



Portland Oregon

Society for Research on Nicotine and Tobacco

PROGRAM

14th Annual Meeting
February 27 to March 1, 2008
Hilton Portland & Executive Tower
Portland, Oregon

Dear Colleagues:

The SRNT 14th Annual Meeting will be held February 27-March 1, 2008, at the Hilton Portland & Executive Tower, Portland, Oregon.

This scientific meeting brings together an international group of basic, clinical, epidemiology, public health, and policy scientists from academia, government and industry. The SRNT program in 2008 will continue to emphasize a cross-disciplinary perspective, integrating topics from the basic, clinical, epidemiology, public health, and policy sciences. Prominent scientists whose work has important implications for multiple fields of study will be invited to deliver keynote and thematic lectures.

The SRNT Program Committee has chosen abstracts describing cutting-edge research on nicotine and tobacco. Submissions for organized symposia, as well as individual paper and poster presentations are included. All abstracts were evaluated on the basis of scientific merit by peer

review. The SRNT Program Committee made their decisions regarding acceptance of submissions, and corresponding authors were notified in December 2007.

For additional information, please contact the SRNT Office at +1-608-443-2462, ext. 145 (or by e-mail at meetings@smt.org).

Make your plans now to join us in Portland, Oregon for the most current science from the nicotine and tobacco research community. See you there!

Janet Audrain-McGovern, Ph.D.
2008 Program Chair

Bernard Le Foll, M.D., Ph.D.
2008 Program Co-Chair

Robert Schnoll, Ph.D.
2008 Program Co-Chair

Program

Preliminary Program Information

The SRNT program will span basic, clinical, epidemiology, public health, and policy sciences and will include invited addresses by leaders in these fields. This year's program will also include state-of-the-science symposia, oral paper sessions, workshops, a new investigator paper session, and a members' business meeting. A vital component of the program will be poster sessions that present the most recent research findings in the field of nicotine and tobacco. These will take place throughout the conference.

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- The Food Network (April 2007)



The 14th Annual Meeting of the Society for Research on Nicotine and Tobacco (SRNT) will begin with Opening Remarks and an Awards Ceremony at 5:30 p.m. on Wednesday, February 27, followed by a Welcome Reception from 7:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. The next three days of scientific programming will feature:

Keynote Address: Thursday, February 28

“Nicotine Addiction: Pharmacology, Clinical Research, and Public Policy” by Dr. Neal Benowitz, Professor of Medicine, Psychiatry, and Biopharmaceutical Sciences, University of California, San Francisco

Clinical Theme Lecture: Thursday, February 28

“Nicotine Dependence: Distilling the Phenotype” by Dr. Timothy Baker, Professor of Medicine, University of Wisconsin School of Medicine and Public Health

Pre-Clinical Theme Lecture: Friday, February 29

“Of Mice and Men: How Can Rodent Studies Inform Our Understanding of Human Smoking” by Dr. Marina Picciotto, Professor of Psychiatry, Neurobiology, and Pharmacology, Yale University

Public Health/Epidemiology Theme Lecture:

Friday, February 29

“Perspectives on the Behavioral Epidemiology of Nicotine Dependence” by Dr. Martin Jarvis, Professor Emeritus of Health Psychology, Department of Epidemiology & Public Health, University College London

Emerging Policy Theme Lecture: Friday, February 29

“Innovative Approaches to Harm Reduction” by Dr. Stanton Glantz, Professor of Medicine (Cardiology), American Legacy Foundation, Distinguished Professor of Tobacco Control and Director, Center for Tobacco Control Research and Education, University of California, San Francisco

Highlighted Meeting Events: Included are symposia, paper sessions and poster sessions that represent four primary conference tracks: pre-clinical, clinical, public health/epidemiology, and emerging policy. There will also be a New Investigators’ Paper Session, a Members’ Meeting, and exhibitors on hand throughout the conference.

Pre-Conference Workshops:

Tuesday, February 26 and Wednesday, February 27, 2008

Three exciting pre-conference workshops have been scheduled. There is no cost for any of these workshops, however, space is limited and pre-registration is required. Please refer to pre-registration information below. For more information, visit the SRNT website at www.srnt.org.

