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APS EGLS/A-AAPT/SPS Zone 7 Fall Meeting: *Preliminary Schedule

October 18-19, 2024, Marietta College

Friday 10/18/24	
1:15 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Meeting Check In (<i>McDonough Center Lobby</i>)
Start of APS EGLS Meeting (A-AAPT and SPS Attendees Welcome)	
1:45 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.	Welcoming Remarks (<i>McDonough Center Auditorium</i>)
2:00 p.m. – 2:55 p.m.	1 st plenary talk (<i>McDonough Center Auditorium</i>) "From Blue Sky to Bleeding Edge: What's Becoming Possible with Ultra-High Power Laser Technology " Chris Orban, Ohio State University & STEMcoding Project
2:55 – 3:05 p.m.	Break
3:05 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	2 nd plenary talk (<i>McDonough Center Auditorium</i>) "The Effective Practices for Physics Programs (EP3) Initiative: Successful Department Initiatives and their Connection to the EP3 Guide" Gay Stewart, West Virginia University
3:05 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	SPS Zone 7 Kickoff Meeting (<i>McDonough Gallery</i>)
4:15 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.	Poster session (<i>Gathering Place</i>), light refreshments
6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.	Banquet (<i>Valley Gem Sternwheeler</i>)
8:30 p.m. – 9:30 p.m.	Planetarium Show (<i>Anderson Hancock Planetarium</i>) "Supermassive Black Holes: Uncovering the Invisible" - Ann Bragg
9:30 p.m. – 10:30 p.m.	SPS Observing Night (<i>Gurley Observatory, Roof of Mills Hall</i>) Craig Howald (Game night if poor observing weather)
Saturday 10/19/24	
8:00 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.	Meeting Check In and Refreshments (<i>Rickey Science Center lobby</i>)
8:30 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.	Welcome & 3 rd plenary talk (<i>Anderson Hancock Planetarium</i>) "Lasers, Shock Physics, Explosives, Oh My!" Elliott Wainwright, DEVCOM Army Research Laboratory
9:40 a.m. – 11:05 a.m.	EGLS/A-AAPT Contributed oral pres. (<i>RSC 166, 162, 150, 148, AHP, 131</i>)
11:10 a.m. – 12:05 p.m.	4 th plenary talk (<i>Anderson Hancock Planetarium</i>) "Open to Options: Exploring Science Careers Outside the Laboratory" Lisa McDonald, American Ceramic Society, SPS Speakers Bureau
12:05 p.m. – 12:20 p.m.	EGLS Chair Remarks
End of APS EGLS Meeting (EGLS attendees welcome to stay for A-AAPT talks/workshop)	
12:30 – 1:00 p.m.	SPS Pizza Lunch (Free, Undergraduate Students and SPS Advisors Only) A-AAPT luncheon (Separate fee required through A-AAPT)
1:00 p.m. – 1:45 p.m.	A-AAPT business meeting (TBA, RSC)
1:00 p.m. – 1:45 p.m.	SPS Physics 'Jeopardy', End of SPS Meeting (<i>RSC 148</i>)
2:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.	A-AAPT contributed talks (<i>Anderson Hancock Planetarium</i>)
3:15 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.	A-AAPT workshop, "STEMcoding Project," Chris Orban (<i>RSC 107</i>)