Toxicologic and Exploratory Pathology Specialty Section

ANNUAL REPORT: 2012-2013
May 1, 2012 to April 30, 2013

I. Officers/Committees:

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Representatives

| Postdoctoral              | Christopher Gibson        | Christopher Gibson        |
|                          |                           |                           |
| Student                  | Alessandro Venosa (appointed) | Alessandro Venosa          |

II. Activities

2012 SOT Annual Officers’ Meeting was held on Mar 11, 2013 at 6:30am (CST) in San Antonio, TX. Meeting Minutes: see Attachment I

2012 SOT Annual Meeting Reception was held on Mar 12, 2013 at noon (PST) in San Antonio, TX. Approximately 40 people were in attendance.

TEPSS Student Travel Award:
Kazuhsa Miyakawa, Pathobiology and Diagnostic Investigation, Environmental and Integrative Toxicological Sciences, Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI
Topic: Platelet Depletion Reduces Acetaminophen (APAP) Hepatotoxicity in Mice

Tejas Lahoti, Department of Veterinary and Biomedical Sciences, Center for Molecular Toxicology and Carcinogenesis, The Pennsylvania State University, University Park, PA
Topic: Aryl Hydrocarbon Receptor Regulates Growth Factor Expression, Proliferation and Migration in Primary Fibroblast-like Synoviocytes from Rheumatoid Arthritis Patients
Charles River Award:
Sunil Tomar, Department of Pathology, Microbiology and Immunology, School of Medicine, University of South Carolina, Columbia, SC
    Topic: 3,3'-Diindolylmethane Attenuates Lipopolysaccharide/D-Galactosamine Induced Fulminant Hepatic Failure: Role of Changes in microRNA Expression in the Liver-Infiltrating Mononuclear Cells

Roger O. McClellan Student Award:
Vinicius Carreira, DVM, DACVP, Environmental Health, University of Cincinnati, Cincinnati, OH
    Topic: The Aryl Hydrocarbon Receptor (AHR) Contributes to Cardiovascular Development, Developmental Toxicity, and Adult Disease
Attachment I

TEPSS Officer’s Meeting Minutes, March 11, 2013, 6:30 – 7:45am

Attendees:
Present: Norm Barlow, Dennis Meyer, David Hutto, Lyndal Lanning, Chidozie Amuzie, Alessandro Venosa and Tomas Magee

Absent: Sarah Tannehill-Gregg, Christopher Gibson

1) Awards
   a. Veterinary Student award discussed, acceptance criteria to include vet students in training with Tox/Path research activity
      i. CVSS was approached to join in on this award
   b. IATP no longer able to sponsor Charles Capen award due to budget restrictions, additional TEPSS Student award may be offered
   c. Charles River contributed $1500 towards one award and award plaques

2) TEPSS Budget
   a. TEPSS net assets as of May 31, 2013 = $7,601
      • Approximately $2,250 (membership dues) is pending as income and will bring the total assets to $9,851

3) Proposals for 2014 Meeting
   a. Solicitation for proposals for the 2014 Annual Meeting was discussed
   b. Jack Dean considered for the local expert to present at the 2014 TEPSS luncheon

4) Roles and Responsibilities
   a. Officer duties reviewed and the roles of the Councilors were discussed
      • Past President – solicit new executive committee candidates
      • 2nd year Councilor – leads the award selection process
      • 1st year Councilor – actively participates in the award process learning to assume lead responsibilities the following year