October

Government Shutdown
• Pain Consortium Quarterly Meeting - rescheduled

November

National Pain Strategy
• The members of the five working groups were announced on the IPRCC website
• The co-chairs of each group met with the Oversight Panel co-chairs
• Additional information on the National Pain Strategy can be found here

9th Annual NIH Pain Consortium Symposium
• Will be held May 28-29 on the NIH campus in Bethesda, MD
• Additional planning is underway and the topic will be announced soon

2014 NIH Sleep-Pain Workshop
• Will follow the NIH Pain Consortium Symposium and be held May 29-30 on the NIH campus
• Planning is ongoing

December

Pain Researcher and NINDS Council Member, David Julius, Publishes 2 TRPV1 Papers in Nature
• NIH (NCRR, NIGMS, and NINDS) funded studies describe the TRPV1 channel structure in the closed and open states
  • http://www.nature.com/nature/journal/v504/n7478/full/nature12823.html
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• David Julius, PhD is a professor and chair of physiology and Morris Herzstein Endowed Chair in Molecular Biology and Medicine at UC, San Francisco

NIH Pain Consortium Quarterly Meeting
• Held on December 17th at 10:00 am
• Meeting minutes can be found here

National Pain Strategy
• Working group meetings have been scheduled and are occurring throughout December

Additional Information

New IPRCC Members Posted
• See the list and bios of all current IPRCC members here