Pre-Conference Workshop #1

The 4th Annual Symposium for Research to Inform Tobacco Control

February 26, 2008, 5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Opening reception, poster session and plenary session

February 27, 2008, 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

Plenary sessions (breakfast at 7:30 a.m., lunch and coffee breaks provided)

Presented by a partnership of Canadian researchers, policy-makers, and funders, this is an on-going effort to support the tobacco control research community of practice in Canada. The Symposium has been an overwhelming success in the past three years and has nurtured the development of new teams and ideas, student-mentor relationships, and interdisciplinary collaborations in tobacco control in Canada. For

the first time, the Symposium is bringing a large number of trainees and established scientists to an international tobacco scientific forum. This is an opportunity for other SRNT members to exchange knowledge with Canadian researchers and to promote international collaboration.

The evening of February 26 features an opening reception and poster session by Canadian students, trainees, and early-career investigators, followed by a session on Canada’s international impact on tobacco control research. A full day program on February 27 includes plenary sessions on innovative methodologies, ethical dilemmas, and funding mechanisms for tobacco control research.

Although the event is free, pre-registration is required. For program information and a full list of sponsors visit www.ctcri.ca (Symposium).

All interested delegates should contact Carol West-Seebeck at symposiu@healthy.uwaterloo.ca to pre-register or to inquire about the pre-conference workshop no later than January 21, 2008.

**Pre-Conference Workshop #2
The Strategic Dialogue on Tobacco Harm
Reduction: A Vision and Blueprint for Action**

**February 27, 2008
1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.**

The issues related to tobacco harm reduction continue to challenge the tobacco control research and policy communities. The potential for combusting tobacco products to reduce exposure and risk remains largely unknown. This has not stopped manufacturers from offering such products with these claims. The role of oral tobacco products in a harm reduction regimen has also been a source of dialogue and debate. The harm reduction debate has at times been divisive. There has been no unifying set of principles or goals articulated to guide tobacco control efforts. In particular, the research needs are extraordinarily high in order to drive evidence-based policy in this area and avoid the mistakes made with “light” cigarettes. This workshop will discuss recommendations from a strategic dialogue held with key tobacco control researchers and policy makers to develop a strategic vision and blueprint for research, policy, and communications to reduce the harm from tobacco. Short- and long-term objectives will be presented. Pre-registration is required. Please indicate if you will be attending on the SRNT registration form.

**Pre-Conference Workshop #3
Global Tobacco Control Research Funding:
Opportunities and Priorities**

**February 27, 2008
1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.**

Tobacco control is a global challenge requiring the translation of scientific discoveries, from basic bio-science through policy to practice. At the same time, tobacco control programs develop innovative approaches and identify potential causal influences that require new research investigation. While tobacco control funding does not match the need, multiple funding opportunities exist to support tobacco control research. This pre-conference workshop will explore both the need for global tobacco control research and existing opportunities for funding. Pre-registration is required. Please indicate if you will be attending on the SRNT registration form.

PRELIMINARY PROGRAM

The final program will be distributed onsite at the SRNT Annual Meeting.

Wednesday, February 27

- 8:00 a.m.- 4:30 p.m. Pre-Meeting Conferences
- 5:30 p.m.- 7:00 p.m. Opening Remarks, Awards Presentations and the Doll-Wynder Award Address entitled “Cigarette Smoking: Is the Problem Hardening, Softening or Imploding?” by David Burns, M.D.
- 7:00 p.m.- 8:30 p.m. Welcome Reception with hors d’oeuvres and cash bar

Thursday, February 28

- 8:30 a.m.- 9:30 a.m. Keynote Address, Neal Benowitz, M.D.
- 9:30 a.m.- 10:00 a.m. Refreshments
- 10:00 a.m.- 11:30 a.m. Paper Sessions 1-5
- 11:30 a.m.- 1:00 p.m. Poster Session 1 (Box lunch provided)
- 1:00 p.m.- 2:30 p.m. Symposia 1-5
- 2:30 p.m.- 3:00 p.m. Refreshments
- 3:00 p.m.- 4:00 p.m. Clinical Theme Lecture, Timothy Baker, Ph.D.
- 4:00 p.m.- 5:15 p.m. New Investigators’ Award Lecture and Paper Session
- 5:00 p.m.- 6:30 p.m. Poster Session 2
- 6:30 p.m.- 7:30 p.m. Workshops
- 7:30 p.m.- 9:00 p.m. Graduate Student Reception

