11:00 am** **Small Group Sessions (AC2, SR4, etc.; same rooms as first session on Thursday)**
Small groups to develop structures and procedures to support emerging AAPT model
- 11:10am -noon** **Large Group Session—Conference Room A**
Small groups report out regarding structures and procedures
Closure and next steps