

ISB Executive Committee Meeting Public Minutes
16 September 2010

Attendees: Pascale, Lorna, Owen, Tadashi, Lydie, Alex
Apologies: Ioannis, Tanya, Terri.

Conference:

Preparations for the conference are going well. The final program has now been announced, there are 54 oral presentations including 3 plenary talks, 80 poster presentations, and over 150 registrants to date.

The society has awarded 6 sponsorships to members covering registration and lunch.

Minimum Information Standards for Scientific Databases:

Discussions are underway with the MIBBI project towards developing a set of minimum information standards for scientific databases. Potential difficulties in establishing a set of standards were highlighted. The board continues to discuss the role of the Society in the venture.