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STM Website

Please access the STM website at www.thermalthrapy.org and bookmark this url for future use.

2010 Membership Drive

The 2010 Membership Drive is still underway. If you let your 2009 Membership expire on 12/31/09 you have probably noticed that you can no longer access IJH articles online and that you cannot register for the annual meeting at the reduced STM member rate. STM offers three membership categories: Active (\$250), Emeritus (\$50), and Student (\$50). All membership categories will receive online access to the journal. Active members have the option to also receive a print subscription to IJH while Emeritus and Student members have the option to purchase a print subscription at a STM discounted subscription rate.

[Renew My Membership Online](#)

*Join us for the 2010 Annual Meeting of the Society for Thermal Medicine
We will meet April 23-26 at the Hilton Clearwater Beach Resort in
Clearwater Beach, Florida*

2010 Annual Meeting Update

CME Accreditation: 13.25 CME credits are approved for the educational sessions being presented in the first half of the meeting. This portion of the meeting is sponsored by the Society for Thermal Medicine and Roswell Park Cancer Institute.

Over 125 abstract presentations

6 Refresher Courses Scheduled

2 Poster Sessions

Confirmed Speakers include:

Keynote Speakers: Dr. Otto Peitgen, Dr. Dai Fukumura, & Dr. Thomas Fogarty

Robinson Lecture: Dr. Chris Diederich

NEW CLINICAL TRIAL AND RESEARCH UPDATES! A special clinical Symposium will feature Drs. Rolf Issels, Zejlko Vujaskovic, Roonie Poon and Ruediger Wessalowski, who will each be presenting exciting new clinical trial data. This will be followed by an interactive question/answer session focused on overcoming barriers to the use of hyperthermia in the United States, and by several symposia focused on new research exploring the underlying mechanisms associated with hyperthermia's application in the clinic. There will also be a symposium addressing new image guided thermal therapy applications.

NIH update: Dr. Rosemary Wong will discuss NIH issues including the types of hyperthermia grants currently being received by Radiation study section.

Special Workshops for future Special Issues of International Journal of Hyperthermia Have Been Added for Monday Night:

Systemic and Regional Hyperthermia Applications Co-Chairs: Joan Bull & Elizabeth Repasky
Quality Assurance in Hyperthermic Oncology Co-Chairs: Paul Stauffer & Gerard van Rhoon.

Please contact the co-chairs if you are interested in participating in these workshops and submitting papers for consideration; Separate Registration required; see website.

Call for Nominations

The STM Nominations Committee is seeking nominations for two soon-to-be-vacant executive officer and three councilor positions. Active and Emeritus members are encouraged to nominate fellow STM members to fill these posts.

Nominations will be accepted thru Friday, February 12, 2010.

[Submit Nominations](#)

STM Considering New Logo

Executive Council is considering a change of the society logo. Members are asked to review the three options below and be prepared to vote during the business meeting at the annual meeting scheduled in Clearwater Beach, Florida. We want to thank Titania Juang for her efforts in designing Logo Options B & C.



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