Friday, February 29

- 7:30 a.m.- 8:30 a.m. Members’ Meeting
- 8:30 a.m.- 10:00 a.m. Paper Sessions 6-10
- 10:00 a.m.- 10:30 a.m. Refreshments
- 10:30 a.m.- 11:30 a.m. Pre-Clinical Theme Lecture, Marina Picciotto, Ph.D.
- 11:30 a.m.- 1:00 p.m. Poster Session 3 (Box lunch provided)
- 1:00 p.m.- 2:30 p.m. Symposia 6-10
- 2:30 p.m.- 3:00 p.m. Refreshments
- 3:00 p.m.- 4:00 p.m. Epidemiology/Public Health Theme Lecture, Martin Jarvis, Ph.D.
- 4:15 p.m.- 5:15 p.m. Emerging Policy Theme Lecture, Stanton Glantz, Ph.D.
- 5:15 p.m.- 6:45 p.m. Poster Session 4

Saturday, March 1

- 8:00 a.m.- 9:30 a.m. Symposia 11-12
- 9:30 a.m.- 10:00 a.m. Refreshment Break
- 10:00 a.m.- 11:30 a.m. Paper Sessions 11-14
- 11:30 a.m.- 1:30 p.m. Rapids Poster Session 5: Rapid Communications (Box lunch provided)

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ANNUAL MEETING REGISTRATION FORM

Please complete all items on this registration form. Type or print legibly. Keep one copy of the completed form for your records.

Choose to register one of three ways

1. Register on-line through the internet. Go to the SRNT website at <http://www.srnt.org> and follow the instructions for on-line registration. You will need a credit card to register through the internet. –OR–
2. Fax this completed registration form with credit card information to Attention: SRNT Registration at +1-608-443-2474 or +1-608-443-2478. –OR–
3. Mail this completed registration form and payment (in U.S. funds drawn on a U.S. bank only) to the SRNT Office. (The address is listed on the following page.)

All potential attendees of the SRNT Annual Meeting should be aware that an individual's current or past employment history is not a criterion on which SRNT bases registration decisions. Thus, meeting attendees may include representatives of the tobacco industry.

Additional Instructions

- a. Please complete one form per registrant.
- b. Registration by telephone is not accepted.
- c. The registration deadline date for inclusion in the Attendee Directory (distributed on-site) is January 25, 2008.
- d. Be sure to make your hotel reservations online right away through the SRNT website at <http://www.srnt.org>, or call the hotel directly at +1-503-226-1611 by January 28, 2008.

Badge Information

(Please type or print clearly.)

First Name: _____ M.I.: _____

Last Name: _____

Nickname: _____

Degree: _____

Company/Affiliation: _____

City: _____

State/Province: _____

Country: _____

Cancellation Policy

Any Annual Meeting registration cancellation must be made in writing directly to SRNT. If received on or before February 12, 2008, SRNT will apply a \$50 administrative fee and refund the remainder of your registration fee after the meeting. After February 12, 2008 no refunds will be given. Walk-ins and replacements are always welcome.

Registration Information

Prefix: _____

Job Title: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City: _____

State/Province: _____

Zip/Postal Code: _____

Country: _____

Address Type: Work Home

Daytime Phone: (_____) _____

(Include area code and country code if applicable.)

Fax: (_____) _____

Email Address: _____

(Registration Confirmation will be emailed to you.)

Please provide a contact name and phone number of a close relative or friend in case of emergency.

Name: _____

Telephone: (24 Hour) (_____) _____

Please check here if you need special assistance. 

Membership

1. Are you a current SRNT member? Yes No
2. Are you joining SRNT at this meeting?* Yes No

*If yes, please be sure to return a completed membership application and a curriculum vitae with this form.

