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CONVENTION ALERT

AMERICAN PHYSIOLOGICAL SOCIETY 2026 AMERICAN PHYSIOLOGY SUMMIT April 23-26, 2026

<u>Estimated Attendance:</u>	3,500
<u>Location:</u>	Minneapolis Convention Center
<u>Major Arrivals:</u>	Wednesday, April 22 and Thursday, April 23, 2026
<u>Major Departure:</u>	Sunday, April 26, 2026
<u>Convention Hotels:</u>	Best Western Normandy, DoubleTree Guest Suites, Hilton Garden Inn, Hilton Minneapolis (HQ), Holiday Inn Express, Hotel Ivy, Hyatt Regency, Sheraton Minneapolis Downtown
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<u>Attendee Profile</u>	The APS Summit brings thousands of life science researchers, educators and students from around the world. Top scientists present on issues vital to the physiology community and world around us, ranging from maternal diets to xenotransplantation.
<u>Restaurant/Info Booth Hours:</u>	Friday, April 24 – 11:00AM – 3:00PM Saturday, April 25 – 11:00AM-3:00PM
<u>Transportation Provided:</u>	No
<u>Social Media:</u>	#APS2026
<u>Schedule:</u>	Attendees are on own for all meals. Schedule-at-a-glance on following page.

Times	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday	Times			
7 a.m.		7–7:45 a.m. Trainee Meetup			7 a.m.			
7:30 a.m.					7:30 a.m.			
8 a.m.	8 a.m.–4p.m. Pre-conference Programming	8–9:30 a.m. Foundational Science Sessions	8 a.m.–7 p.m. PhysioHub Open	8–9:30 a.m. Foundational Science Sessions	8–9:30 a.m. Foundational Science Sessions	8 a.m.		
8:30 a.m.							8:30 a.m.	
9 a.m.							9 a.m.	
9:30 a.m.							9:30 a.m.	
10 a.m.				10–11:30 a.m. Game- changer Sessions <i>Four Concurrent Sessions</i>		10–11:30 a.m. Game- changer Sessions <i>Four Concurrent Sessions</i>	10–11:30 a.m. Closing General Session with Keynote Speaker Jennifer Lippincott- Schwartz, PhD, FBS, FRMS, FASCB	10 a.m.
10:30 a.m.						10:30 a.m.		
11 a.m.						11 a.m.		
11:30 a.m.							11:30 a.m.	
12 p.m.							12 p.m.	
12:30 p.m.				12:30–2 p.m. Foundational Science Sessions	8 a.m.–7 p.m. PhysioHub Open	12:30–2 p.m. Foundational Science Sessions	8 a.m.–7 p.m. PhysioHub Open	12:30 p.m.
1 p.m.							1 p.m.	
1:30 p.m.							1:30 p.m.	
2 p.m.							2 p.m.	
2:30 p.m.				2:30–4 p.m. Foundational Science Sessions		2:30–4 p.m. Foundational Science Sessions		2:30 p.m.
3 p.m.							3 p.m.	
3:30 p.m.							3:30 p.m.	
4 p.m.							4 p.m.	
4:30 p.m.	4:15–5:45 p.m. Opening General Session with Keynote Speaker Tracy L. Bale, PhD, FAAAS	4:30–7 p.m. Poster Reception	8 a.m.–7 p.m. PhysioHub Open	4:30–7 p.m. Poster Reception		4:30 p.m.		
5 p.m.							5 p.m.	
5:30 p.m.							5:30 p.m.	
6 p.m.	5:45–7 p.m. Welcome Festival for All Attendees				6 p.m.			
6:30 p.m.					6:30 p.m.			
7 p.m.	7–9 p.m. Presidents' Reception <i>Invitation Only</i>	7–10 p.m. (or later) Special Events, Including Section Banquets	8 a.m.–7 p.m. PhysioHub Open	7–10 p.m. (or later) Special Events, Including Section Banquets		7 p.m.		
7:30 p.m.								7:30 p.m.
8 p.m.								8 p.m.
8:30 p.m.					8:30 p.m.			
9 p.m.	9–11 p.m. LBGTQIA+ Meetup				9 p.m.			
9:30 p.m.					9:30 p.m.			
10 p.m.					10 p.m.			
10:30 p.m.					10:30 p.m.			