

UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20555-0001

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ALL AGREEMENT STATES, VERMONT, WYOMING

NOTIFICATION OF ACCEPTANCE TO THE ADVANCED HEALTH PHYSICS (H-201) COURSE (STC-18-057)

Purpose: To provide notification to the States of students selected to attend the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission's (NRC's) Advanced Health Physics (H-201) course to be held October 22 - 26, 2018, in Chattanooga, Tennessee.

Background: The NRC provides funding to the Agreement States for training and the associated travel.

Discussion: Students selected to attend the October 22 - 26, 2018, Advanced Health Physics (H-201) course in Chattanooga, Tennessee are provided in Enclosure 1. Please provide this notification to each individual from your program that has been accepted to this course. Students selected to attend this course will be paid travel and per diem by the NRC. Detailed guidance for students is provided in Enclosure 2. Please inform us of any withdrawals immediately so that individuals on the waiting list have an opportunity to attend.

If you have any questions regarding this correspondence, please contact me at (301) 415-3340 or the individual named below:

POINT OF CONTACT: Karen Meyer TELEPHONE: (301) 415-0113

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Enclosures:

- 1. List of students
- 2. Instructions for students

ADVANCED HEALTH PHYSICS (H-201) October 22 - 26, 2018 Chattanooga, TN

STATE	PARTICIPANT
ILLINOIS	Karamdeep Virk James Hirn
LOUISANIA	Daniel Phan
MASSACHUSETTES	Holly Holden
NEW YORK (SHD)	Ashley McDermott
PENNSYLVANIA	Jonathan Adams

INSTRUCTIONS TO STUDENTS

ACCEPTANCE: Individuals listed in Enclosure 1 have been accepted for participation in the Advanced Health Physics (H-201) course. This course is scheduled to be presented October 22 - 26, 2018, at the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) Technical Training Center (TTC). The TTC is located at 5746 Marlin Road, Suite 200, Osborne Office Center (near Eastgate Shopping Center) Chattanooga, Tennessee 37411-5677. The facility's telephone number is (423) 855-6500.

<u>COURSE</u>: Please see our Web site, https://scp.nrc.gov/training.html for the Tentative Course Schedule and note that the course begins at 8:00 a.m. on Monday, October 22, 2018, and ends at 12 noon on Friday, October 26, 2018.

LODGING AND TRAVEL: Please plan to arrive on Sunday, October 21, 2018, and depart on Friday, October 26, 2018. If there are no flights available that would allow you to arrive home before midnight on Friday, October 26th, you may elect to depart on Saturday, October 27th. In this event, the NRC will provide reimbursement for hotel on Friday night and per diem on Saturday, October 27th. Students must make their own lodging and travel arrangements. If traveling by air, please contact El Sol Travel at (844) 244-6694 for airline reservations, and indicate that the travel is "Invitational" for the NRC. Please select a fully refundable Government fare if one is available, and make sure that El Sol Travel correctly direct bills your fare to credit card ending 2835. If the need arises and you must make a change, please contact Karen Meyer at (301) 415-0113.

Please complete the Travel Application Form which will be provided to you and submit to AStrainingandtravel.Resource@nrc.gov, at your earliest opportunity, but no later than Friday, October 12th. Please do not exceed the Federal government rate at the hotels. The per diem for Chattanooga, Tennessee is \$103 for hotel and \$64 for meals and incidentals. The first and last day of travel is calculated at 75 percent which is \$48. A complimentary shuttle has been arranged for transportation between the hotel and the training center for individuals staying at the Residence Inn hotel listed below. Please contact the front desk for details upon arrival. Those students who elect to stay at an alternate hotel will be responsible for their own transportation between the hotel and the training center. If you are authorized to drive, the Federal mileage reimbursement is 54.5 cents per mile. Rental cars are not reimbursable. Note that a block of rooms has been set aside for you at the Federal government rate. *A link will be provided to you on the Travel Form.*

Residence Inn Chattanooga

2340 Center Street Chattanooga, TN 37421 Phone: 1-423-468-7700

<u>DIRECT DEPOSIT</u>: If you prefer this method of reimbursement, please complete the form located on our Web site and follow the instructions on the form. Once you have signed up for Direct Deposit, you are in the system and will not need to complete a new form unless your banking information changes. When it is time to complete your voucher for reimbursement, in the address box enter "Enrolled in Direct Deposit." If you have any questions regarding direct deposit, please contact Lindsey Santos at (301) 415-6268.