Minutes of NC-131

Oregon State University
Corvalis, OR

October 21-22, 2005

Chair:
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Members in Attendance:
Darrell Goll – Arizona; Everett Bandman – California; Yong Soo Kim – Hawaii; David Gerrard and Darl Swartz – Indiana; Ted Huiatt – Iowa; Brad Johnson – Kansas; Matthew Doumit – Michigan; Michael White – Minnesota; William Dayton – Minnesota; Paul Mozdziak – North Carolina; Sandra Velleman – Ohio; Neil Forsberg – Oregon; Rod Hill – Idaho; Marion Greaser – Wisconsin; John Killefer – Illinois; Marion Greaser – Wisconsin; Debora Hamernik – USDA/CSREES

Members Absent:
Jim Reecy and Richard Robson – Iowa; Catherine Ernst – Michigan; Sally Johnson – Pennsylvania; Mike Dodson – Washington; Marci Hathaway – Minnesota; Steven Jones and Mike Zeece – Nebraska; Charles Carpenter – Utah; Doug McFarland – South Dakota

Guests:
Hao Shi, Sungkwan Park – Indiana; Jeffrey Widrick - Oregon

The annual meeting of the NC-1131 technical committee was held in Corvalis, Oregon on October 21-22, 2004. The meeting was called to order by committee chair, Neil Forsberg.
Dr. Alan Grant was introduced as a new administrative advisor replacing Dr. Elton Aberle. Dr. Grant emphasized the importance of the impact of our activities under the NC-1131 program. Discussions were continued on the nature and various aspects of research impact. Dr. Hamernik mentioned multi-sate collaboration on research project is an example of impact of the program.

Terminal report for the last NC-131 program period (2000-2005) is due March 2006. Yong soo Kim from Hawaii station agreed to compile the reports from each station to submit to NIMSS system through Dr. Grant, the administrative adviser. Chairs of each station should submit their terminal reports before the end of 2005 electronically to Yong soo Kim. Dr. Grant mentioned that no annual report for 2005 is necessary.

Dr. Hamernik, CSREES-USDA advisor briefed the current updates on CSREES, including personnel changes, competitive programs, NRI funding statistics and CSREES budget trends during the last few years.

It was decided that next year’s meeting would be in Hawaii and that Yong soo Kim would serve as Chair. Dr. John Kiiefer agreed to serve as Secretary of NC-131 for 2006 and to host the NC-1131 meeting in Urban-Champaign in 2007.

The business meeting was adjourned.

November 2, 2005

Yong soo Kim
NC-1131 Secretary

Date

Alan Grant
NC-1131 Administrative Advisor

Date