

American Association of Chinese in Toxicology

ANNUAL REPORT: 2016-2017

May 1, 2016 to April 30, 2017

I. Officers/Committees:

<u>Officers</u>	<u>2015-2016</u>	<u>2016-2017</u>
President:	Ching-Hung Hsu	Hanna Ng
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GSLC Representative:	Jinpeng Li	Jinpeng Li

Award Committee: Zemin Wang

Finance Committee: Robert Li

SIG-Collaboration Group: Hanna Ng and Alex Xu

Membership Committee: Gene Hsu and Alex Xu

Nomination/Election Committee: Gene Hsu

Program Committee: Alex Xu

II. Activities:

2017 AACT Distinguished Chinese Toxicologist Lecture was held on Monday, March 13, at 5:00 pm at the Hyatt Regency Baltimore. Dr. Wei Xu presented her work titled “Estrogen receptor dimers: Functional mediators of the environmental estrogens”

2017 AACT SOT Annual Meeting Reception was held on Monday, March 13, at 6:00 pm at the Hyatt Regency Baltimore. Approximately 200 people were in attendance.

Annual Meeting and Reception Agenda:

6:00 to 6:15: Greeting and gathering

6:15 to 7:00: Business meeting

Welcome and opening remarks	Hanna Ng
President's report	Hanna Ng
Finance report	Robert Li
Membership report	Alex Xu
Election report	Gene Hsu
Award presentation	Zemin Wang
Appreciation for outgoing board members	Hanna Ng

7:00 to 7:15: Sponsor Presentation (5 min each)

1. Pharmaron
2. WuXi AppTec
3. Regeneron

7:15 to 8:00: Reception

Awards:

Distinguished Chinese Toxicologist Lectureship - Dr. Wei Xu, University of Wisconsin-Madison

Jean Lu Student Scholarship – Kathy Xue, University of Georgia

Best Abstracts Award

1st place presentation – Rosa Chen, University of California at San Francisco

2nd place presentation – Zilin Li, Indiana University, Bloomington

3rd place presentation – Shuo Xiao, Northwestern University

2017 SOT Annual Meeting Courses/Sessions:

Career Development Workshop titled “Prepare for Success in China”; March 14, 12:15 PM–1:30 PM, Baltimore Convention Center Room 301-303.

Chairperson: Alex Xu, PHD, DABT, USFDA

Speakers:

John Gong, PhD, MD, CEO, 3D Medicines Inc.

Joe Zhang, PhD, DABT, Head of Preclinical R&D, Simcere Pharmaceuticals

Leshuai Zhang, PhD, DABT, Professor, Medical College of Soochow University

Discussion Panelists

Victoria Tu, PhD, MBA, DABT, Vice President, Asia Pacific Product Safety, Regulation Affairs and Claims, L'Oreal

Charles Wang, PhD, DABT, Director and Head of TPPS, GSK R&D China

Endowment Fund Details: One award presented at the 2017 AACT annual meeting

Newsletters: Two AACT newsletters (Fall of 2016 and Spring of 2017) were published

Teleseminars: None

Contributions to SOT website: AACT Website was updated

Other Special Interest Group 2016-2017 Activities: Participation in the SIG-Collaboration Group Meetings.