



Mission

Drug discovery toxicology is an extension of the field of general toxicology, created to fulfill the growing need for generating higher throughput, integrative, and predictive toxicological information, in an effort to reduce attrition at later stages of drug development. Drug discovery toxicology is designed to evaluate the potential for adverse effects associated with novel drug targets and to discriminate drugs based on toxicological criteria in parallel with other high throughput characterizations of drugs (e.g., potency screening, pharmacokinetic cassette dosing). These research approaches are revolutionary to the field of toxicology and will pave the way for future drug testing paradigms.

Emil Pfitzer Drug Discovery Toxicology Fund for Graduate Students and Postdoctoral Fellows Award

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Student	First Place	Elizabeth Ryan	Pat Shaw	Leah Mitchell	Jamie O'Brien	Arunkumar Asaithambi
	Second Place	Mary Hassani	Andy Licktieg	Sumitra Sengupta	Jennifer Cohen	Christina Powers
	Third Place	Kristian Fried	Sumitra Sengupta	Kim Henderson	Arunkumar Asaithambi	Sumitra Sengupta
Postdoctoral	First Place					David Castro
	Second Place					Peter Bui
	Third Place					Harriet Kamendi

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