

September 24, 2004 lunch at Star of India in Oakland.

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Dear Fellow MSDG committee members,

We met at 12:30 PM at Star of India, Friday Sept 24, 2004 and discuss the 2004-05 season.

Some additional notes to the symposia/workshop list:

We tried to attach names of committee members to the various events listed below.

Manny will investigate if anyone at Pitt is diagnosing disease using MS.

We need to confirm honorarium levels. \$500 full day, \$100 for one hour. Must OK with Chuck Perry. MB will check on this with Chuck.

Would like to have someone teach a basic one day EI, CI, ESI, MS/MS class as Dr. Jack Watson did about 5 years ago.

Next Meeting >>>> Lunch at Kasi's special veggie restaurant near Monroeville. Manny or Kasi will drive those of us from Oakland to the new meeting site. Thursday 12:30 PM October 21, 2004

HOPE TO SEE YOU ALL THERE!

Thanks,
Mark

Topics for short courses & symposia in 2004/2005 and the future:

1. Polymer analysis (SPRING 2005 or 2006) -- MB, AG
 - a. Impacts both industry and academia
2. Diagnosis of disease by MS (SPRING 2005) -- MB, MS
 - a. Revisit this hot area from *ca.* 5 years ago
3. Inorganic imaging (SPRING 2005) -- BW
 - a. Static, spatial
4. Bio/chemical terrorism identification by MS -- MB, JG
 - a. ion mobility. JG knows a homeland security speaker
5. Environmental MS -- MB
 - a. Ron Hites pesticides in Salmon
 - b. Peregrine falcon recovery in Pittsburgh (Not a MS talk)
6. Aerosols and MS -- JG
 - a. Natural atmospheric particle analysis
 - b. Unnatural
7. MS Bioinformatics Software Users Workshop -- MB, KS, MS
 - a. What makes the software work
 - b. How to use it

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- c. Cover VMSL, Mascot, UCSF, EMBL, SEQUEST, Database know-how
- 8. Forensics – MB, AG, JG
- 9. Mass spec power users -- ?
 - a. Teach user the fundamentals of getting the most out of their MS
- 10. MS and Education -- JG
 - a. For western PA colleges instructors
- 11. Manufacturer's Night (LATE SPRING 2005) -- ?
- 12. EI/CI MS/MS ESI interpretation and more workshop -- MB, KS
 - a. Dr. Jack Watson -- MB will check on honorarium, and KS will see if Jack agrees.

Over at 2:00 PM

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October 21, 2004

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