Deep South Chapter Report for HPS Society Year 2007–2008

General Information

Official Year: July – June

Mailing Address:

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Dues Information:

Plenary: \$10.00 Associate: n/a Student: \$0.00 Emeritus: n/a Life: n/a Affiliate: n/a

Charter Date: 1966

Science Teacher Workshop? yes

Held: Periodically

Last workshop: around 2000

Average number of teachers attending: 20–25

Collaboration with other societies? yes

Collaborations: Louisiana Nuclear Society LSU Student Chapter Health Physics Society

Web site: http://hpschapters.org/deepsouth/

Chapter Leadership & Officers

President: Wei-Hsung Wang **President-Elect:** Vacant

Secretary: James Pate (non–HPS)

Treasurer: Mary J Haik

Board Member: Lorraine Day

Board Member: Matthew J Mitchell

Board Member: L Max Scott

Science Teacher Coordinator: Erno Sajo

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Director Liaison: Barbara Hamrick

Chapter Incorporation & Exempt Status

Applied for Incorporation? no

Applied for an Employer Identification Number? no

Insurance? no

Willing to share IRS paperwork? no

Chapter Membership & Certifications

HPS Members: 11 non-Members: 20

Total: 31

ABHP Certified: 3 **NRRPT Certified:** 1

Meetings/Activities: Meetings/Activities (Aug-07 to Jul-08)

Aug '07 Meeting Topic: LIGO: Physics Research and Science Education Working Together

Type: Technical, Joint

Speaker: Dr. Stephen McGuire

Attendance: 15

Feb '08 Meeting Topic: Why No One Believes Us: Cognitive Neuroscience And Radiation Risk

Type: Technical, Joint

Speaker: Dr. Richard E. Toohey

Attendance: 30

May '08 Meeting Topic: Nanohazards: Hazards of Nano-Particles in addition to Radioactive

Nanoparticles

Type: Technical, Joint

Speaker: Dr. Lorraine Marceau–Day

Attendance: 15

Jul '08 Meeting Topic: HPS Annual Meeting

Type: Annual Speaker: Various

Attendance: 5

Comments

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