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# Newsletter

# Summer 2023



# Key SGP Dates

Below are some important SGP dates. For the latest list of SGP events, programs, and deadlines, please visit <u>sgpweb.org/news</u>. You can find an archive of the Society's newsletters on this page as well.

| SGP EpIC Seminars #4: Candie Paulsen  | 1 August 2023               |
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| SGP 2023 Meeting Early Abstract Deadline  | 20 August 2023              |
| SGP EpIC Seminars #5: Andrew Glazer   | 5 September 2023            |
| <u>SGP 2023 Meeting</u> "Mapping the Pain<br>Landscape: From Molecules to Medicine" | 27 September-1 October 2023 |

Sharona Gordon Award Nomination Deadline 15 October 2023



## SGP 2023 Annual Meeting Early Abstract Deadline is 20 August

Registration is open for the the 76th Annual Meeting of the Society of General Physiologists, "Mapping the Pain Landscape: From Molecules to Medicine."

The meeting will take place in Woods Hole, MA, 27 September to 1 October 2023. Confirmed invited speakers and the Friends of Physiology Lecturer have been announced. See sgp2023.com for more info.

The **early abstracts deadline** is **20 August 2023**. This is the deadline for Short Talks and Travel Awards consideration.

Visit Meeting Website

















In association with the Society of General Physiologists, the **EpIC Seminars** are a new monthly virtual seminar series organised by junior faculty and senior postdocs to showcase some of the most exciting recent research in the field of Electrophysiology and Ion Channels being done by junior faculty and senior postdocs.

#### First Tuesday of the month 12:00-1:00 pm Eastern

| 2 May 2023       | Willow Coyote-Maestas (UCSF)          |
|------------------|---------------------------------------|
| 6 June 2023      | Tim Lynagh (U Bergen)                 |
| 11 July 2023     | Swetha Murthy (Vollum Institute)      |
| 1 August 2023    | Candie Paulsen (Yale)                 |
| 5 September 2023 | Andrew Glazer (Vanderbilt)            |
| 3 October 2023   | Miguel Martín-Aragón Baudel (UC Davis |

#### ..and much more to come!

Ion channel protein design Neurotransmitter receptor evolution How do cells sense force and why is it important? TRP channel structure and pain sensing High-throughput genomics of arrhythmias Vascular calcium channels

## Register/info www.sgp-epic-seminars.com





# 2023 SGP Scholars @MBL



Congratulations to this year's scholarship recipients, pictured from left to right above

Angelique Allen, University of Oregon Isaac Breinyn, Princeton University Max Kenngott, Brandeis University Cara Motz, Georgia Tech

Each year, SGP supports up to four trainees attending one of the following courses at the Woods Hole Marine Biological Laboratory: Embryology, Neural Systems and Behavior, Neurobiology, or Physiology. The recipients are each awarded a \$500 scholarship and a one-year SGP membership. For the 2023 summer courses, we received a record high 26 applicants from fantastic candidates, from which we awarded 4 scholarships. Click "Read More" to read brief interviews conducted with this year's scholars.







SGP and Journal of General Physiology (JGP) are pleased to announce that applications for the 2024 Junior Faculty Network will be open this fall. Please consult the SGP and JGP websites for the latest information. There will also be a link to the application in the SGP Fall 2023 Newsletter.

The Junior Faculty Network matches up to nine junior faculty with a senior investigator for periodic group discussions. Each discussion will begin with a topic of relevance, such as selecting and managing personnel, financial management, and collaborating wisely. The remaining time will be devoted to topics chosen by the participants. Guest speakers will be invited to the discussions to lend their expertise on specific topics.

The 2024 Junior Faculty Network will be led by Dr. Janice L. Robertson, Associate Professor in the Department of Biochemistry and Molecular Biophysics at the Washington University School of Medicine in St. Louis.

#### **Objectives**

- Foster our community of physiologists by addressing the needs of junior faculty in the first stage of their independent careers.
- Demystify the hidden curriculum that junior faculty face when creating labs and research programs.
- Offer a support network of peers and leading experts with shared trajectories to create a sense of support that adds to individuals' resilience and sense of purpose.

### Eligibility

- Must be a current member of the Society of General Physiologists. Those interested in the program may join SGP prior to applying. SGP offers a 60% discount on all membership rates to those living and working countries with developing economies. See <u>sqpweb.org/membership</u> for details.
- Must have accepted a first independent position at an academic or research institution to start within the next year.
- OR have started an independent position within the last three years.
- Applicants who have been an author on a paper in JGP within the last 5 years will receive priority.

Join SGP or Renew

## SGP Mission Statement

The Society of General Physiologists is an inclusive, international scientific society whose goal is to advance the understanding of the fundamental physiological mechanisms and physical principles that govern the functioning of biological systems. In addition to promoting pioneering and innovative research, the Society advocates for education and training, and it is committed to increasing diversity in the scientific workforce.



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