

BIOLOGICAL STAIN COMMISSION, Inc.
Annual Meeting 1st June 2012
Del Monte Lodge Renaissance Hotel, Pittsford, NY

Scientific Session Program

Program coordinators: Richard W. Horobin and Richard W. Dapson

General title: **Fluorochromes**

8:00 – 8:30 am Continental breakfast

8:30 Welcome and Introduction to the Scientific Session

8:35 – 9:20 ***Indocyanine green. Designing and synthesizing chemosensor dyes for use in biology and medicine.***

Dr. Lianping Xing, School of Medicine & Dentistry, University of Rochester, Rochester, NY

9:25 – 10:10 ***Fluorescent imaging.***

Dr. Elizabeth Little, Ventana Medical Systems, Tucson, AZ

10:10 – 10:30 Break

10:35 – 11:10 ***Predicting membrane-penetrating potential of fluorochromes, Part 1: QSAR and Hydrophilic Index.***

Dr. Richard W. Horobin, Pitlochry, Scotland

11:15 – 11:50 ***Predicting membrane-penetrating potential of fluorochromes, Part 2: Improving QSAR metrics.***

Richard W. Dapson, Dapson & Dapson LLC, Richland, MI

11:50 – 1:20 Lunch

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Annual Membership Meeting

1:20 – 2:00 Nominations and election for Trustees
Election of Nominating Committee member
Committee reports

President's Forum (sequence and timing of individual topics to be arranged)

2:00 – 4:30 Teleconference on imaging standards with Max Rabinowitz, U.S. Federal
Food & Drug Administration

HER2 testing by FISH and CISH in breast and gastric cancer

Dr David G. Hicks, Pathology, Rochester, NY

Reading Stain Technology: Some plums from the 1920s

Dr. Richard W. Horobin, Pitlochry, Scotland

***Report on proposed standard ISO 19001:2101(E) In vitro diagnostic medical
devices — Information supplied by the manufacturer with in vitro diagnostic
reagents for staining in Biology***

Other topics of interest

Reception and Dinner

6:30 – 7:30 Reception

7:30 – 10:30 Dinner