

Welcome to the Webinar!

2014 ISDS Conference Overview

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Webinar Logistics



- All participants are in listen-only mode
- Webinar is being recorded Slides and recording will be available shortly following the webinar
- Questions using GoToWebinar Control Panel:
 - Type your questions into the 'Question' portion
 - Electronically 'raise your hand'
- May also ask questions via Twitter using #2014ISDS

2014 Conference Resources



- Travel Request Toolkit:
 - http://www.syndromic.org/annual-conference/ 2014-isds-conference/travel-information/travelrequest-toolkit
- Funding opportunities:
 - Award for Outstanding Student Abstract (to be discussed shortly)
 - Most up-to-date information can be found here:
 http://www.syndromic.org/annual-conference/2014-isds-conference

2014 Awards for Outstanding Research Articles in Biosurveillance



The ISDS Research Committee is proud to announce the finalists for the 2014 Awards for Outstanding Research Articles in Biosurveillance:

Impact on Field Category

- Andersson T, Bjelkmar P, Hulth A, Lindh J, Stenmark S, Widerstrom M. Syndromic surveillance for local outbreak detection and awareness: evaluating outbreak signals of acute gastroenteritis in telephone triage, web-based queries and over-the-counter pharmacy sales. Epidemiol Infect. 2014;142(2):303-313.
- Manitz J, Höhle M. Bayesian outbreak detection algorithm for monitoring reported cases of campylobacteriosis in Germany. Biometrical Journal. 2013;55(4):509-526.
- Olson DR, Konty KJ, Paladini M, Viboud C, Simonsen L. Reassessing Google Flu Trends
 Data for Detection of Seasonal and Pandemic Influenza: A Comparative Epidemiological
 Study at Three Geographic Scales. PLoS Comput Biol. 2013;9(10):e1003256.
- Pepin KM, Spackman E, Brown JD, et al. Using quantitative disease dynamics as a tool for guiding response to avian influenza in poultry in the United States of America. Prev Vet Med. 2014;113(4):376-397.
- Schijven J, Bouwknegt M, de Roda Husman AM, et al. A Decision Support Tool to Compare Waterborne and Foodborne Infection and/or Illness Risks Associated with Climate Change. Risk Anal. 2013;33(12):2154-2167.

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Scientific Achievement Category

- Boklund A, Halasa T, Christiansen LE, Enøe C. Comparing control strategies against foot-and-mouth disease: Will vaccination be cost-effective in Denmark? Preventive Veterinary Medicine. 2013;111(3–4):206-219.
- Dórea FC, McEwen BJ, McNab WB, Revie CW, Sanchez J. Syndromic surveillance using veterinary laboratory data: data pre-processing and algorithm performance evaluation. J R Soc Interface. 2013;10(83).
- Dorjee S, Revie C, Poljak Z, McNab W, Sanchez J. One-Health Simulation Modelling: A Case Study of Influenza Spread between Human and Swine Populations using NAADSM. Transboundary and emerging diseases. 2014.
- Jombart T, Cori A, Didelot X, Cauchemez S, Fraser C, Ferguson N. Bayesian Reconstruction of Disease Outbreaks by Combining Epidemiologic and Genomic Data. PLoS Comput Biol. 2014;10(1):e1003457.
- Myslin M, Zhu S-H, Chapman W, Conway M. Using Twitter to Examine Smoking Behavior and Perceptions of Emerging Tobacco Products. J Med Internet Res. 2013;15(8).

2014 Award for Outstanding Student Abstract



The 'Award for Outstanding Student Abstract' opportunity has been developed and is being coordinated by the ISDS Research Committee. The purpose of the Award is to recognize the exemplary work being done by students in the field of biosurveillance.

- Two students will be selected and awarded:
 - An oral presentation slot
 - Certificate of achievement
 - Recognition on 2014 ISDS Conference materials, as well as at the Conference
 - Waived Pre-Conference Training (December 9) and Conference (December 10-11) registration
 - 3 nights at the Hyatt Regency at Penn's Landing
- To apply:
 - Submit an abstract through the normal submission process (will be discussed shortly)
 - Complete the online application form:
 http://www.syndromic.org/2014-student-abstract-award
 - *NOTE: Must be an ISDS student member to apply.

Upcoming ISDS Events



- Special Literature Review: 2014 Awards for Outstanding Research Articles in Biosurveillance Finalists
 - August 12th 12:00 1:30pm EDT
 - Register: https://www2.gotomeeting.com/register/974682162
- ISDS Members: Deadline to vote for the 2014 Awards for Outstanding Research Articles
 - August 14th (11:59pm EDT)
- 2014 ISDS Conference: Abstract Submission and Award for Outstanding Student Abstract Application Deadlines
 - September 3rd (11:59pm EDT)
- Rick Heffernan Award for Public Health Practice: Nomination Deadline
 - September 5th (11:59pm EDT)