

ANNUAL REPORT: 2009-2010

May 1, 2009 to April 30, 2010

I. Officers/Committees:

Officers:	<u>2008-2009</u>	<u>2009-2010</u>
President:	Craig Llewellyn	Jia Sheng Wang
President-elect:	Jia Sheng Wang	Ray A. Matulka
Vice President:	Ray A. Matulka	Kenneth A. Voss
Secretary:	Wu Li	Wu Li
Treasurer:	Wu Li	Wu Li
Councilors:	James C. Griffiths Kathryn R. Mahaffey Stanley T. Omaye Daniel M. Wilson	James C. Griffiths Stephen A. Ruckman Kathryn R. Mahaffey Daniel M. Wilson
<i>Past-President</i>	Bruce G. Hammond	Craig Llewellyn
SAC Representative:	Li Xu	
PDA Representative:		

Committees:

Issues and Program Committee, chaired by Kenneth Voss
Award Committee, chaired by Daniel Wilson
Membership Committee, chaired by James Griffiths
Newsletter editor, Stephen Ruckman

II. Activities

2010 SOT Annual Meeting Reception was held Salt Lake City, Utah on Monday, March 8th, 2010.

Approximately 35 people were in attendance.

Jia-Sheng Wang called the meeting to order at approximately 7:00 pm on Monday, March 8th, 2010.

Business Meeting Speakers: Craig Llewellyn, Jia-Sheng Wang, and Ray Matulka

Meeting Minutes: The meeting was called to order by Jia Sheng Wang. Election results for the upcoming year was provided, with James C. Griffiths as Vice-President elect, Tim Phillips as Secretary/Treasurer, and Steve Hermansky, Berna Magnuson, and Nicola Stagg as the incoming Councilors. Jia Sheng Wang then requested Craig Llewellyn to provide an update on the FS3 Bylaws.

Craig Llewellyn had reviewed the current by-laws and noted that an update to the By-laws was necessary, and was to be put to a majority vote at the current meeting. Included in this motion was to alter the by-laws to increase then number of Councilors to four, from three, include the addition of a volunteer postdoctoral member of the Specialty Section and a volunteer student member of the Specialty Section, each to serve up to two years as representatives, that the Councilors shall lead or chair specific areas associated

with the Specialty Section activities (i.e., Awards Committee Chair, Membership Committee Chair, Newsletter editor, and Issues/Programs), and that the Specialty Section dues are to be established by the Society of Toxicology and are the same for all Specialty Sections. The motion passed with a majority vote.

Wu Li provided a break-down of the Treasurer's report, which will be verified with the Society of Toxicology account for the Frank C. Lu balance. Finally, the gavel was handed over to Ray Matulka, the incoming president, and Ray gave a brief speech for his view to run FS3.

Awards:

Burdock Group student travel award – Nichole Mitchell
Frank C. Lu student award – Alicia Marroquin-Cardona
Monsanto SOT travel award – Guoqing Qian

2010 SOT Annual Meeting Courses/Sessions:

Roundtable Session: Melamine Contamination of Infant Formulas: Lesson Learned
Roundtable Session: Safety of Vitamins and Minerals: Controversies and perspectives
Platform Session: Advances in Mycotoxin Toxicity
Poster Session: Safety Concerns of Food and Natural Products

Endowment Fund Details:

Newsletters: January and November 2009

Teleseminars: None

White Papers: None

Contributions to SOT Web site: None

Other Specialty Section 2009-2010 Activities:

FS3 co-sponsored the Cancer Risk Associated with Intermittent or Short-term Exposures in December 2009.

International seminars were given by several FS3 members (Ron Riley, Tim Phillips, and J.S Wang) in 2009-2010.

Affiliations for the student awards for the FS3 section

Awards: Burdock Group student travel award – Nichole Mitchell, Veterinary Integrative Biosciences, Texas A&M University, College Station, TX

Frank C. Lu student award – Alicia Marroquin-Cardona, Veterinary Integrative Biosciences, Texas A&M University, College Station, TX

Monsanto SOT travel award – Guoqing Qian, Environmental Health Science, University of Georgia, Athens, GA