

# BURGESS - PRESIDENT'S GOALS

**“Building on the Past,  
Changing for the Future”**

# Goals

- 1. To Invigorate our Programming and Educational Offerings**
- 2. To Establish an AAPS Endowed Scholar Program**
- 3. To Continue and Strengthen Ongoing Initiatives**
- 4. To Foster a Spirit of Inclusiveness Within the Association**

# **1. To Invigorate our Programming and Educational Offerings**

**Annual meeting**

**Focused/themed meetings**

**Joint programming with other national/international organization**

**Expand the AAPS Distance Learning initiative.**

## **1.a Invigorate Programming and Educational Offerings at the Annual Meeting**

- Improve/enhance the quality and originality of symposium presentations**
- Introduce combined invited/contributed symposia to increase the % of new material and encourage presentations from a larger group of scientists**
- Distinguished Scientist and Research Achievement Award Winners lunch-time lectures.**

# 1. To Invigorate our Programming and Educational Offerings

## - Implementation – Annual Meeting

- *AMPC to develop plans and begin implementation for the Toronto Meeting*
- *Sections and Focus Groups to come up with programming ideas that fit the invited/contributed type symposium for the annual meeting*
- *Short Course Committee to develop new types of programming*
- *Education Committee to develop sessions for students.*
- *AAPS Staff to help with implementation*

## 1.b New programming venues: maintain emphasis on focused/themed meetings

- *PCC to ensure sufficient and high quality focused/themed meetings working with Sections and Focus Groups*
- *Sections and Focus Groups to come up with programming ideas for these meetings and work with the PCC to develop and implement these meetings.*
- *AAPS Staff will have day-to-day responsibilities associated with these meetings, meeting planning and marketing.*

## **1.c Increase/encourage more joint programming with other national/international organizations**

- *PCC to encourage joint programming with other national/international organizations and to act as a liaison to other organizations as appropriate.*
- *Sections and Focus Groups to come up with programming ideas for these meetings and work with the PCC to develop and implement these meetings.*
- *AAPS Staff to help in forming links with other associations, meeting planning and marketing*

## 1.d Encourage programming with other organizations in areas that are traditionally fringe to AAPS

- *PCC to encourage joint programming with other organizations in scientific areas that have been traditionally fringe to AAPS and to act as a liaison to other organizations as appropriate.*
- *Sections and Focus Groups to come up with programming ideas for these meetings and work with the PCC to develop and implement these meetings.*
- *AAPS Staff to help with forming links with other associations, meeting planning and marketing .*

## 1.e Expand the AAPS Distance Learning initiative.

- *PCC, AMPC and Short Course committee to encourage development of programs for distance learning.*
- *Sections and Focus Groups to come up with programming ideas for distance learning*
- *AAPS Staff to help with planning and marketing*

## **2. To Establish an Endowed Scholar Program**

- Develop an AAPS Endowed Scholar Program**  
**- available to established pharmaceutical scientists from government, industry and academia**
- To be hosted at any appropriate University, Institute or Industrial laboratory**
- Long-term goal - achieved by 2007**
- Interim goal - start the program at some level by 2004.**

## 2. To Establish an AAPS Chaired Professorship - Implementation

- *A Special Task Force will be put in place to fine tune this proposal, develop plans for fund raising and initiate fund raising.*
- *AAPS staff to help with developing any materials deemed necessary by the Task Force and to aid the committee with leads for fund raising activities.*

### 3. To Continue and Strengthen Ongoing Initiatives

- *AAPSP PharmSci and AAPSP PharmSci Tech*
- *AAPSPHARMACEUTICA*
- **PQRI**
- **Globalization**

# *AAPSP PharmSci and AAPSP PharmSci Tech*

- **Need to submit our best research!**
- ***Add AAPSP PharmSciTech to Medline/Index Medicus abstract database***
- ***Bolster ancillary multimedia databases for online journal articles.***
- ***Strengthen personalized search engines for the online journals.***

# ***AAPSPharmSci and AAPSPharmSci Tech*** **- Implementation**

- ***Publications Board to work with membership on submitting articles, especially interactive articles***
- ***Sections and Focus Groups to challenge their members to submit articles and develop theme issues!***
- ***Staff to focus on adding AAPS PharmSciTech to Medline/Index Medicus abstract database.***
- ***Staff to bolster ancillary multimedia databases for online journal articles.***
- ***Staff to strengthen personalized search engines for the online journals.***

# AAPS Pharmaceutica

- **Realize our vision of a personalized electronic journal**
- **Build our growing online career center**
- **Strengthen member convenience by moving towards electronic commerce and online purchases of books and other products**
- **Leverage the Internet to offer more distance learning products and services.**
- **Develop comprehensive online expo and buyers guide**

# AAPS Pharmaceutica-Implementation

- **Realize our vision of a personalized electronic journal - Staff**
- **Build our growing online career center. - Staff**
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# PQRI

- **PQRI critically needs industrial support!**  
**The machinery for the Institute is in place, and we now need investment from industry to support our Institute.**
- *AAPS Staff is working with the board of directors to design and execute funding raising programs for PQRI*

# Globalization

- **Implement recommendations of Task Force**

*Task Force to come up with a plan to implement their report*

*AAPS Staff to help Task Force with implementation*

# Globalization

- **Continue and expand the AAPS-FIP initiative in developing countries. Mechanisms for funding to be developed.**
- **AAPS should continue and expand cutting edge meetings and workshops in partnership with sister national and international Pharmaceutical Science organizations.**
- **AAPS to facilitate the training of Pharmaceutical Scientists in developing countries.**
- **AAPS to provide travelships for scientists from developing countries to come to its scientific meetings.**
- **AAPS to provide travelships for US scientists to visit developing countries to further the exchange of scientific knowledge in the Pharmaceutical Sciences. Mechanisms for funding to be developed.**

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# Globalization

- **AAPS to provide travelships to student, post-doc and newly hired young AAPS members to participate in international Pharmaceutical Sciences meetings. AAPS should furthermore encourage its members to participate in such meetings.**
- **AAPS should encourage public discussion and debate on an international scale for regulatory harmonization, both within AAPS meetings and in partnership with our sister national and international organizations**

## **4. To Foster a Spirit of Inclusiveness Within the Association**

- Investigate areas where AAPS may be able to help members achieve their full potential— career development programs, etc.**
- Look at participation and performance of members in measurable areas such as number of fellows.**
- Examine demographics over the past decade; determine any changes in the composition of the organization and whether the organization is changing as necessary.**
- Develop plans to understand any underperformance measured and develop plans to assist members in career development.**

# To Foster a Spirit of Inclusiveness Within the Association - Implementation

- *AAPS Staff to look at demographics and prepare a report.*
- *Fellows Task Force to investigate demographics and to come up with a plan for expectations for scientists in: industry, academia and government.*
- *Special task forces will be formed, as necessary. A consultant will be contracted to help as necessary, task forces will report at the February retreat*
- *AAPS Staff to generate demographics and work with Task Forces on implementation*