



Minutes

Friday, February 14, 2025

2025 Annual Business Meeting and Awards Ceremony

Location: Marriott Marquis, Room: Texas Ballroom Salons ABC

6:30-6:45pm (ET) Business Meeting with 6:45-7:15pm Academy Awards

Call to order & President's welcome

Nancy Fell, President

Approval of the 2024 Annual Meeting minutes

Nancy Fell, President

- 2024 Annual Meeting Minutes were posted on the Academy website with e-notification for membership review on January 14, 2025. A MOTION was made to approve the 2024 Annual Meeting Minutes. MOTION APPROVED.

ANPT Strategic Update

- ANPT membership as strategic priority – an update on membership trends, dues, and programs was provided
- ANPT website – an update was shared regarding the newly launched website redesign
- Annual Conference – provided overview and data around 2024 conference and discussed upcoming 2025 conference
- Governance Review – an update was provided on the governance review process and partnership with external consultant
- Budget overview – general budget considerations were presented including sources of revenue and expenditure
- JNPT – recognition and acknowledgement of outgoing Editor in Chief
- ANPT and FPTR – an announcement was made regarding a new Neurologic PT Research Fund

Call for ANPT nominations

Lauren Bilski, Chair Nominating Committee

- Lauren Bilski, Nominating Committee Chair, opened nominations to the floor for 2025 elections (President Elect, Treasurer, Director of Research, Director of Knowledge Synthesis, ANPT Nominating Committee Member, SIG Chair Elect, Vice Chair, and Nominating Committee Member)

Recognition of ABPTS Certified Neurologic Clinical Specialists

Anne Galgon, Vice President

- Acknowledgement of newly certified and recertified specialists

Recognition of Physical Therapist Assistant Advanced Proficiency Pathway Certification in Neurology Recipients

Anne Galgon, Vice President

- Acknowledgement of newly certified recipients

Academy Awards

Early Career Professional – **Jonathan Ripic, PT, DPT, NCS**
Excellence in Neurologic Education – **Crystal Renee Ramsey, PT, DPT**
PT Clinical Excellence – **Kyle Reedy, PT, DPT, NCS**
PTA Clinical Excellence – **Rachel Belk, PTA**
Outstanding Advocacy – **Greta M. Myers, PT, DPT, CSRS, NCS**
Outstanding Clinical Innovator – **Chris Henderson, PT, PhD, NCS, GCS**

Tim Nordahl, Dir of Communication
Beth Crowner, Dir of Education
Wendy Romney, Dir of Practice
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Kate Kugler, Secretary
Irene Ward, Dir of Knowledge Synthesis

CSM Abstract Research Awards

- Post-Professional Student: **Kiersten McCartney PT, DPT**

Patrick Sparto, Dir of Research

Journal of Neurologic Physical Therapy

Golden Synapse Award – Jun-Hong Zhou, PT, Bsc. And colleagues,
“Improving Executive Function and Dual-Task Cost in Parkinson Disease:
A Randomized Controlled Trial.”

Lori Quinn, Editor-in-Chief, JNPT

Service to the Academy – Morris Casano Beato, PT, DPT, GCS, NCS

Nancy Fell, President

ANPT Endowment Awards with Foundation for Physical Therapy

PODS I: Patricia Leahy Award – **Matthew Neehouse, PT, DPT**
PODS II: Mary Lou Barnes Award – **Wesley Thornton, PT, DPT**
PODS 1: Funded through the Neurology Endowment Fund – **Samuel Jackson, PT, DPT**

Joni Barry, Treasurer

Anne Shumway-Cook Lectureship – Amy Bastian, PT, PhD

Patrick Sparto, Director of Research

ANPT SIG Service awards

- Brain Injury – **Hannah Foster, PT, DPT, NCS, CBIS**
- Degenerative Diseases – **Jennifer Heiser, PT, DPT, NCS**
- Spinal Cord Injury – **Uzair Hammad, PT, DPT, NCS**
- Stroke – **Dana Kahl, PT, DPT, EdD, NCS**
- Vestibular – **Maureen Clancy, PT, DPT, OCS**

Anne Galgon, Vice President

ANPT SIG Research awards

- Balance and Falls – **Anjali Sivaramakrishnan, PT, PhD**
- Brain Injury – **Karen L. McCulloch, PT, PhD, FAPTA, FACRM**
- Degenerative Diseases – **Mark Mañago, PT, DPT, PhD, NCS**
- Spinal Cord Injury – **Candace Tefertiller, PT, DPT, PhD, NCS**
- Stroke – **Pierce Boyne, PT, DPT, PhD**
- Vestibular – **Eric Anson, MPT, PhD**

Anne Galgon, Vice President

Recognition of ANPT Board members with 2025 term end

Patrick Sparto, Director of Research

Nancy Fell, President

Adjourn

- With no further business, the meeting was adjourned

Nancy Fell, President