

Election results 2011

The election closed in February. Daniel Cox (University of California, Davis) was elected Vice Chair of the division, a role he will continue to play through the 2012 March Meeting, when he will become Chair Elect. Jan Liphardt (University of California, Berkeley) and Michelle Wang (Cornell University) were elected to three-year terms as members-at-large of the divisional Executive Committee.

While the 18% turnout for the vote represents a slight improvement over the previous year, elections are more effective when a large percentage of members participate. Members of the Executive Committee will respond to any ideas for engaging more people. As past divisional chair, Herbie Levine (University of California, San Diego) chairs the Nominating Committee.

Dallas business meeting

At the divisional business meeting during the 2011 March Meeting in Dallas, the outgoing divisional chair, Herbie Levine, recognized Erez Lieberman-Aiden, winner of the 2010 award for Outstanding Doctoral Thesis in Biological Physics, along with the two runners-up, Hyun Youk and Gene-Wei Li. The six graduate-student recipients of travel grants, Claire Armstrong, Tatiana Artemova, Aidan Brown, Nir Friedman, Shuo Huang, and Jie-Pan Shen, were also recognized. The secretary-treasurer, David Rabson, presented the election results and gave the annual financial report. The 2010 fellows of the APS nominated through the division were recognized: Olgica Bakajin (Lawrence-Livermore National Laboratory), George Hentschel (Emory University), Plamen Ch. Ivanov (Boston University), John Kasianowicz (National Institute of Standards and Technology), Ching-Hwa Kiang (Rice University), Hong Qian (University of Washington), Jau Tang (Academia Sinica, Taipei), Peter Vekilov (University of Houston), Jin Wang (Argonne National Laboratory), Denis Wirtz (Johns-Hopkins University), and Huan-Xiang Zhou (Florida State University). At the conclusion of the meeting, Prof. Levine introduced Aihua Xie as the incoming divisional chair.

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Revenue

all accounting by calendar year

category	2010	2009	2008
unit dues	10670	9910	8929
voluntary contributions	—	—	—
meeting registration	—	4180	4175
March-meeting share	7056	9258	7758
deferred	—	(975)	525
investment share	2868	3878	3652
TOTAL	20594	26251	25039

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Expenses

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category	2010	2009	2008
prizes	1500	—	—
mtgs. speakers, sorters, <i>etc.</i>	7045	10093	20547
mtgs. A/V, receptions, catering	3627	7141	8416
other (incl. postage)	24	126	426
TOTAL	12196	17359	29389

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Summary

all accounting by calendar year

	2010	2009	2008
January 1st	68307	59415	63764
revenue	20594	26251	25039
expenses	(12196)	(17359)	(29389)
December 31st	76705	68307	59415

Membership in the Division of Biological Physics (DBP)

