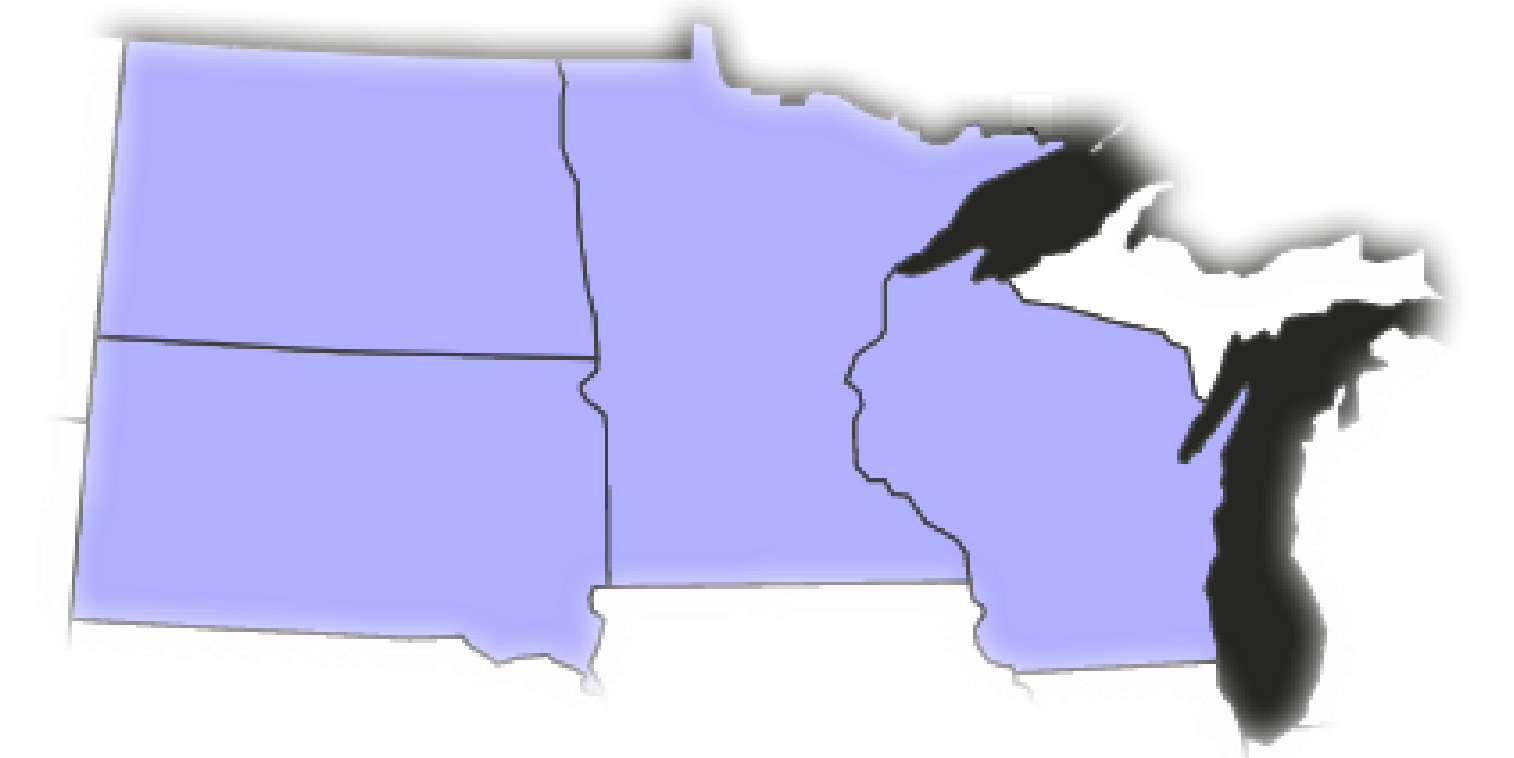


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NORTH CENTRAL CHAPTER



Ashley Tao (Acknowledgements: Mitchell Carroll, Wesley Culberson, Gemma Davies, Larry DeWerd, Bruce Thomadsen)

Formation of the North Central Chapter (NCC) 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 NCC Health Physics Society. John Cameron served as the Temporary Chairman and Acting Secretary.



