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ASCCT 10th Annual Meeting: Practical Applications Of New Tools in Toxicology

Oct. 12-14, 2021

Dear colleagues,

On behalf of the organizing committee, we are delighted to announce the 10th annual meeting of the American Society for Cellular and Computational Toxicology (ASCCT). The meeting will take place via online virtual platforms from **Oct. 12-14, 2021**. This year's theme is **Practical Applications of New Tools in Toxicology**, with oral sessions centered around the following four topics:

1. **21st-Century Challenges for 21st-Century Toxicology**, featuring plenary speaker Patience Browne, OECD
2. **Practical Applications of Omics**, featuring plenary speaker Carole Yauk, University of Ottawa
3. **Applying Artificial Intelligence in Toxicology**, featuring plenary speaker Thomas Hartung, Johns Hopkins University/CAAT, and Sean Ekins, Collaborations Pharmaceuticals
4. **New Approaches to Validation**, featuring plenary speakers Andrew Worth and Sandra Coecke, EU Joint Research Centre

The conference will include sessions for oral and poster presentations, networking, and sponsor promotion with a large audience comprising participants from industry, government, academia, and nongovernmental organizations. Given the virtual setup of the conference this year, we aim to encourage participation from around the world by keeping meeting registration entirely **free of charge**.

We would appreciate if you could consider supporting the 10th ASCCT annual meeting to ensure it is accessible and that scientific progress of in vitro and in silico toxicology is shared as broadly as possible. More information about the meeting is available on our [website](#).

We hope you will join us in celebrating ASCCT's 10th annual meeting and contribute to advancing toxicology!

John R. "Jack" Fowle III
President, ASCCT

About ASCCT

The American Society for Cellular and Computational Toxicology (ASCCT) is a scientific society dedicated to the promotion of toxicology testing and research that reduces and replaces the use of animals. The Society aims to provide an organized forum for discussion of cellular (in vitro) and computational toxicology approaches especially as replacements for animal-based toxicology methods. Through its meetings and activities, the Society facilitates the development, acceptance, and routine use of cellular and computational methods through open dialog between industry, academic, advocacy, and regulatory scientists. The Society strives to include the participation of young scientists to promote their contributions to the field.

About the 10th Annual Meeting

Dates:	Oct. 12-14, 2021
Virtual platforms:	Zoom, Remo, and Discord
Website:	https://www.ascctox.org/annualmeeting
Registration:	Free

As we are once again meeting online, we are pleased to announce that access to the 2021 meeting **will be FREE** for all attendees. However, if you are interested in helping further ASCCT's activities, please consider *becoming a member*—one-year memberships for students are only \$20 USD, and individual memberships are \$50 USD. By joining as a member, you will have early-bird access to register for our *monthly webinars*, as well as receive exclusive industry-specific job postings and other relevant opportunities shared with us by our organizational members.

Organizing Committee

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John "Jack" Fowle	Principal, Science to Inform, LLC, Environmental Protection Agency (retired)	Zoe Johnson	University of Maryland Eastern Shore

Information About Sponsorship

Individuals or organizations interested in becoming a meeting sponsor have many options to choose from. New this year, we are introducing the opportunity for sponsors to present their product or technology during a 10-minute sponsor-exhibition presentation, plus an additional 5-minute Q&A. Since the meeting is free, the monies received will go toward the costs associated with the online platforms. There are three sponsorship levels:

Level	Cost (USD)	Benefits
Silver	500	Half-page ad in the program book and a 200-word promotional message that will be emailed to the membership.
Gold	750	Clickable logo on the Remo platform. Your organization can upload a video or picture and a link to your website. (This level also includes the Silver benefit.)
Platinum	1,000	Flash presentation (10 minutes plus 5 minutes Q&A)—only three available. (This level also includes the Gold and Silver benefits.)

Sponsors will also be acknowledged on the meeting website and at various times during the meeting. Please contact Erin Hill at ehill@iivs.org for more information.