

The meeting was called to order at 2:00 PM.

Members in attendance:

Egbert Mundt ,UGA
Mary Pantin-Jackwood, SEPRL
Joe Giambrone, Auburn
Holly Sellers, UGA
Maricarmen Garcia, UGA
Dennis Wages, NCSU
Alejandro Banda, MS State
Burfon Maxfield, Poultry Diag. Lab.
Bob Parker, SEPPIC
Mark W. Jackwood, UGA

1. The minutes of the 2009 SCAD business meeting were approved.

2. Economic status of SCAD was reported by Mark Jackwood

3. Milton Dendy Keynote speaker.

Dr. Peter Johnson, National Program Leader, Competitive Programs, USDA, NIFA gave an excellent presentation on reinvigorating USDA's extramural agricultural sciences.

4. 2009 SCAD program

23 Oral presentations

11 posters

2010 SCAD program

25 Oral presentations

17 posters

5. Old Business

None

6. New Business

Ms. Sharmi Thor won best student oral presentation and Ms. Taiana Costa won best student poster presentation.

Dr. Giambrone indicated that Drs. Newberry and Norton should be removed from the list of Directors. Drs. Koci and Miles were also discussed and it was recommended they also be removed. All agreed.

Additional directors were discussed.

7. Election of new officers:

Dr. Dennis Wages NCSU was elected to serve as President for the 2010 meeting

New officers:

President-

Secretary/Treasurer- Dr. Mark Jackwood, UGA

Directors:

Dr. John El Attrache, Ambion
Dr. Alejandro Banda, MS State
Dr. Maricarmen Garcia, UGA
Dr. Joe Giambrone, Auburn University
Dr. Mary Pantin-Jackwood, SEPRL, USDA
Dr. Patti Miller, SEPRL, USDA
Dr. Egbert Mundt, UGA
Dr. Holly Sellers, UGA
Dr. John Smith, Fieldale
Dr. Chinling Wang, MS State
Dr. Susan Williams, UGA