

PPD Business Meeting



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Division Business



Membership

- May 2003 161 members
- May 2005 141 members
 - (but represents ~11/12^{ths} due to database problems)
- future improvements promise a searchable database – potential recruitment tool!

Fees

- \$10/yr for Full; \$0 Students (since 2004)



PARTICLE PHYSICS DIVISION

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

2003 January 1 to December 31



Balance as at December 31, 2003	2690.65
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2004 Renewals received prior to Dec. 31/03

62 Full @ 5.00 310.00 6 Full Foreign @ 5.00 30.00 1 Student @ 0 0.00 340.00

Balance as at January 1, 2004 2830.65

2004 Memberships: January 1 - December 31

Fee Structure: Full @ 5.00 Students @ 0

2004 Membership Revenue: 1215.00 1215.00

Less Division Expenses:

Best Student Paper (300.00) NSERC Liaison (126.65)

(426.65)

Balance as at December 31, 2004 3619.00

2005 Division Revenue Received prior to Dec 31/05

Fee Structure: Full @ 10.00

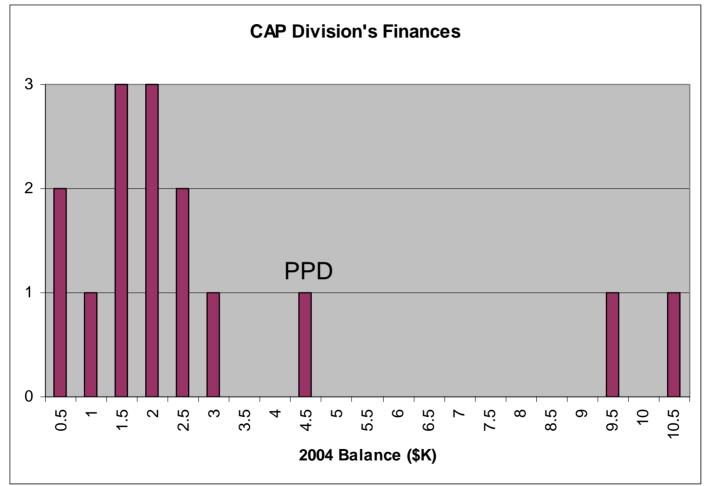
Students @ 0

2005 Membership Revenue as at Dec 31/04 490.00

Balance as at January 1, 2005 4109.00









Congress Sessions / Organization



		2002	2003	2004	2005
PPD	# Sessions	4	4	3	6
	Invited	9	12.5	6.5	11
	Contrib.	17	11	19	36
Joint	# Sessions	2	0	3	0*
	Invited	6	0	9.5	0
	Contrib.	2	0	5	0
Sessions		6	4	6	6
Total hrs		8.25	9	11	14.5*



Congress con't



- SNO talk left in DNP only session after splitting off → really 15 hrs of talks
 - ** includes 17 student contributed talks **
 - + 4 self-nominated posters (students)

Resulting in:

- Full agenda
- No joint sessions (particularly a disservice to theoretical colleagues)
- Some sessions without coffee breaks



Congress con't



Decisions made along the way...

(with past and future chairs)

- 6 PPD standalone sessions
- stick to 30 minute invited talks

(have had both 30 and 15 minute invited in past – 2003, 2004, ...)

- not to assign speakers to poster session
- give up coffee breaks as necessary

This worked... but just. Your thoughts for Dugan?



Competitions



PPD Best Student Paper (certificate + \$300)

- 17 students
- dispersed through sessions
 - → decision on winner following congress
- do we want a student paper session?

CAP Best Student Paper

- 3 entrants submitted extended abstract
- winner announced Wednesday before afternoon plenary

CAP Poster Prize (new this year)

4 PPD entrants

PPD Thesis Prize ?? Any interest??



News from CAP Council



- CAP AGM today at 17:00 in IRC-2
- CAM 2005 Graduate Student Conference in San Diego, August 19-21
 - CAP/NSERC travel funds 25 x \$750
 - Adjudicated by division chairs
 - July 15th submission date
 - Decisions on support by July 22nd
 - See http://www.cap.ca/news/cam.html
- Upcoming 2008 Rutherford centenary
 - Looking for McGill interest
 - Contact David Lockyear, NRC
- Head's up re: thoughts to host IUPAP 2008 in Canada



Your Team



Outgoing Chair: Clarence Virtue

Past Chair: William Trischuk

Incoming Chair: Dugan O'Neil

Next Vice-Chair: Alain Bellerive

Secr. / Treas.: David Bailey

With help from:

Session Chairs: Francois Corriveau

Dugan O'Neil

Judges: Richard Hemingway

Jacques Farine

Webmaster: Francois Corriveau

Mike Roney Ken Ragan
Manuella Vincter David Sinclair

Tom Mattison Aksel Hallin

Clarence Virtue



AOB?



Reminder:

Plenary Session

Boris Kayser FermiLab

The Neutrinos: Discoveries and Open Questions Wednesday, 13:30, IRC-2