



## Chesapeake Section of the American Association of Physics Teachers Spring 2021 Virtual Meeting

### — 2nd Circular —

The Chesapeake Section of the American Association of Physics Teachers (CSAAPT, covering DE, MD, VA, and DC) will hold its Spring 2021 Meeting virtually via Zoom on **Saturday, April 17, 2021**.

To register, please go to the Meeting website at <https://indico.phys.vt.edu/e/CSAAPT2021S>. The deadline for registration is **midnight of Friday, April 16, 2021**. The Zoom link and password for the Meeting will be emailed to registrants a few days prior, and also on the morning of the Meeting.

Note that **you do not have to be an AAPT member to attend** and there is **no registration fee**. Anyone interested in physics education is welcome.

- We anticipate a very stimulating meeting with **more than 70 people** attending from a wide geographical area, from Wilmington DE to Wise VA, and from many types of institutions including middle and high schools, as well as 2-year and 4-year colleges. Many future physics teachers (students) will also attend!
- The program will be quite exciting with talks such as:
  - Prof. Carl Mungan (U.S. Naval Academy) – “Water Oscillations in a U-Tube”
  - Prof. David Wright (Tidewater Community College) – “Physics Phun with Kahoot”
  - Alma Robinson (Virginia Tech, Teacher in Residence) – “Kitchen Cabinet Demonstrations”
- The deadline for the submission of talk abstracts has been extended to **midnight of Friday, April 9, 2021**. Talks should be 20 minutes long including the time for questions and answers. Please consider sharing your ideas and experiences with us. **If you cannot attend the meeting, you can record your presentation and we will play the video at the meeting.** Please note this when submitting your abstract.
- We are planning a **share-a-thon** in the afternoon where we will gather in smaller groups in Zoom breakout rooms to exchange ideas and experiences on various topics, and to forge collaborations. Please consider participating in these group discussions.
- At the end of the Meeting we are planning a “what can the CSAAPT do for you?” discussion where you can voice your opinions on what future CSAAPT activities you would like to see. (e.g. talks from physics education experts, tutorials on teaching software, etc.)

The program will be finalized by Monday, April 12, 2021 and announced in the 3rd Circular, as well as on the Meeting website.

For questions regarding this event, please email **Tatsu Takeuchi** ([takeuchi@vt.edu](mailto:takeuchi@vt.edu)).