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STAY-TO-THE-LAST-DAY INCENTIVES The Brunch with Champions

The Brunch with Champions on **Thursday, June 14, 2018** will provide an opportunity for pre-docs, post-docs, and junior faculty to chat informally with senior investigators and scientific administrators. You must pre-register and attendance will be limited. Use the form found on the CPDD Web site (cpdd.org) and include your credit card information. Mail or fax the form to CPDD.

There is no charge for the brunch; however, if you fail to attend without cancelling at least 72 hours prior to the brunch, a \$40 charge will be made to your credit card.

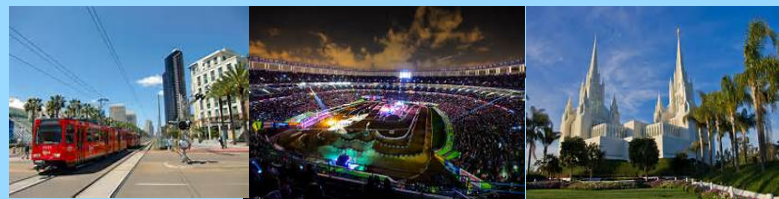
The 21st Annual CPDD Sweepstakes Drawing

The 21st Annual CPDD Sweepstakes Drawing will be held immediately following the final sessions on Thursday afternoon. Badges will be collected from scientific registrants seated in the meeting rooms when the sessions end. Several prizes will be awarded, including a 2-night complimentary hotel stay at next year's meeting site, membership dues for 1 year, and meeting registration for CPDD 2019. You must be present to win, so make sure that you plan to stay through the end of the meeting.

San Diego Awaits You. . .

California's second largest city and the United States' eighth largest, San Diego boasts a citywide population of nearly 1.3 million residents and more than 3 million residents countywide. San Diego is renowned for its idyllic climate, 70 miles of pristine beaches and a dazzling array of world-class family attractions. San Diego's arts and culture and culinary arts are booming. The hottest, new culinary arts talents prepare award-winning meals throughout the region's 6,400 eating establishments. Balboa Park, the largest urban cultural park in the U.S., is home to numerous art galleries, beautiful gardens, and the world-famous San Diego Zoo.

See the CPDD Web site (cpdd.org) for additional information about things to do.



SATELLITE MEETINGS

- *The 2018 NIDA International Forum: Building International Collaborative Research on Drug Abuse* **Friday, June 8 - Monday, June 11, 2018**
- *The International Study Group Investigating Drugs as Reinforcers (ISGIDAR)* **Saturday, June 9, 2018**



For more details: cpdd.org



CPDD 80th Annual Scientific Meeting

Call for Abstracts/ Meeting Announcement

June 9-14, 2018

Headquarters Hotel:

HILTON SAN DIEGO

BAYFRONT

San Diego, California

Overflow Hotel: **TBD**

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IMPORTANT MEETING DEADLINES

- Symposia/Workshops: October 16, 2017
- CPDD/NIDA Media Award Nominations: December 15, 2017
- Abstract Submission: December 1, 2017
- CPDD International Travel Awards: January 12, 2018
- Awards for Excellence Nominations: February 1, 2018
- Late-Breaking Abstracts: April 13, 2018
- Hotel Reservation: April 16, 2018
- Earlybird Registration: April 16, 2018



co-sponsored symposia

CPDD/INRC June 13th and 14th, 2018

CPDD/INRC/RSA June 15, 2018

The College on Problems of Drug Dependence (CPDD) has been in existence since 1929 and is the longest standing group in the United States addressing problems of drug dependence and abuse. The goal of the annual scientific meeting of the CPDD is to present and disseminate information about ongoing research in the biomedical, behavioral, and social sciences. It brings together basic scientists and clinical investigators from academia, government, and industry. The meeting will contain a balanced mix among state-of-the-art symposia, special lectures, workshops, oral presentations, and poster sessions, all designed to present the latest research findings related to drugs of abuse and drug dependence.

