ANNUAL REPORT: 2017-2018
May 1, 2017 to April 30, 2018

I. Officers/Committees:

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II. Activities:

2018 SOT Annual Meeting Reception was held in San Antonio, Texas on March 14, 2018. Approximately 100 people were in attendance.
Dr. Janice Lansita called the meeting to order at 6:00 PM on March 14, 2018.
Meeting Minutes:
- Janice Lansita presented on BTSS activities, accomplishments and current budget from 2017-2018.
- Jacintha Shenton presented the awards (below).
- Janice Lansita thanked the outgoing officers.
- Jorg Blumel closed the meeting and welcomed the incoming officers.

Awards:
- Best Paper: Christina Zuch de Zafra et al.
- Student Achievement:
  - Nehal Gupta, M. Pharm, Texas Tech University
  - Muthanna Sultan, M.Sc., B.V.M.S, University of South Carolina
- Young Investigator Achievement: Robert (Jinze) Li, PhD, DABT, Senior Scientist/Toxicologist, Pharmacology Sub-team Leader, Genentech
- Battelle Postdoctoral Award in Biotechnology: Xi Li, Ph.D., Texas A&M University
- Career Achievement: Helen Haggerty, Bristol-Myers Squibb, Company

2018 SOT Annual Meeting Courses/Sessions:
• Continuing Education Course: Sunday, March 11 8:15 AM to 12:00
  Biotherapeutic Development: What’s behind the Curtain?

• Continuing Education Course: Sunday, March 11 1:15 PM to 5:00 PM
  NGS-Based Technologies Enable Biomarker Development and Discovery in Toxicology

• Symposium: Monday, March 12 9:15 AM to 12:00
  Understanding the Molecular Mechanisms of Zika Virus Reproductive and Developmental Toxicity

• Workshop: Thursday, March 15 8:30 AM to 11:15 AM
  Nonclinical to Clinical Translation of Antibody-Drug Conjugates

Endowment Fund Details, Boehringer Ingelheim Endowment Fund:
As of March 2018, net assets of $60,966.

Newsletters: Fall 2017 and Spring 2018

Teleseminars:
  • **BTSS-Sponsored Webinar**, “Navigating From Job Search Through On-Site Interview: Perspectives From Hiring Managers And A Recruiter”
    – October 6, 2017 at 12:00 pm ET

  • **BTSS-Sponsored Webinar**, “Predictivity/Translatability of Toxicities Observed in Nonclinical Toxicology Studies to Clinical Safety Outcomes”
    – Feb 9, 2018 at 1:00-2:30 pm EST

Contributions to SOT website: updated throughout the year

Other Specialty Section 2017-2018 Activities:
  • **BTSS Mentoring Lunch at SOT**
    Tuesday, March 13th from 11:30 A.M.-1:00 P.M.
    Attendance was high with ~75 people