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“There is a vast amount of work that needs to be done in service to AAPM’s vital mission. Membership dues and meeting revenues cover basic operating expenses, but the visionary strategic initiatives that are intended to ‘eliminate pain as a major public health problem’ require equally bold financial support—and that is the necessity and focus of the AAPM Foundation. This is an enterprise that merits everyone’s support because, as we all know too well, no one intentionally seeks to befriend pain, but pain eventually finds a friend in us all.”

—Perry G. Fine, MD, AAPM President



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“As a representative of the pharmaceutical industry, I appreciate the possibilities the AAPM Foundation presents the Academy members and the broader community. The opportunity to concentrate efforts within the specialty of pain medicine, while encouraging education, research, and advocacy is critical to this area of practice. The Foundation is committed to supporting the Academy in its efforts to encourage exceptional clinical practice and better patient care.”

—Marsha Stanton, PhD RN, AAPM Foundation Treasurer



“The AAPM Foundation is vital to assisting the AAPM in meeting its goals of addressing pain as a significant public health problem by advancing the field of pain medicine through education, research, and advocacy.”

—Charles Argoff, MD, AAPM Foundation Secretary

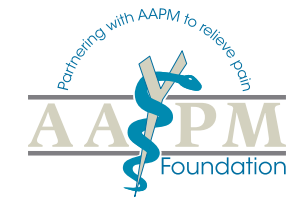


“Perry Fine, our president, has said the time is now for pain medicine. I agree and will take up the charge as president to get the job done. That means support for our strategic goals of making pain a specialty, improving education opportunities, and supporting research. The Foundation is a central part of our endeavors to accomplish these goals. That is why I support without any reservations the AAPM Foundation.”

—Martin Grabois, MD, AAPM President Elect

THE FOUNDATION’S MISSION is to eliminate pain as a significant public health problem by advancing physician education and furthering research in the field.

THE FOUNDATION ENVISIONS access to optimal pain care that improves the functionality and quality of life for patients with pain, significantly mitigating the widespread problem of pain in the United States. The Foundation’s efforts, in concert with other leading organizations, will lead to promoting quality pain education and training for all physicians, conducting research into the causes and treatment of pain conditions and disease, and supporting best practices to optimize patient outcomes and ensure a comprehensive, integrated, and coordinated system of care.



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Your financial support of the AAPM Foundation makes it possible for AAPM to provide research and educational opportunities for promising pain medicine physicians.

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