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AAPA 2026 Schedule of Main Conference Events

Thursday, May 14, 2026

AAPA Board of Directors Meeting	1:30 - 6 p.m.
HOD Credentialing	3:30 - 7 p.m.

Friday, May 15, 2026

HOD Credentialing	7 a.m 6 p.m.
HOD Meeting	8 a.m 6 p.m.
Registration Open	8 a.m 7 p.m.
CME Sessions	1 - 5:45 p.m.
Satellite Symposia (eligible for CME)	6 - 8 p.m.
HOD Reception (Invitation Only)	7 - 8:30 p.m.

Saturday, May 16, 2026

Fitness Class	6 - 6:45 a.m.
Registration Open	6:30 a.m 6:30 p.m.
Satellite Registration Open	6:30 a.m 3 p.m.
Industry Sessions	8 - 9 a.m.
CME Sessions & Workshops	8 - 11:30 a.m. 12:15 - 3:15 p.m.
Become a PA: Pre-PA Workshop	8 a.m 3 p.m.
HOD Meeting	8 a.m 3 p.m.
Mindfulness Lounge Open	8:30 a.m 3:25 p.m.
Student Networking Lounge	9 a.m 3:30 p.m.
Industry Sessions	11:45 a.m 12:45 p.m.
Main Stage	3:30 - 5 p.m.
Expo Open	5 - 7 p.m.
AAPA Opening ReceptionIncluding Taking	5 - 7 p.m.
Names & Making Connections	
AAPA Distinguished Fellows Reception	7 - 8 p.m.
(Invitation Only)	

Sunday, May 17, 2026

Fitness Class	6 - 6:45 a.m.
Registration Open	7 a.m 6 p.m.
Industry Sessions	8 - 9 a.m.
HOD Meeting	8 a.m 3 p.m.
CME Sessions & Workshops	8 - 11:30 a.m. 1:30 - 5:45 p.m.



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Mindfulness Lounge Open	8:30 a.m 3:50 p.m.
Student Networking Lounge	9 a.m 6 p.m.
Student Presentations	9 a.m 4:30 p.m.
Expo Open	9 a.m 5 p.m.
Industry Sessions	12:30 - 1:30 p.m.
Satellite Symposia (eligible for CME)	6 - 8 p.m.

Monday, May 18, 2026

Fitness Class	6 - 6:45 a.m.
Registration Open	7 a.m 6 p.m.
Industry Sessions	8 - 9 a.m.
CME Sessions & Workshops	8 - 9 a.m. 10:45 - 11:45 a.m.
	12:15 - 4:30 p.m.
Mindfulness Lounge Open	8:30 a.m 3:50 p.m.
Main Stage	9:15 - 10:30 a.m.
Expo Open	10:30 a.m 3 p.m.
Student Networking Lounge	10:30 a.m 3:30 p.m.
Meet the Candidates Forum: Board of	10:45 a.m 12 p.m.
Directors General Election	
Student Presentations	11 a.m 3:50 p.m.
Industry Sessions	12 - 1 p.m.
AAPA Election Voting Booths	12 - 5 p.m.
Veterans Caucus Memorial Ceremony	2 - 3:30 p.m.
Federal Services Memorial Reception	3:30 - 4:30 p.m.
Challenge Bowl	4 - 6 p.m.
PA Night Out	7 - 10 p.m.

Tuesday, May 19, 2026

Fitness Class	6 - 6:45 a.m.
Registration Open	7 a.m 4:30 p.m.
Industry Sessions	8 - 9 a.m.
CME Sessions & Workshops	8 - 11:30 a.m. 12:15 - 5:45 p.m.
AAPA Election Voting Booths	8 a.m 2 p.m.
Mindfulness Lounge Open	8:30 a.m 1:50 p.m.
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Industry Sessions	11:45 a.m 12:45 p.m.

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