SRNT Membership Renewal

Renew your membership with SRNT for the 2008 year by checking your membership fee below:

<input type="checkbox"/> Full (High Income Countries)	\$130
<input type="checkbox"/> Full (High-Middle Income Countries)	\$100
<input type="checkbox"/> Full (Low-Middle Income Countries)	\$ 65
<input type="checkbox"/> Full (Low Income Countries)	\$ 30
<input type="checkbox"/> Affiliate (High Income Countries)	\$130
<input type="checkbox"/> Affiliate (High-Middle Income Countries)	\$100
<input type="checkbox"/> Affiliate (Low-Middle Income Countries)	\$ 65
<input type="checkbox"/> Affiliate (Low Income Countries)	\$ 30
<input type="checkbox"/> Retired	\$ 65
<input type="checkbox"/> Student/Trainee	\$ 42*

*Verification of Student/Trainee status must accompany renewal/application.

Dues categories are based on economies as defined by the World Bank. A list of countries according to global economies is available online at www.srnt.org.

Registration Fees

Check one:	Received On or Before <u>January 25, 2008</u>	Received After <u>January 25, 2008</u>
Member	<input type="checkbox"/> \$335	<input type="checkbox"/> \$385
Non-Member*	<input type="checkbox"/> \$465*	<input type="checkbox"/> \$515*
Student/Trainee Member	<input type="checkbox"/> \$150	<input type="checkbox"/> \$200
Student/Trainee Non-Member*	<input type="checkbox"/> \$192*	<input type="checkbox"/> \$242*
One-Day Registration Fees		
Professional	<input type="checkbox"/> \$235	<input type="checkbox"/> \$260
Student Trainee	<input type="checkbox"/> \$ 96	<input type="checkbox"/> \$121
Which Day? <input type="checkbox"/> Thursday, February 28 <input type="checkbox"/> Friday, February 29 <input type="checkbox"/> Saturday, March 1		

* The non-member registration fee is the equivalent of the member fee and a one-year membership to SRNT. Take this opportunity to become a member of SRNT and simply include a completed membership application along with your curriculum vitae with your registration form.

Pre-Conference Workshop Information

Tuesday, February 26 and Wednesday, February 27, 2008

Pre-Conference Workshop #1: **The 4th Annual Symposium for Research to Inform Tobacco Control**

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 2008, 5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Opening reception, poster session and plenary session.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 2008, 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

Plenary sessions (breakfast at 7:30 a.m., lunch and coffee breaks provided)

Presented by a partnership of Canadian research organizations. For program information and a full list of sponsors, visit www.ctcri.ca (Symposium). To register, please email the Symposium organizers at symposiu@healthy.uwaterloo.ca.

Wednesday, February 27, 2008 • Please check a box to register:

- Pre-Conference Workshop #2: **The Strategic Dialogue on Tobacco Harm Reduction: A Vision and Blueprint for Action** 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.
- Pre-Conference Workshop #3: **Global Tobacco Control Research Funding: Opportunities and Priorities** 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Student Trainees

For trainees only. This section of the form must be completed for training verification or registration cannot be processed.

This verifies that _____ is currently enrolled as a full-time trainee (or student) for the 2007-2008 academic year at:

Institution: _____

Name of Supervisor: _____

- SRNT is hosting a student reception on Thursday, February 28. Please check the box if you plan to attend.

Continuing Education Credits

Check the credits desired and add \$75.00 per *credit type* to your registration fee total. Applicants must complete and return the attendance record and any required post-tests in order to receive continuing education credit.

- Continuing Education for Psychologists
- Continuing Medical Education Credits (CME)

Payment

Please total your fees from the different categories included on the registration form.

Registration Fee Total:	\$ _____
SRNT Membership Renewal:	\$ _____
Continuing Education Credit Total:	\$ _____
Grand Total:	\$ _____

(Please include this amount with your registration form.)

Check one of the following options and enclose payment. Registration forms not accompanied by proper registration fees will be returned. If none of these payment options are feasible for you, please contact the SRNT Office at +1-608-443-2462 for further assistance.