ABSTRACT SUBMISSION Submitted Papers

All submitted abstracts must be sponsored by a member of CPDD. Fellows, Regular or Corporate Members can sponsor any abstracts, regardless of authorship. Associate Members can sponsor any abstracts on which they are listed as an author. Members-In-Training can submit one abstract on which they are first author but cannot sponsor any other abstracts. **There is a 300 - word limit for the text of the abstract. No individual can be first author on more than one abstract.**

Subject Matter

Papers can be on any aspect of drug abuse or addiction or on the actions of drugs of abuse. They should contribute to our knowledge of the agents involved in drug abuse, including their molecular biology, chemistry, pharmacological action, biological disposition, abuse potential, safety or clinical usefulness. Contributions concerning research on neurobiology, epidemiology, prevention, public health aspects, or management and treatment of drug dependence are also encouraged.

Categories of Abstract Submission

There are four categories of abstract submissions:

Original Research, Program Descriptions, Theoretical/Commentary, and Literature Review. **Original Research** includes all prospective and retrospective studies that involve testing a hypothesis by collecting and analyzing data. **Program Descriptions** are non-experimental abstracts that simply provide a narrative of a research program or a theme that is being pursued. No data are required and the abstract can discuss potential plans for pursuing new research directions. **Theoretical/Commentary** abstracts can be about any topic related to drug abuse including (but not limited to) policy, trends in the field, treatment strategies, mechanisms of action, and methodological issues. No data are required. **Literature Review** abstracts should provide a scholarly discussion of a specific topic via a review of the current literature. **All categories must include an Aim and a Conclusion and a "Supported by" statement (i.e. funding).** Detailed instructions are on the submission Web site. All submissions will be peer-reviewed, and time,

space, and programmatic needs will be considered in decisions of acceptance or rejection, and in assignment to oral or poster sessions. No individual can be first author on more than one abstract.

Abstract Form

On or about **November 1, 2017**, the abstract submission link will be open. Go to cpdd.org for details and updates. The submission deadline is **December 1, 2017**. Late abstracts will not be considered for inclusion in the program. The fee of **\$50** is payable by credit card. Abstracts will be available for viewing and downloading at cpdd.org before the meeting.

LATE-BREAKING RESEARCH

A limited number of abstracts will be accepted for presentation as a 5-minute talk in a session devoted to important late-breaking findings (i.e., after **December 1, 2017**) at the Annual Meeting. **A member of CPDD must be a co-author.** Although only 1 abstract of this type per first author is allowed, that author may have submitted another abstract under the earlier deadline. To have your abstract considered for this special session, e-mail it by **April 16, 2018** to gellerellen@gmail.com, and william.stoops@uky.edu. Please label your abstract, "**Late-Breaking Research**". Send your abstract fee of **\$50** (payable by check or credit card) to the CPDD Executive Office, 3420 North Broad Street, Rm. 324, Philadelphia, PA 19140.

PROGRAM

The program will be available online in advance of the meeting and via the meeting app. Printed copies (\$15) will be available at the Annual Meeting for those who have ordered them on their registration form.

MEETING SITE & HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS

The headquarters hotel will be the Hilton San Diego Bayfront in San Diego, CA. All scientific sessions will be held there. Hotel rooms are assigned on a first-come, first-served basis, so make your reservations early, using the electronic reservation form available at cpdd.org. If using the enclosed printed form, send hotel reservations and meeting registrations to **FROSCH GC&E, 700 Airport Blvd, Suite 360, Burlingame, CA 94010; cpdd@frosch.com or Fax: 650-288-3268**

REGISTRATION FORM & FEES

For complete info about meeting registration deadlines, fees and other details go to cpdd.org.

