



Society of Toxicology Southern California Chapter

Short Communication

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Student Poster Winners: 2005 Fall SCCSOT Meeting

There were 13 student posters in this year's competition, with participants representing UCLA (3), UC Irvine (2), San Diego State University (3), UCSD (3), UC Davis (1), and UC Riverside (1). An anonymous panel of judges evaluated each of the posters. Because of the scope and high quality of research represented, selection of the winners was quite challenging.

Thank you to all of the participants in this year's student poster competition! The winners of this year's student poster competition are:

Award	Student Winner	Poster Title
First Place (\$500)	<u>Lisa Martin</u>	FK506, an Inhibitor to Calcineurin, Ameliorates Testicular Damage Due to Cadmium in Mice; L Martin, H Chen, G Lee, M Collins. UCLA, Interdepartmental Program in Molecular Toxicology, CA; H Allayee, D Shih, AJ Lusis, RM Cantor. UCLA, Department of Human Genetics, CA; D Hovland. Amgen, Thousand Oaks, CA; R Hess, K Carnes. University of Illinois, Department of Veterinary Biosciences, IL
Second Place (\$250)	<u>Xiaoyan Liao</u>	Induction of Dkk1 Correlates with Cadmium-Induced Cell Death and Mitotic Inhibition in Embryonic Limb Buds and May Contribute to the Forelimb Ectrodactyly in a Sensitive Mouse Strain; Xiaoyan Liao and Michael D. Collins. UCLA, CA
Third Place (\$100)	<u>Robert Taylor</u>	TCDD-Induced Differential Coactivator Recruitment To CYP1A1 and CYP1B1; RT Taylor ¹ , F Wang ² , R Zhang ² , and O Hankinson ^{1,2} . UCLA Molecular Toxicology I.D.P. ¹ , Department of Pathology and Lab Medicine ² , Molecular Biology Institute, and Jonsson Comprehensive Cancer Center, David Geffen School of Medicine, UCLA, CA

Seeking Nominations for 2006/7 SCCSOT Officer Elections

We are currently seeking nominees for the following positions:

Position	Requirements	Contact
Vice-President-Elect	Must be an SOT and/or SCCSOT member. Send email with short biosketch	badger_drew@allergan.com
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K-12 Volunteers for the 2006 National SOT Meeting (March 5, 2006)	Send email	swild@amgen.com