

DRSG Teleconference Meeting

October 2, 2018

Participants: Ingrid Druwe, Paul Schlosser, Weihsueh Chiu, Matt Wheeler, Phil Yeager, George Woodall, Dustin Kapraun, Rick Hertzberg, Peg Coleman, Heriberto Robles.

Discussion of potential candidates:

Secretary/treasurer:

- Weihsueh suggested two possible candidates. Others on call agreed they would both be good. Weihsueh will contact them.
- Peg Coleman is willing to serve, but thought it better if we can identify new people for the role.

Student/postdoc:

- Can ask Jacqueline MacDonald Gibson and Kahn Shao re. grad student representatives.
 - Also look at previous submissions, particularly winners, for student travel award. Paul will provide list of previous awardees to candidates to Ingrid, who will contact them.
 - Peg Coleman: suggested a person she knows at the College of Veterinary Medicine, Cornell. Peg will contact.
 - Paul: hopefully we can identify a candidate ahead of time, but could also ask at the SRA annual meeting, DRSG business meeting/lunch.
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Other business:

Status of bylaws update (new student/postdoc position)?

Was approved by the group at the last meeting.

Should send to secretariat for approval of national SRA council; Weihsueh will do.

Mixer at annual meeting:

“From secretariat: SRA contributes \$1,000 per specialty group for the mixers. If DRSG would like to contribute extra from the dues for additional food or drink tickets, please let me know. I will take care of the menu planning. Typically, we have a cash bar and heavy appetizers.”

Can use the November telecon to discuss further.

Phil: at FDA, CFSAN, has an ORISE position opening soon.

Can announce to the list?

Yes! Professional announcements can be sent directly to the email list at drsg-l@indiana.edu.
Group officers (moderators) can/will approve

Finances: Paul will contact national council for an update on our account.