



ISPOR Chicago Region Chapter Annual Report 2013

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Activities / Accomplishments	Summary
Scientific / Educational Activities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li data-bbox="411 454 1412 817"> <p>• Lunch and Learn Webinar March 27, 2013 “An Overview of the Recommendations of the International Society for Pharmacoeconomics and Outcomes Research (ISPOR) and Society for Medical Decision Making (SMDM) Joint Modeling Good Research Practices Task Force” Harry J. Smolen, MS President and CEO, Medical Decision Modeling Inc., Indianapolis, IN, USA</p> <li data-bbox="411 869 1412 1189"> <p>• Lunch and Learn Webinar May 2, 2013 “Safe Harbor of Health Economics Communication and FDAMA 114” Peter J. Neumann, ScD Director of the Center for the Evaluation of Value and Risk in Health at the Institute for Clinical Research and Health Policy Studies at Tufts Medical Center, Professor of Medicine at Tufts University School of Medicine, Medford, MA, USA</p> <li data-bbox="411 1240 1412 1518"> <p>• Lunch and Learn Webinar September 24, 2013 “Applications in Using Large Databases” Diana Brixner, PhD, RPh Professor and Executive Director, University of Utah, College of Pharmacy and Pharmacotherapy Outcomes Research Center, Salt Lake City, UT, USA</p> <li data-bbox="411 1570 1412 1809"> <p>• Lunch and Learn Webinar November 18, 2013 “Economic Analysis of Interventions in Aging” Laura Pizzi, PhD Associate Professor, Thomas Jefferson University, Jefferson School of Pharmacy, Philadelphia, PA, USA</p>

<p>Policy-Related Activities</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lunch and Learn Webinar May 2, 2013 “Safe Harbor of Health Economics Communication and FDAMA 114” Peter J. Neumann, ScD Director of the Center for the Evaluation of Value and Risk in Health at the Institute for Clinical Research and Health Policy Studies at Tufts Medical Center, Professor of Medicine at Tufts University School of Medicine, Medford, MA, USA
<p>Conferences and/or Chapter Meetings</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Academy of Managed Care Pharmacy (AMCP) Midwest Affiliate – ISPOR CRC 5th Annual Day of Education November 15, 2013 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Two ISPOR CRC presentations <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ “Comparative Effectiveness Index”, Michael Hagan, DrPH, MA, Takeda Pharmaceuticals International, Inc. ▪ “An Introduction to Pharmacoeconomic Modeling”, Harry J. Smolen, MS, Medical Decision Modeling Inc. ○ Booth that promoted awareness of ISPOR CRC • Monthly ISPOR CRC Board of Directors meeting with minutes posted to the ISPOR-CRC website • Chapter Membership Face-to-face meeting at the ISPOR 18th Annual International Meeting in New Orleans, LA (May 2013) • Chapter Membership face-to-face meeting at the ISPOR 16th Annual European Congress in Dublin, Ireland (November 2013)
<p>Membership Development</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Prior to Harry J. Smolen’s (ISPOR CRC President) AMCP-ISPOR presentation, he gave short description of ISPOR International and ISPOR CRC to 100+ AMCP audience members • Continue to update ISPOR-CRC website at http://www.ispor.org/regional_chapters/Chicago/exec.asp
<p>Other</p>	

Upcoming Activities for ISPOR Chicago Region Chapter 2014

Date	Activities
Jan-May	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Continue with monthly ISPOR CRC Board of Directors meetings • Continue with “service project” focusing on development of a manuscript addressing payer expectations for economic models of diabetes treatment • Develop, approve, and begin disseminating ISPOR “Chicago Regional Chapter Update”

<p>January (completed)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lunch and Learn Webinar January 23, 2014 “Economic Drivers in Fall Prevention” Steve Albert, PhD Professor, Department of Behavioral and Community Health Sciences in the Graduate School of Public Health at the University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA, USA
<p>February</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lunch and Learn Webinar February 26, 2014 “Database Research: Can You Believe Your Own Findings?” Gurkupal Singh, PhD Adjunct Clinical Professor of Medicine, Stanford University, Palo Alto, CA, USA • Solicit nominations for election of 2013-4 Board of Directors’ positions for President-Elect, Secretary-Treasurer, and Director of Communications
<p>March</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lunch and Learn Webinar March 20, 2014 “PROs and the FDA: Managing Science in the Breach” David Cella, PhD Chair, Department of Medical Social Sciences, Northwestern University Feinberg School of Medicine, Chicago, IL, USA • Continue solicitation of nominations for election of 2013-4 Board of Directors’ positions
<p>April</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lunch and Learn Webinar April 2, 2014 “Constructing Health Economics Models Based on PK/PD Drug Profile” Frank Corvino, PhD Chief Operating Officer, Genesis Life Sciences, Hoboken, NJ, USA • Finalize nominations for election of 2013-4 Board of Directors’ positions
<p>May</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lunch and Learn Webinar May 15, 2014 “Comparative Effectiveness Index” Michael Hagan, DrPH, MA Director, Global Outcome Research at Takeda Pharmaceuticals International, Inc. • ISPOR CRC Board of Directors’ elections • Presentation and discussion of service project manuscript results at Annual ISPOR International Meeting in Montreal, Canada • Transition to new leadership at ISPOR International Meeting