

## Clinical and Translational Toxicology Specialty Section

### ANNUAL REPORT: 2020-2021

May 1, 2020 to April 30, 2021

#### I. Officers/Committees:

<u>Officers</u>	<u>2020-2021</u>	<u>2021-2022</u>
President:	Sally Marie Bradberry	Yvonne P. Dragan
Vice President:	Yvonne P. Dragan	Kai Kehe
Vice President-Elect:	Kai Kehe	Hartmut Jaeschke
Secretary:	Emma C. Bowers	Emma C. Bowers
Treasurer:	Emma C. Bowers	Emma C. Bowers
Past President	Jennifer L. Burkey	Sally Marie Bradberry
Councilors:	Jennifer L. Burkey	Sally Marie Bradberry
	Mitchell R. McGill	Deidre A. Dalmas Wilk
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PDA Representative: Milan Prajapati Milan Prajapati

Grad Student Representative: Jephte Akakpo Danielle Kozlosky

Committees: N/A

II. 2020 Membership total: 135

III. Key Outcomes in 2020-2021: Activities indicated below.

#### IV. Activities:

A. **2021 SOT Virtual Annual Meeting Activities** (e.g., courses, scientific sessions, or virtual receptions):

##### **Clinical and translational Toxicology Specialty Section Virtual Meeting**

**Date and Time:** Tuesday, 3/16/2021 from 8:45am – 9:45am ET

**Summary:** The business meeting was open to all interested virtual Annual Meeting attendees. It included reports from the President and Secretary/Treasurer, announcements on outgoing and incoming officers, an award ceremony, and open discussions on upcoming 2022 events.

#### B. 2021 Awards Information:

Clinical and Translational Toxicology SS Graduate Students Research Award - First Place: Kayla Frost

Clinical and Translational Toxicology SS Graduate Student Research Award - Second Place: Catia Marques

Clinical and Translational Toxicology SS Graduate Student Research Award - Second Place(tie): Syed Masood

C. **Other Educational Activities Conducted** (e.g., webinars, in person meetings): N/A

**D. Communication Activities:**

1. Newsletter publication frequency: Summer 2020, Spring 2021
2. New or Significant Announcements/blogs: Membership survey for Newsletter topics of interest
3. Highlight of Website enhancements: New website was launched 12/23/2020. The CTTSS website has been maintained and updated as needed.

**E. Mentoring activities:** N/A

**V. Feedback and Ideas:**

**A. In what ways is your group fostering and maintaining an inclusive environment?**

*The CTTSS is open to all members of SOT that self-identify with interests in clinical and translational science. The student and postdoc members are highly engaged and bring this excitement back into their communities. Executive membership is driven by election from membership. The list of those proposed for office is vetted and considered through multiple lenses.*

**B. How might SOT better support your group's activities (perhaps something the Society should be doing that we currently do not do, or do not do effectively, that would be of importance/benefit to the members of your component group?):**

**Note: If funding is listed, please provide detail on the membership need that the funding would support.**

- *Dedicated day or section of program on translational/clinical aspect of toxicology*
- *Tie Translational Impact Award to activities of CTTSS- For example, we nominate or at least be informed of the selection to consider as a speaker at our annual meeting*
- *Cost of annual meeting should be covered by SOT*
- *Funding for a CTT or similar activity perhaps adjacent to a clinical meeting or to SOT Annual Meeting.*

**C. What is one thing that the Society is currently doing that impacts your component group that should be changed (e.g., stopped, modified, etc.)?**

- *Stop charging for our annual meeting*
- *Enable us to communicate within our section more freely*

**D. What changes do your component group anticipate making in the way in which it operates in the coming year?**

- *We have proposed a person for the Translational Impact or Lifetime Achievement Award and will have them speak at our annual meeting- we like holding this over the lunch hour.*
- *We are considering changing the number and/or value of our awards*
- *We are planning three newsletters.*