

Neurotoxicology Specialty Section

ANNUAL REPORT: 2019-2020

May 1, 2019 to April 30, 2020

I. Officers/Committees:

Officers

President:

Vice President:

Vice President-Elect:

Secretary:

Treasurer:

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Councilors:

2019-2020

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PDA Representative:

Megan Culbreth

Carla Garza Lombo

Graduate Student Representative:

Eduardo A. Gonzalez

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Committees:

Distinguished Neurotoxicologist Award Committee: Michelle Block (Chair), Jason Richardson, Jason Cannon, Jim O'Callaghan, Debbie Cory-Slechta, Ginger Moser,

Conference Travel Award Committee: Jason Richardson (Chair), Alison Bernstein, Muhammad Hossain, Aseel Eid, Jason Cannon, Tim Shafer, Somshuvra Mukhopadhyay

Trainee Poster Award Committee: Michelle Block (Chair), Jason Cannon, Marissa Sobolewski and 55 NTSS members as judges

Nomination Committee: Mary Gilbert (Chair)

Toshio Narahashi Neurotoxicology Endowment Fund: Pam Lein (Chair)

II. 2019 Membership total: 324

III. Key Outcomes in 2019-2020:

Activities:

A. 2020 SOT Annual Meeting Virtual Activities (e.g. courses, scientific sessions, or virtual receptions):

Nine symposia/workshops sponsored by NTSS had been accepted for the SOT 2020 meeting (82% success rate)

B. 2020 Awards Information:

Toshio Narahashi Neurotoxicology SS Trainee Conference Endowment Award – John Kim
Toshio Narahashi Neurotoxicology SS Trainee Conference Endowment Award – Shreesh Sammi
Toshio Narahashi Neurotoxicology SS Trainee Conference Endowment Award – Asha Rizor
Toshio Narahashi Neurotoxicology SS Trainee Conference Endowment Award – Faith Anderson

Neurotoxicology SS Distinguished Neurotoxicologist Award – Michael Aschner

Toshio Narahashi Graduate Student Poster Competition Award sponsored by Battelle 1st place – Kelly Patten

Toshio Narahashi Graduate Student Poster Competition Award 2nd place – Bianca Yaghoobi

Toshio Narahashi Graduate Student Poster Competition Award 3rd place – Rachel Foguth

Toshio Narahashi Graduate Student Poster Competition Award 4th place Runner-up – Jonas Calsbeek

Toshio Narahashi Postdoctoral Fellow/Associate Poster Competition Award sponsored by Elsevier 1st place – Souvarish Sarkar

Toshio Narahashi Postdoctoral Poster Competition Award 2nd place – Shreesh R. Sammi

Toshio Narahashi Postdoctoral Poster Competition Award 3rd place – Edward A. Pajarillo

Toshio Narahashi Postdoctoral Poster Competition Award 4th place – Anna Chlebowski

C. Other Educational Activities Conducted (e.g. webinars, in person meetings, etc.):

D. Communication Activities:

Newsletter publication frequency: Fall 2019, distributed to all membership

Key Announcements/blogs:

Website highlights:

E. Other activities:

Michael Aschner was elected President-Elect of the Society of Toxicology

Mary Gilbert was elected Treasurer-Elect of the Society of Toxicology

V. Feedback and Ideas:

- A. 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.

- N/A