Seven 8.1 Things You Need to Know About the 2018 APCR Sessions at AUR

Hello APCR Members!

"To handle yourself, use your head; to handle others, use your heart." - Eleanor Roosevelt

“Around here, however, we don't look backwards for very long. We keep moving forward, opening up new doors and doing new things, because we're curious...and curiosity keeps leading us down new paths.” - Walt Disney Company

Professional” reinforces our commitment to the development of the whole person. We have programed exciting and fresh content for coordinators at all points in their careers.

1) Sunday, May 6 – 1:00pm-5:00pm – New Coordinator Foundation Course

Before the AUR even officially begins, the APCR will host the 2nd Annual Foundation Course for its newest members. Formally called the Boot Camp, the New Coordinator Foundation Course spotlights the essentials which all Radiology Residency and Fellowship Coordinators need from Day 1 in the profession: the timeline and description of responsibilities, familiarity with multi-media resources for professional and networking references, problem-solving forums incorporating the experiences of novice and experienced PCs alike.

If you have worked for two years or less in the position of program coordinator, this course will help you build a strong base upon which you can professionally expand.

There is no added fee to attend the New Coordinator Foundation Course, however you must register here: https://www.eventbrite.com/e/apcr-foundation-course-aur-2018-annual-meeting-tickets-42095425551

2) Sunday, May 6 – 6:00pm-8:00pm – APCR Welcome Reception

“You can discover more about a person in an hour of play than in a year of conversation.” - Plato

“Play is the beginning of knowledge.” - George Dorsey

Everyone please join in on the fun at the APCR reception! Door prizes, ice-breaker games, friendly competition, refreshments, reunions of old friends and selfies with new friends! Whether it’s your first APCR or your tenth, you’re bound to meet new colleagues and expand your professional network.

3) Monday, May 7 – 10:00am-11:30am – Can I Increase My Emotional Intelligence, and Why Should I?

There is a lot of buzz lately about Emotional Intelligence, or EQ. Unlike IQ which is fixed, EQ can be learned and applied. What is it? How can I raise my EQ? And most importantly, how can I utilize EQ to develop professionally as a coordinator or program administrator. This session is brought to in partnership with the Radiology Leadership Institute (RLI), Dr. Cheri Canon, and former APCR member, Stefani Hodgkins.
4) Tuesday, May 8 – 10:00am-11:30am – Leading from the Middle: Maximizing Coordinator Effectiveness

How can you assume a leadership role when you are not in charge? Your ability to lead does not solely derive from being called a manager or having a leadership title. Leadership power comes from many sources: expertise, knowledge, connections, information, character, etc. Whether or not you consider yourself a leader, you are faced with leadership challenges every day, and you have hidden sources of power that enable you to lead. APCR member, Nilu Norschner will lead an exciting interactive segment, followed by a lecture and Q & A with Dr. Frank Lexa, from the Radiology Leadership Institute.

5) Tuesday, May 8 – 12:00pm-1:30pm – Member Lunch & 4th Annual Coordinator Knowledge Competition

Come and join your friends and colleagues for food, fun, and a little friendly competition. Advanced registration is required to reserve your seat (APCR Members only). This is to provide an accurate headcount to the AUR planners. There is no additional charge to attend this event.

Register now: https://2018apcrmemberlunch.eventbrite.com

6) Wednesday, May 9 – 8:00am-9:30am - Three Perspectives on Resident Wellness

There is no singular approach to physician well-being. This forum features presentations by APCR member, Kelly Aronson; Program Director, Dr. Madelene Lewis; and A3CR² member, Dr. Dexter Mendoza. The session will include a lively panel discussion with lots of time for Q&A.

7) Thursday, May 10 – 8:00am-9:30am – Best Practices of APCR Membership

This lighting round will bring together eight APCR members presenting brief, fact-filled examples of proven methods which can help you fulfill your responsibilities more efficiently, effectively, and sustainably.

8) The APCR Meeting App is back!

Launch Date: April 23, 2018

Download and installation instructions will be distributed via the listserv.

8.1) And More: AUR is proud to debut these innovative activities for 2018:

- Breakfast Roundtable Discussions
- Giving Tuesday
- Reflective Art Presentations
- Wacky Golf

Other important changes for 2018:

- AUR Plenary Session on Opening Day
- Family-friendly Welcome Reception
- Specific Education, Research and Leadership Track Sessions each Morning
- Special Session: LGBT-Related State Laws: How Can Academic Radiology Respond?

The AUR Online Meeting Program is available now. Plan ahead to make the most of your time at the Annual Meeting. The AUR Online Meeting Manager is live now. Browse the program, view travel information and find out more about the local attractions.

Believe it or not - this is not all for the 2018 APCR! We will attend joint APDR-APCR sessions and plenary sessions, the AIRP update and ACGME RRC Q & A, APCR business meetings, committee meetings and member lunches. Look for the Quick Start Guide coming in late April.