

GENERAL INFORMATION — REGISTRATION AND SOCIAL EVENT

The APS Intersociety Meeting: *The Integrative Biology of Exercise* will be held October 6-9 at the Hilton Austin Hotel, 500 East 4th Street, Austin, TX 78701, telephone (512) 482-8000, FAX (512) 469-0078, website www.hilton.com. **The deadline for submission of abstracts is May 12, 2004.**

Registration Information:

The registration fee includes entry into all scientific sessions, posters, opening reception, and Banquet. There is a separate purchase for the off-site dinner at The Salt Lick.

Type	In Advance	On-Site
Member*	\$275	\$325
Retired Member	\$165	\$215
Nonmember	\$325	\$375
Postdoctoral	\$215	\$265
Student	\$165	\$215
Salt Lick Event	\$ 40 (advance purchase only)	

**Member refers to a member in good standing of any of the three sponsoring societies: APS, ACSM or CSEP. You must supply proof of membership when registering.*

Advance Registration

To register in advance, send the registration form with payment in U.S. funds to the APS Meeting Office, 9650 Rockville Pike, Bethesda, Maryland, 20814-3991, U.S.A., telephone 301-634-7967, fax: 301-634-7241, email: meetings@the-aps.org. **The deadline for advance registration is August 13, 2004.** Badges, receipts and the Program/Abstract pick-up cards will be mailed to advance registrants before the meeting. **Purchase orders will not be accepted. All checks must be made out in US Dollars, drawn from a US bank.**

Student Registration

Any student member or regularly matriculated student working toward a degree in one of the biomedical sciences is eligible to register at the student fee. Nonmember postdoctoral fellows, hospital residents and interns, and laboratory technicians do not qualify as students. For nonmember students, certification of eligibility signed by the department head or research advisor must accompany the remittance for advance student registration. Member students need only supply their membership ID number. Students who register onsite must provide either: a certificate or letter signed by the department head AND student ID card or, their current membership card indicating their student category status.

Postdoctoral Registration

Any person who has received a Ph.D. degree in physiology or related field, within four years of this meeting, as attested to by the department head is eligible to register at the postdoctoral fee. **A statement signed by the department head must accompany the registration form and remittance when registering in advance OR onsite.**

Refunds

The advance registration fee will be refunded in full to those who must cancel their attendance at the meeting, provided the request for refund is received in the APS Meeting Office **before September 7, 2004**. Refund requests must be submitted in writing and be accompanied by the advance registration receipt and badge if received by the date of request.

Special Purchase Event—*The Salt Lick*

Take a deep breath and inhale the aroma of some of the best BBQ the Texas Hill Country has to offer! This event will be held in the Salt Lick's *Pavilion*, their most spectacular setting for group events. It sits along the banks of Onion Creek underneath a majestic canopy of pecan trees, all lighted, with a beautifully manicured lawn. The event will be held on **Thursday, October 7 at a cost of \$40 per person** the cost includes transportation to- and from- the event. Check the box on the registration form and include the appropriate payment to reserve your seat. **All tickets must be purchased in advance.** For more information about The Salt Lick visit their website at: <http://www.saltlickbbq.com>.

Program/Abstract Volume

The program and contributed abstracts will be printed in the August issue of *The Physiologist*. All registrants should come to the onsite Registration Desk to receive a copy of the program. You must show your registration badge to obtain a program.

Continuing Medical Education (CME)

The Federation of American Societies for Experimental Biology is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education to sponsor continuing medical education for physicians.

Category I Continuing Medical Education (CME) credits will be offered at this meeting. CME application forms will be available in the Onsite Meeting Registration office. For the purposes of Continuing Medical Education credits toward the American Medical Association Physician=s Recognition Award, the APS Intersociety Meeting: *The Integrative Biology of Exercise* is jointly sponsored by the Federation of American Societies for Experimental Biology. There is a \$45 application fee, payable upon submission of the form. For more information, contact the FASEB Office of Scientific Meetings and Conferences at 301-634-7010.

Program Objective

The goal of the meeting is to convene an internationally recognized and interdisciplinary group of investigators focusing on the use of integrative approaches for the study of exercise involving physiology, molecular biology and genetics and to interest new investigators and students in pursuing research opportunities to understand the integrative biology of exercise and its relation to gender and aging.

At the completion of the meeting, participants should have a broader understanding of exercise physiology and interdisciplinary efforts to assess its impact on the systems of the body.

Target Audience

This meeting is intended for all professionals involved in teaching, research and clinical fields related to exercise biology.

Registration Questions?

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