Become a Member!

These two societies now offer students concurrent membership at a reduced rate.

Though you may join NSHP and SPS separately, we are pleased to offer a concurrent membership program at a reduced rate. For only $24* (2016 rate) you can join both societies.

To join both societies, visit the SPS National membership page at <https://www.spsnational.org/about/membership> and follow directions to join both the SPS and the NSHP.

*US addresses only. Please contact SPS office for international rates.

¡Bienvenidos! – Welcome!

What do you get if you combine the rich and diverse culture of Hispanic America with a passion to explore the universe, the wonder of observing the simple display of subtle interactions, and the pleasure of understanding what no one has understood before?

The National Society of Hispanic Physicists

What do you get if you combine the energy and enthusiasm of students with physics research, development of leadership and communication skills, a desire to share knowledge with those in the local and professional community, and a natural curiosity about the world?

The Society of Physics Students
The National Society of Hispanic Physicists (NSHP)

Though NSHP is open to all, we are primarily Hispanic Americans curious about, and actively studying, the physical world around us. We are students, faculty, professional scientists, educators, engineers, and administrators. But we are also those who have studied physics but have gone on to live other lives in business, entertainment, industry…or simply working to support our families.

Like our culture we span many worlds, many experiences. But always the quest to understand ties us together.

As few other groups are able, we recognize how poorly the words Hispanic-American, Latina, Chicano, or any other such term can capture the diversity, richness, complexity, joy and sorrows of our gente (people). And as no one else can, we can speak to our experiences—why we study physics, some of the problems we encountered as we chose our future, our difficulties and joys in being a physicist, the challenges you may encounter as you begin to study physics or as you join the professional community of physicists.

As a member you will receive The Hispanic Physicist, our electronic newsletter; be able to attend meetings at the NSHP student rate; be able to request aid for travel to meetings; and, most importantly, be able to add your voice to ours.

Learn more at www.hispanicphysicists.org.

The Society of Physics Students (SPS)

The Society of Physics Students is a professional association explicitly designed for students. Membership, through collegiate chapters, is open to anyone interested in physics.

At the local level you will meet others who share your interest in physics and have the opportunity to participate in the varied activities of the chapter, e.g., special lectures, physics projects, and outreach activities.

As a member of the national SPS you will receive Physics Today (monthly), The SPS Observer (quarterly), The Journal of Undergraduate Research in Physics (online); be eligible for SPS scholarships, internships, research & travel grants, fellowships and other awards; and be able to access the Career Placement Service of the American Institute of Physics.

You will also receive information and announcements about regional, national and international SPS meetings and of SPS research sessions at professional society meetings. And, if you are an undergraduate, you also qualify for free membership with an AIP Member Society (for up to three years, undergraduates only—see application instructions).

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