2022-2023 Chapter Officers:
Gemma Davies (Secretary-Treasurer)
Ashley Tao (President-Elect)
Mitchell Carroll (President)
Wesley Culberson (Chapter Board Representative)
Jennifer Smilowitz (Past-President) – not pictured

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF PHYSICISTS IN MEDICINE

November 9, 1973

M E M O

TO: Members and Possible Members of the North Central Chapter of the AAPM

FROM: John R. Cameron, Acting Secretary/Treasurer

Our application for becoming an official chapter of the AAPM has been submitted and we expect positive action at the next meeting of the Regional Chapters Committee on November 27.

We are planning to have a short organizational meeting of the North Central Chapter during the AAPM-RENA Meetings in Chicago. The meeting will be held on Wednesday, November 28, from 1-2 P.M. in the Sheraton-Blackstone. The meeting room will be posted. Please plan to attend if at all possible.

The main purpose for this meeting will be to elect officers and set up a date for our next meeting. Listed below are the present members who have expressed a willingness to be considered for election to an office. I feel we should have a general policy of limiting the number of officers from one organization, e.g. the president and president-elect should not be from the same place. I am willing to be nominated as a candidate for secretary/treasurer.

R. Jerome Boge - LaCrosse	E. C. McCullough - Mayo Clinic
John R. Cameron - UW, Madison	Richard Moore - Univ. of Minn.
Gary M. Chenevert - UW, Madison	Alan L. Orvis - Mayo Clinic
Herbert L. Jackson - Iowa State Univ.	Melvin P. Siebman - UW, Madison
Charles A. Kelsey - UW, Madison	Ed Silverstein - Milwaukee
Faiz M. Khan - Univ. of Minn.	Charles R. Wilson - UW, Madison

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December 4, 1973

Minutes of Proposed North Central Chapter of the AAPM (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. N. Deluca, G. D. Fullerton, R. G. Lane, V. G. Moore, A. L. Orvin, B. R. Paliwal, J. T. Payne, J. R. Tague and C. R. Wilson. Ray Tague 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 chair the meeting.

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

There was a brief discussion of the geographical bounds of the NC-AAPM. It was pointed out that there are not strict rules on this matter and any 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-AAPM 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 any 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, Wisconsin on the morning of April 5, 1974. The NC Chapter of the Health Physics Society will be meeting in Madison that afternoon and we could thus have an NC-AAPM Scientific meeting in the morning and a business meeting in the afternoon. The details of the program and business meeting were left to an ad hoc committee which will also serve as the nominating committee. This committee sat: Al Orvis, 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 dues 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.

Respectfully submitted

John R. Cameron
John R. Cameron
Acting Secretary

JRC:mr

William R. Coolidge Award

- John R. Cameron (1980)
- William Hendee (1989)
- Frank H. Attix (1994)
- Faiz Khan (1999)
- Bhudatt Paliwal (2002)
- Rock Mackie (2014)

Marvin M. D. Williams Professional Achievement Award

- Faiz Khan (1998)
- Bhudatt Paliwal (2002)
- E McCollough (2005)