- Check (make your check payable to SRNT—U.S. Funds Only)
- Mastercard / VISA / American Express

Credit Card Number: _____

Credit Card Expiration Date: _____

Cardholder Name (please print): _____

Cardholder City/State: _____

Cardholder Signature: _____

Did You Remember To:

- Include full payment?
- Include your daytime phone with area code (and country code if outside the U.S.) in case we have questions?
- Include a completed membership application and curriculum vitae if you are becoming a new member?
- Check a pre-conference workshop you would like to attend?
- Include your training verification information if you are a trainee registrant?
- Include your email address?

Please complete the entire registration form and mail or fax it with your payment to:

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For more information, call or email:

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Email: membership@srnt.org

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- Funding for all presented research and potential conflicts of interest must be disclosed by all presenters. Please contact Maria Davis at +1-608-443-2462, ext. 145 or email at mdavis@reesgroupinc.com for more information.

Registration Information

Your meeting registration includes great benefits:

- ⊗ Networking opportunities
- ⊗ Admission to the exhibit hall
- ⊗ Early registration discounts
- ⊗ Complimentary refreshment breaks
- ⊗ Complimentary boxed lunch on three days
- ⊗ Special hotel rates
- ⊗ A host of educational opportunities plus a proceedings book

	On or Before Jan. 28, 2008	After Jan. 28, 2008
Member	\$335	\$385
Non-Member	\$465*	\$515*
Trainee Member	\$150	\$200
Trainee Non-Member	\$192	\$242
One-Day	\$235	\$260
Trainee One-Day	\$ 96	\$121

*The difference between the member and non-member registration fee is equal to the cost of becoming a member of SRNT (\$130 for regular members, \$42 for trainees). If you are a non-member and plan to attend the meeting, complete a membership application and return it along with your curriculum vitae with your registration form. Membership applications may be downloaded on-line at www.srnt.org.

Hotel Accommodations

The Hilton Portland & Executive Tower Hotel is located in the heart of Portland's city center financial and entertainment districts. Area attractions include the Portland Art Museum, Rose Garden Arena, Oregon Zoo, OMSI, and Portland State University. These attractions are available by walking or by the MAX Light Rail system. The Portland International Airport is also accessible via the MAX Light Rail which is located just one short block from the hotel. Food and beverage amenities and services include two restaurants and room service. An Indoor Waveless Lap Pool, hot tub, sauna, and fitness facilities are also available free of charge to guests.

The Hilton Portland & Executive Tower offers 782 guest-rooms in two separate buildings with amenities that include:

- ⊗ Work desk with adjustable lamp and ergonomic desk chair
- ⊗ Clock radios with large easy-to-read displays
- ⊗ Mini-plugs for MP3 players
- ⊗ High-speed Internet access for \$9.95 per day
- ⊗ Iron/ironing board
- ⊗ Hair Dryer
- ⊗ Cable TV with On-Demand Movies

Hotel Reservations

Secure your hotel reservation by calling +1-503-226-1611 or make your reservations online at:

http://www.hilton.com/en/hi/groups/personalized/pdxphhh_snt/index.shtml

Refer to the SRNT meeting to be eligible for the \$124 (USD plus tax) rate in the main building, or the \$139 (USD plus tax) rate in the executive tower. Reserve your room prior to January 28, 2008, in order to obtain the discounted rate.

Language

The official language of the SRNT 14th Annual Meeting is English.

Questions?

For more information on the 2008 Annual Meeting, call or email:

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Membership information:	membership@srnt.org
General information:	info@srnt.org
Website:	http://www.srnt.org

Portland, Oregon

The city of Portland, Oregon was recently proclaimed North America's "Best Big City," according to Money magazine. One visit will explain why. Set against the backdrop of majestic Mount Hood, Portland combines a sophisticated, cosmopolitan atmosphere with refreshingly friendly, small-town warmth. Come get a first-hand look at the unmatched natural beauty, the sumptuous dining, and the fabulous arts and culture scene. Though it's not easy being green, it's exactly why so many visitors flock there, year-round.



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The SRNT Annual Meeting is the premier event for professionals in the field of nicotine and tobacco research and education. Our goal is to bring you the highest quality presenters in a comfortable and relaxed setting.

See you in Portland!



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