DRSG Meeting, May 1, 2018

Participants: Ingrid Druwe, Paul Schlosser, Sara Henry, Allen Davis, George Woodall, Weihsueh Chiu, Peg Coleman, Phil Yeager

➢ DRSG representation at the SRA Program Committee meeting (planning for SRA annual meeting)
  o Meeting will be June 26, Crystal City, VA
  o At least one, preferably two DRSG reps are needed
  o Sara Henry said she could probably participate
  o Inquiring of Resha Putzrath, since she’s in the DC area

➢ “Student Representative” Bylaws Amendment
  o Discussed amending the bylaws to include a student (or postdoctoral?) representative on the DRSG council
  o Specific responsibility: work with vice-chair on student award competition
  o Otherwise help recruit graduate students and other younger members
  o Note from Paul: I think postdocs (e.g., Kan Shao) have served as regular council members in the past
  o Weihsueh obtained copy of current bylaws from Paul, will develop specific proposal
  o Requires vote by membership, can be done by email
  o Approval by SRA Council is probably needed as well, but shouldn’t be an issue
  o Hope to have in place in time for our fall elections

➢ Planning for SRA Annual Meeting: May 29 is abstract/symposium proposal deadline
  o Update on tobacco/vaping?
    ▪ Sara developed previous sessions, can ask if her contacts have new results
    ▪ Ingrid has contact re. cannabis products/vaping
    ▪ Cannabis: issue with “CBD” oil contaminating products

  o Update on Systematic Review Methods?
    ▪ Could draw from SR meeting that occurred in December
    ▪ Represent as work-in-progress
    ▪ Many other agencies/states are using SR, may want to present

  o Training Workshops on BMDS and Cat-Reg
    ▪ Allen and Jeff Gift planning to submit/provide again
    ▪ Two half-day workshops (BMDS, then Cat-Reg)
    ▪ “BMDS 3.0” has new interface, Bayesian averaging

  o Lifecycle Impact Assessment
    ▪ Weihsueh has some contacts he’ll contact
    ▪ Could co-sponsor with Exposure Analysis SG

  o Session on high-throughput toxicokinetic (HTTK) approach, objectives, progress?
    ▪ Paul will check with John Wambaugh (EPA)
Peg Coleman announced that a session we had previously sponsored evolved into a publication, which has now been accepted for publication in Risk Analysis!

- “Microbiota and Dose-Response: Evolving Paradigm of Health Triangle.”
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