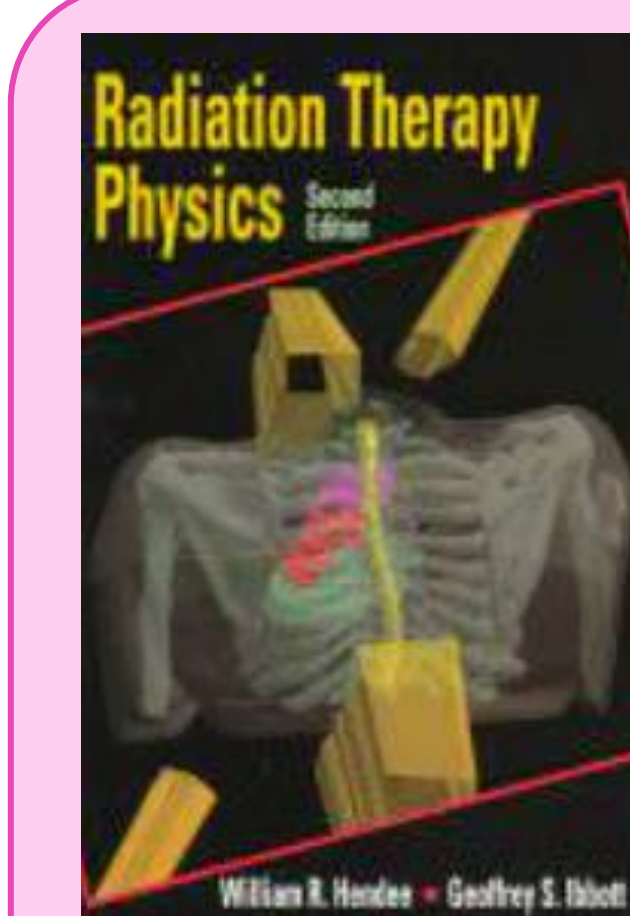
Edith Quimby Lifetime Achievement Award

- Larry DeWerd (2015)

A few highlights...

Formation of the North Central Chapter

1st CT in North America, Mayo Clinic



Hendee 1st ed.



Edwin McCollough, Faiz Khan, Bruce Gerbi, Rob Kline

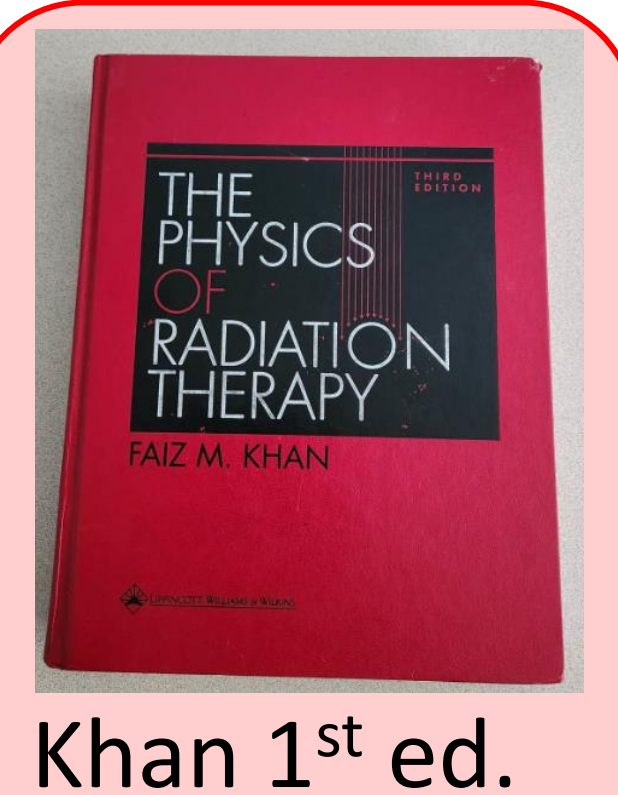
Spring Meeting University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN



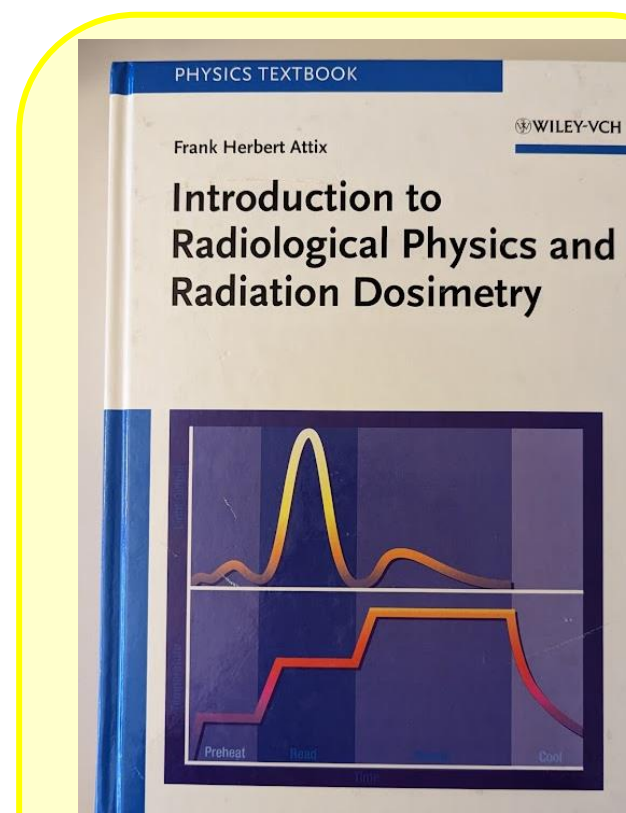
Spring Meeting Nassef Specialty Center United Hospital, St. Paul, MN

50th Anniversary Celebration Fall Meeting – Oct 28 @ Glacier Canyon Conference Center, Wisconsin Dells, WI

All are invited. Come join us!



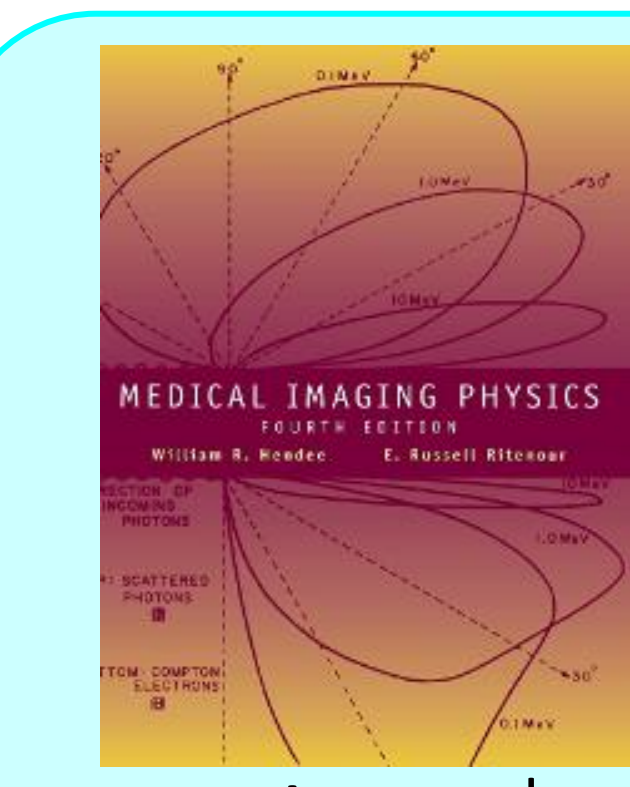
Khan 1st ed.



Attix 1st ed.



Chuck Mistretta & John Cameron

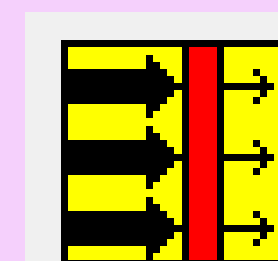


Hendee 3rd ed.



Rock Mackie, Tomotherapy

Xraybarr
Doug Simpkin



Fall Meeting – Marriott West, Middleton, WI



Fall Meeting - Stoney Creek Conference Center, La Crosse, WI

Inaugural National Med Phys SLAM winner – Ashley Tao



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