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SDAMPP Symposium

2009 AAPM Annual Meeting Anaheim, CA

Monday, July 27

Room 210 D - Convention Center - 1:30pm - 4:10pm

E. Russell Ritenour - Welcome and Introduction

Jim Dobbins - How to Change the World in Six Easy Steps

E. Russell Ritenour - Helping Physics Majors Become Medical Physicists

Michael Mills - Program Administration and Maintenance of Documentation

John Bayouth - Medical Physics Residency

Ehsan Samei - Report on a National Survey on DMP

Charles Coffey - The DMP Program at Vanderbilt

All Speakers - Panel with Open Mike for Audience Participation

Abstract

This symposium has three goals. One is to provide educators with some current information concerning Best Practices in both education and administration. The second is to provide updates on issues of concern to both students and educators. The issues are: the current status of SDAMPP, progress in the development of new medical physics residencies, and the development of professional doctorates. The third goal is to hear comments, concerns, and suggestions from students, educators, and other interested parties. Toward that end, the symposium will end with a panel discussion with an open microphone for audience participation.