

# NAVIGATING THE MIDYEAR CLINICAL MEETING

NYCSHP ANNUAL STUDENT PROGRAM 2016

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## Disclosures

- I have no conflicts of interest, financial or other to disclose

## Objectives

- Review the following aspects of the ASHP Midyear Clinical Meeting
  - *Meeting Website*
  - *"ASHP Live" mobile application*
  - *The residency showcase*
  - *Personnel Placement Service (PPS)*
- Develop a timeline to ensure adequate preparation for the ASHP Midyear Clinical Meeting
- Discuss tips for to ensure a successful meeting and appropriate "Midyear etiquette"

## WHO HAS HAD THE PLEASURE OF ATTENDING THE ASHP MIDYEAR CLINICAL MEETING?

## ASHP Midyear Clinical Meeting Details

- When
  - **December 3 – 7, 2017**
- Where
  - **Orange County Convention Center**
  - **Orlando, FL**



## ASHP Midyear Clinical Meeting Website

- Information regarding:
  - *Meeting registration*
  - *Hotel accommodations*
  - *Travel to and around the conference*
  - *Meeting schedule*
  - *Residency showcase*
  - *PPS*

<http://connect.ashp.org/midyear/home>

## ASHP Mobile Application

- Download prior to start of event
- Full meeting schedule of sessions
- Can create your own personal schedule/calendar
  - Add and remove presentations you want to attend and set up reminders
- Program session description and location information
- Downloadable session handouts
- Real-time activity feed



## Meeting Registration and Hotels

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ <b>Student registration deadlines</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Early bird registration: <b>OCTOBER 19<sup>th</sup></b></li> <li>- Online registration: <b>NOVEMBER 30<sup>th</sup></b></li> </ul> </li> <li>■ ASHP member: \$325</li> <li>■ Non-member: \$455</li> <li>- Student ASHP membership fee: \$50</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ <b>Hotel registration deadlines</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- ASHP affiliated hotel reservations: <b>NOVEMBER 3<sup>rd</sup></b></li> <li>- Registration/Travel → Hotel Reservations for Attendees → "official hotel rates and map"</li> </ul> </li> <li>■ No resort fees</li> <li>■ Shuttle service for most hotels</li> <li>■ Orchid Events</li> </ul> |
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## Meeting Schedule

- General Information → Schedule-at-a-Glance
- Saturday, December 2<sup>nd</sup>
  - Student Programming
- Sunday, December 3<sup>rd</sup>
  - PPS
  - Student Programming
- Monday, December 4<sup>th</sup>
  - Opening session and keynote speaker: **Michelle Obama**
  - **1:00-4:00 PM: Residency Showcase (Session 1)**
  - PPS

## Meeting Schedule

- Tuesday, December 5<sup>th</sup>
  - PPS
  - 8:00-11:00 AM: Residency Showcase (Session 2)
  - 1:00-4:00 PM: Residency Showcase (Session 3)
  - Students' Night Out
- Wednesday, December 6<sup>th</sup>
  - PPS
  - Resident Poster Session

**\*Print PDF schedule and bring with you, put schedule in your phone calendar\***

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## Residency Showcase

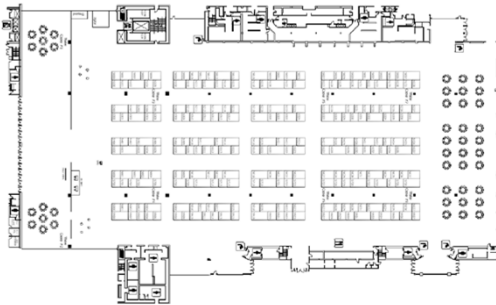
- Great opportunity for students to speak with current residents, program directors, clinical staff and to research residency programs
- Each residency programs will only be showcased during one session
- No additional registration fee is required for the showcase
- **MAKE SURE YOU RESEARCH PROGRAMS BEFORE THE SHOWCASE**

## Showcase Details

- List of programs attending the showcase:
  - Uploaded to ASHP website in early November
  - Includes name of program and registration number
- Ex: The Mount Sinai Hospital – 5118
- Listed by site name, not by specialty or type of residency
- Registration numbers correlate to specific session
  - 4000s – Monday
  - 5000s – Tuesday AM
  - 6000s – Tuesday PM

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## Example Showcase Floor Plan



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## Showcase Preparation

### ■ Start now

- Take advantage of the following:
  - ASHP online residency directory
  - Program-specific websites
  - Local or regional showcases
  - Contact residency program directors

### ■ November

- Search uploaded list on ASHP website for programs

- ✓ **Make a chart with important information on programs that you are interested in**
- ✓ **Add more information to your chart as you learn more about the programs**

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## Showcase Preparation Cont.

