

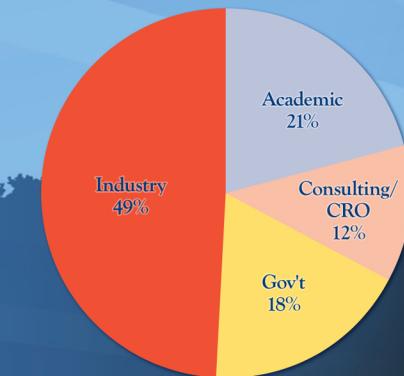


Background Information

- NLSOT serves toxicologists in Minnesota, South Dakota, North Dakota, and Montana
- Founded in 1998
- Approximately 70 members
- Founding Officers
 - President: Kendall Wallace, Univ. MN-Duluth
 - President-Elect: Robert Roy, 3M
 - Secretary/Treasurer: Robert Skoglund, 3M
 - Councilors: Jeffrey Stevens, EarthTech
Steven Gordon, 3M
Michael Murphy, Univ. MN-Twin Cities
Hillary Carpenter, MN Dept. Health



NLSOT Membership



Activities

- Semi-annual meetings (spring and fall)
 - Meetings held in Minneapolis/St. Paul and Duluth, MN
- Notable meetings
 - Benchmark Dose Modeling Workshop (Fall 2006)
 - Perfluorinated Chemicals – joint meeting with the Midwest SETAC chapter (Spring 2008)
 - Alternatives in Toxicology Testing (Fall 2010) – first webcast meeting for NLSOT!
- K-12 committee
 - Conducting outreach since 1999
 - Approach recognized by SOT
- Student support
 - Travel award for annual SOT meeting
 - Platform and poster presentation opportunities at meetings
- Continuing education courses



Current Officers and Committees

- Current Officers
 - President: Timothy O'Brien, ECOLAB
 - President-Elect: Nathan Pechacek, 3M
 - Secretary/Treasurer: Catherine Jacobson, 3M
 - Past-President: John Nichols, U.S. EPA
 - Councilors: Kelly Coleman, Medtronic
John MacDonald, Ridge Road Consulting
Helen Goeden, MN Dept. Health
- Student Representative: Sarah Skolness, Univ. MN-Duluth
- Committees: Program, Education, and Awards
- For more information, please contact Tim O'Brien (tim.obrien@ecolab.com, 651.293.2195), or visit the NLSOT website (<http://www.toxicology.org/isot/rc/northland/Index.htm>).

