



# Quarterly Newsletter

## 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](#)

### 9<sup>th</sup> 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 17<sup>th</sup> 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](#)