### ■ November cont.

- Print session-specific maps and locate programs of interest
- Update CV and have it reviewed by a peer or mentor
- Order professional business cards (optional)

### ■ December – prior to session

- Orient yourself to convention center and showcase area
- Arrive at sessions early
- Bring notepad to take notes
- Dress professionally

**\*Write notes from conversations on the back of business cards you receive and reference later\***

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## Expectation



## Reality



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## Personnel Placement Service (PPS)

- Preliminary interviews that occur throughout the conference

- **Not all programs participate**

- Can schedule interviews 7:30 AM – 5:00 PM
- Sunday through Wednesday

### ■ Registration deadlines:

- Early Bird registration: **OCTOBER 23<sup>rd</sup>**
- Cheaper than standard registration (\$85 vs \$145)
- Opens on **SEPTEMBER 13<sup>th</sup>**
- Standard registration: up until meeting
- Interview slots will fill up!



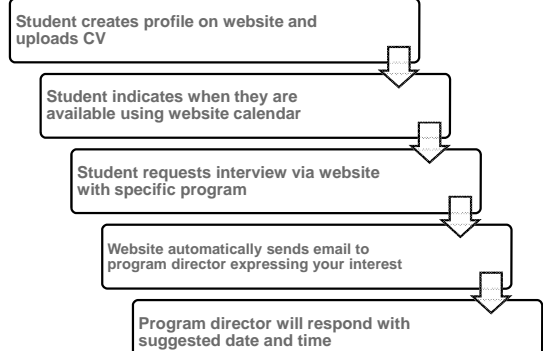
Contact: [ashp\\_pps@asphome.org](mailto:ashp_pps@asphome.org)

## PPS

- 30-minute interview blocks
- Access PPS information from Midyear website
  - *PPS website available in mid August*
- No interviews are scheduled during programs' showcase time
- Many PGY2 programs, increasing PGY1 program involvement
  - *Make sure to request correct interview (PGY1)*
- Can help both you and the program make decisions
  - *NOT a requirement*

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## PPS



## PPS Tips

- Dress professionally
- Bring copies of CV
- Bring business cards
- Write "Thank You" notes or emails to each interviewer
  - *Includes residents and program directors*
- Come prepared with questions about the program
  - **FREQUENT QUESTION**
- Arrive early

- **Anticipate interview questions**
- **Write down potential answers or talking points**

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## Poster Sessions

- List of poster presentations available on ASHP website
  - *Includes name of presenter, poster, time, and location of presentation*
- Can include case presentations, research, etc.
- Presenters can include students, residents, professionals, faculty
- Generally open form
- Networking opportunity!

**\*Consider visiting resident posters that you met at the showcase or throughout the conference\***

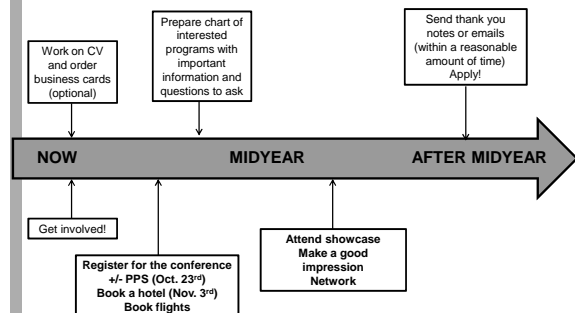
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## Student Programming

- Throughout the conference
- Variety of information sessions and events:
  - *Welcome sessions*
  - *PhORCAS application information*
  - *Financial planning*
  - *CV writing*
  - *Interview skills*
- From Midyear website → "General" tab → "Student's Info" → "Pharmacy Student Programming, Activities, and Events"

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## Timeline Review



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## Midyear Etiquette

- Do:
  - Dress appropriately
  - Be on time
  - Have CV or business cards with you
  - Be prepared
  - Network
  - Be professional
- ALL THE TIME
- Don't:
  - Make a bad first impression
  - Be late
  - Miss deadlines
  - Ask questions you can easily find the answer to

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## Midyear Etiquette

The Do's

Appropriate attire  
Be punctual  
Be prepared  
Be professional  
CV or business cards

Miss deadlines  
Be late  
Ask **ONLY** negative questions  
Make a bad impression

The Don'ts

## Questions?

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