AKN Annual Meeting Report
2017 Washington, DC

Washington Plaza Hotel
November 14, 2017
6:30PM—9:30PM

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6:15 – 7:45 Registration, Social, Dinner

7:45 – 7:50 Opening Remarks
Dr. Un-Jung Kang, AKN Co-President

7:50 – 8:15 Junior Faculty Awards and Presentations
Dr. Jun-Hyeong Cho
Assistant Professor, UC Riverside
Dr. Shin Hyeok Kang,
Assistant Professor, Temple University

8:15 – 8:35 Pre- and Post-Doctoral Awards

8:35 – 8:55 Sponsor Presentations
Academic Sponsors
KIST Brain Science Institute
Dr. Uhtaek Oh, Director
Korea Brain Research Institute (KBRI)
Dr. Sung Jin Jeong, Director of Brain Research Policy
Institute for Basic Science (IBS)
Dr. Hee-sup Shin, Director
Korean Society for Brain and Neural Sciences (KSBNS)
Dr. Haeyoung Suh, President

8:55 – 9:15 Raffle, Closing Remarks
Dr. Un-Jung Kang, AKN Co-President

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Kang, Un Jung, M.D
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1. Another successful annual AKN meeting was held at the Washington Plaza Hotel in Washington, DC on November 14, 2017. The event started at 6:30 and was over at approximately 9:30.

2. We had a pre-meeting dinner with AKN officers/council members and officials from sponsoring institutions. The dinner was at Tony Cheng restaurant in Chinatown on Nov. 13 at 6:30pm. There were approximately 15 people in attendance.

3. Approximately 220 members attended the main meeting. We set up a pre-registration website (by Dr. Yoonsuck Choe) that was very useful. About 200 members pre-registered through this website.

4. The seating was arranged by SFN research themes, with an “expert” hosting a theme at a table. Each member received a raffle ticket for prizes awarded at the end of the meeting.

5. The meeting was conducted by Dr. Jae K. Lee, and Dr. Yoon-Seong Kim was in charge of preparing the award certificates. Dr. In Hyung Park was in charge of the registration table, and Dr. Jungsu Kim was responsible for the “meet the expert” arrangement.
## Pre-Post-Doctoral Awards

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**Junior Faculty Awards**

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**Jun-Hyeong Cho, MD, PhD**
Univ California Riverside
Sponsor: KBRI
Presenter: Dr. Kyung Jin Kim

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**Shin Hyeok Kang, Ph.D**
Temple University
Sponsor: IBS
Presenter: Dr. Hee-sup Shin

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