AIR TRAVEL

FROSCH is again the official travel agency for the 2018 Meeting. Special low-fare rates will be offered to CPDD attendees. For further information, call FROSCH at 1 615-463-4110 or e-mail cpdd@frosch.com

CPDD 80TH SCIENTIFIC ANNUAL MEETING

NOMINATIONS FOR CPDD AWARDS

Nathan B. Eddy Memorial Award

This award was established in memory of one of the pioneers in the field of drug dependence following his death in 1973. The award acknowledges outstanding research efforts that have advanced our knowledge of drug dependence.

Innovator Award

This award will recognize individuals who have made a significant impact in the field of drug addiction through innovative approaches in basic science, clinical research, treatment and prevention. Emphasis will be placed on innovation and impact rather than a lifetime body of work.

Marian W. Fischman Lectureship Award

This award, in memory of Marian W. Fischman, a much-admired leader in drug abuse research and an excellent scientist, was first established in 2001 to recognize the contributions of an outstanding woman scientist in drug abuse research.

CPDD Mentorship Award

This award is given yearly to a member of CPDD who has been an exemplary mentor to developing researchers in the field of drug dependence.

Joseph Cochin Young Investigator Award

This award, in memory of a highly esteemed leader in drug abuse research and a former Chairman and Executive Secretary of CPDD, was established in 1986 to recognize research contributions in any facet of the field of drug abuse. It is given annually to an investigator who has not attained his/her 40th birthday by July 1 in the year of the award.

J. Michael Morrison Award

As a memorial to this well-liked and respected administrator at NIDA, an award is given every other year for outstanding contributions in the area of scientific administration related to drugs of abuse.

CPDD/NIDA Media Award

This award is given annually to a member of the media who has made major contributions to the public understanding of scientific issues concerning drug use disorders.

Travel Awards

(Details and deadlines at cpdd.org)

WHO/NIDA/CPDD International Fellowship Award

International Traveling Fellowships will support the attendance of drug abuse scientists from developing countries.

Stephen G. Holtzman Travel Award for Preclinical Investigators

Established by family and friends of Dr. Holtzman to honor his memory in tribute to his long-time service and dedication to **The College on Problems of Drug Dependence**, this award will be given annually or biannually to either a predoctoral student or postdoctoral trainee involved in preclinical research related to drug abuse and dependence.

CPDD Travel Award for Early Career Investigators

CPDD will award a number of competitive travel fellowships to predoctoral and postdoctoral individuals and foreign scientists to attend the 2018 Annual Meeting (registration and partial travel expenses.) A luncheon at the Annual Meeting is planned for all 2018 awardee and 2015, 2016 and 2017 recipients of the award.

CPDD Primm-Singleton Minority Travel Award

Applicants must be enrolled in a graduate program, and citizens of the US or permanent visa holders are preferred. They also must be members of an ethnic minority group under-represented in substance abuse research (including, but not limited to, African Americans, Hispanics, Native Americans). Previous awardees and individuals currently supported by NIDA/NIH training grants or individual Predoctoral National Research Service Awards (F31) are not eligible.

FORCE Junior Investigator Travel Awards

WOMEN SCIENTISTS STUDYING OPIOIDS - Junior Investigator Travel Award Program **FORCE** (**F**emale **O**pioid-addiction **R**esearch and **C**linical **E**xperts) Junior Investigator Travel Awards are provided by a non-profit organization comprised of women with scientific, health policy, and medical expertise in opioid addiction. The awards are intended to foster research conducted by women junior scientists in all areas of opioid abuse research.

NIDA Director's Travel Award

This award provides NIDA-supported NRSA fellows, NRSA trainees, and Minority Supplement recipients with financial assistance to attend the CPDD Annual Meeting. Preference is given to those presenting

NIDA Women & Sex/Gender Junior Investigator Travel Award

To foster research on women and sex/gender differences in all areas of drug abuse research, both human and animal, NIDA encourages the submission of abstracts on this topic. Special NIDA travel awards are designated for junior investigators whose CPDD abstract on women or sex/gender differences is accepted for either a poster or oral session.

To nominate/apply for awards, go to cpdd.org