

Dose Response Specialty Group, SRA 2007 Annual Meeting
December 10, 2007; 12:00-12:40
Meeting Notes

1. Election and the New Executive Committee
 - a. New Officers were introduced to the members
Chair-elect: Paul Feder
Vice Chair: Patty Toccalino
Trustee at Large: Jeff Gift
 - b. Continuing Officers were recognized
Chair: Sara Henry
Secretary Treasurer: Linda Teuschler,
Trustee: Gary Foureman
 - c. Outgoing Officers were recognized
Chair: Dale Hattis

2. Discussion/suggestions from the members for new directions for DRSG for next year/cool ideas for annual meeting symposia for December 08--Sara

Develop conferences and workshops – successful Sunday programs.

Develop basic skills broaden technical base for risk analysis.

Need outreach internationally. Asia, Europe and Latin America SRA's provide opportunities for international conferences and workshops. (Session on Wed afternoon on how to propose an independent workshop to be sponsored by SRA. Forms are website accessible.)

Encourage attendance at DRSG tele-seminars in March, June and Sept. Paul Feder will schedule. Announcements are on DRSG website as well as ways to get presentation slides. Announcements are sent out to DRSG members. (Send your email address to Sara to get on the list.)

Seminar topic suggestions and possible speakers:

- Model averaging (Tony Cox)
- Human variability (Dale Hattis)
- Benchmark Dose/D-R in Europe (Wout Sloub)
- Mixed modes of action at different parts of the d-r curve (Woody Setzer, W. Chiu for TCE, Bruce Allen)
- Bioterrorism/Homeland Security Issues in D-R (?)

3. SRA Annual Meeting Activities this year include:
 - a. New DRSG Pins (Jeff)
 - b. Business Meeting, Monday at lunch
 - c. Mixer, Tuesday 6:00 pm in the Marriott Riverwalk Valero Room
 - Presentation of student awards
 - Musical entertainment--[Belladonna Blues Band](#)
([Harvey Clewell and Mel Andersen](#))
 - d. Specialty Group Chairs Breakfast, Dale Hattis, Sara Henry

- e. Student Award Winners
 - Ying Li, UNC Chapel Hill
 - Violeta Hennessey, Un of Tx at Houston
- f. SRA Sponsored Symposia (List below)

4. Budget – DSRG in good financial standing

Date	Who	What	Credits	Debits	Balance
10/2/2007	T. Becker	SRA's Current Balance for DRSG			\$5,462.81
6/6/2007	G. Foureman	2007 Lapel Pins		\$266.00	\$5,196.81
12/6/2007	J. Teegarden	Travel for J. Harkema		\$845.56	\$4,351.25
12/6/2007	T. Becker	SRA's Current Balance for DRSG			\$6,413.42
11/7/2007	P. Feder	2007 Student Award Plaques (2)		\$208.00	\$6,205.42
10/1/2007	D. Hattis	2007 SRA DRSG Mixer Added \$\$		\$350.00	\$5,855.42
12/6/2007	P. Feder	2007 Student Awards (2)		\$1,000.00	\$4,855.42
12/7/2007	P. Feder	2008 Student Conference Registration (2)		\$310.00	\$4,545.42

- a. Ideas from last year (2006 meeting) that were solicited for spending extra
 - an additional student award or increased student awards
 - pay travel for invited speakers outside of SRA members or for DRSG members
 - use for upcoming World Congress/International SRA meeting

Need ideas for World Congress. Abstracts due by Dec 21st. DRSG will not be able to sponsor as there is not time for a meeting between now and then.

5. Adjournment

2007 SRA Annual Meeting – DRSG-Sponsored Sessions

<i>SessDesg</i> <i>Session Title</i>	<i>Time</i>	<i>Room</i>	<i>Chair1</i> <i>Chair2</i>
<i>M2-D</i> Mode of Action of Peroxisome	10:30 AM - Noon	203B	Wong
<i>M3-D</i> Opportunities to Bridge the Gap from Research to Practice of Quantitative Dose-Response Assessment	2:00 - 3:30 PM	203B	Judith Graham
<i>M3-E</i> Methods for Evaluating Chemical Environmental Mixtures	2:00 - 3:30 PM	205	Linda Teuschler Lynn Flowers

<i>M4-D</i>	Biomonitoring Equivalents: Ground Rules for Derivation and Communication	4:00 - 5:20 PM	203B	Sean Hays
<i>T2-D</i>	Dose Response	10:30 AM - Noon	203B	Chris Kirman
<i>T2-E</i>	Low Dose Extrapolation	10:30 AM - Noon	205	Mel Andersen Bob Tardiff
<i>T3-D</i>	Uncertainties in Cancer Risk Assessment I	2:00 - 3:30 PM	203B	Dale Hattis
<i>T4-D</i>	Uncertainties in Cancer Risk Assessment II	4:00 - 5:20 PM	203B	Dale Hattis
<i>W1-D</i>	Benchmark Dose (Part 1)	8:30 - 10:00 AM	203B	Woodrow Setzer Jeff Gift
<i>W1-E</i>	The Spy Who Loved Me: Alternative Approaches	8:30 - 10:00 AM	205	Tony Cox
<i>W2-D</i>	Benchmark Dose (Part 2)	10:30 AM - Noon	203B	Woodrow Setzer Jeff Gift
<i>W3-D</i>	Whither Clonal Growth Modeling	2:00 - 3:30 PM	203B	Harvey Clewell
<i>W4-D</i>	Advancing Microbial Risk	4:00 - 5:40 PM	203B	Peg Coleman