

SIGBioinformatics

Name and Mission:

SIGBioinformatics: SIGBioinformatics Bioinformatics, Computational Biology

The ACM Special Interest Group on Bioinformatics, Computational Biology, and Biomedical Informatics (SIGBioinformatics) bridges computer science, mathematics, statistics with biology and biomedicine. The mission of the ACM SIGBioinformatics is to improve our ability to develop advanced research, training, and outreach in Bioinformatics, Computational Biology, and Biomedical Informatics by stimulating interactions among researchers, educators and practitioners from related multi-disciplinary fields.

Newsletters:

	Volume	Issue	Issue Date	Actually Mailed
2011				
	1	2	Volume 1 Issue 2, May 2011	01-MAY-2011
	1	1	Volume 1 Issue 1, January 2011	01-JAN-2011

Note: Electronic newsletter to be published three times a year.

Membership: based on fiscal year dates

Year	Professional	Affiliate	Student	Designee	Total	Subscribers	1st Year Retention	2 + Years Retention	Total Retention
JUNE 2011	85	47	19	0	151	0	0.0	100.00	100.00

Fund Balance:

Year	Amount	Required	Delta	Discretionary	Discretionary Per Member
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Conferences:

Sponsored

BCB' 12 - ACM International Conference on Bioinformatics, Computational Biology and Biomedicine Orlando , FL	10/08/12 -	10/10/12	Sponsor: 100.00%	Attendance: 0	Surplus/(loss): \$0.00
BCB' 11 - ACM International Conference on Bioinformatics, Computational Biology and Biomedicine Chicago , IL	07/31/11 -	08/03/11	Sponsor: 100.00%	Attendance: 0	Surplus/(loss): \$0.00
BCB'10 - ACM International Conference on Bioinformatics and Computational Biology Niagara Falls , NY	08/02/10 -	08/04/10	Sponsor: 100.00%	Attendance: 195	Surplus/(loss): \$38,352.00

InCooperation

Symposium on Biological Data Visualization Providence , RI	10/23/11 -	10/24/11			
9th International Conference on Computational Methods in Systems Biology Paris , France	09/21/11 -	09/23/11			

Officers:

SIG Chair

(01-Jan-11 - 30-Jun-12) Aidong Zhang (Appointed)

SIG Vice Chair

(01-Jan-11 - 30-Jun-12) Gultekin Ozsoyoglu (Appointed)

SIG Secretary/Treasurer

(01-Jan-11 - 30-Jul-12) Armin Mikler (Appointed)

No SIG Officers

Awards:

Award	Description
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There are currently no awards for this SIG.

Viability:

There is currently no viability report history for this SIG.

Annual Report Submission:

Year	Response	Note
FY 2011	Yes	

SGB Meeting Attendance:

Year	Response	Note
MAR 11	No	Cancelled due to weather

Benefits:

2012

Member Benefits provided to SIGBioinformatics Members:

- Subscription to SIGBioinformatics newsletter, published three times per year (online)
- Reduced registration at conferences and workshops sponsored by SIGBioinformatics
- Reduced registration at conferences in cooperation with SIGBioinformatics
- Access to the following content in the ACM Digital Library:
 - Proceedings of conferences sponsored by SIGBioinformatics
 - SIGBioinformatics Newsletter
 - Proceedings of conferences and workshops in cooperation with SIGBioinformatics
- SIGBioinformatics-MEMBERS email list

Community Benefits provided by SIGBioinformatics:

- Sponsorship of ACM-BCB conference and other ACM Bioinformatics, Computational Biology and Biomedicine-related conferences and workshops
 - SIGBioinformatics Best Paper and Best Student Paper awards at the ACM-BCB conference
 - Annual SIGBioinformatics Innovation and Service awards
 - Annual SIGBioinformatics Dissertation Award
 - Bioinformatics-ANNOUNCEMENTS email list for accessibility related information and events
 - SIGBioinformatics Scholarship in Bioinformatics, Computational Biology and Biomedicine supporting practitioners, researchers, members of advocacy groups, and individuals with disabilities who are interested in the field of Bioinformatics, Computational Biology and Biomedicine, to actively participate in the ACM-BCB conference and gain experience and knowledge from interacting with experts in the field
 - SIGBioinformatics website
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