

WSWS Officer and Committee Report 2017 Anaheim, CA

Office or Committee Name: Education and Regulatory **Officer or Chairperson Name:** Dirk Baker **Date of Preparation (include year):** 07/25/2017

Committee Activities during the Year:

- Two proposals for symposia for the 2018 meeting were submitted (attached)
 - o Local Lessons from the 2017 Herbicide Resistance Regional Listening Sessions
 - R for Weed Science
- Discussed options for recertification credits
 - Increasingly difficult to offer for a variety of reasons
 - Will send out a survey of the membership in the early fall to get a better idea how important credits are and if there are local resources/people to help in offering them

Recommendations for Board Action:

- Consider and vote on symposium proposals

Budget Needs: None

Suggestions for the Future:

Interest in symposia seems to come and go, the Chair and Chair-elect may need to consider alternatives for soliciting and fostering ideas for symposia in the future. However, it may not be critical to have one or more symposia every meeting.

Current Committee Members: Dirk Baker, Brian Schutte

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