

**DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS  
OFFICE OF RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT  
Rehabilitation Research & Development Service**

**MINUTES OF THE  
RRD0  
Regenerative Medicine  
March 06, 2012 – March 07, 2012**

**CLOSED MEETING**

The meeting of the Rehabilitation Research & Development Service Regenerative Medicine was convened on March 06, 2012, at 08:00 A.M., at the Hyatt Regency Crystal City, Arlington, VA, 22202. Robert L. Mauck, Ph.D., presided as chair(s). The roster attached includes all members of the committee. Others in attendance are either listed on the roster or on an attached visitor log.

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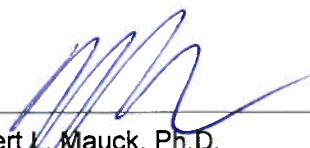
Committee members absented themselves from the meeting during discussion of, and voting on, applications from their own institutions, or other applications in which there was a potential conflict of interest, real or apparent.


The Regenerative Medicine reviewed the following:

- o 11 Pilot Award applications requesting \$2,126,551.00 in support.
- o 18 Research Project applications requesting \$18,340,011.00 in support.

The meeting was adjourned at 10:30 AM 3/7/12  
Time Date

I hereby certify that the foregoing minutes are accurate and complete.

 3/7/12  
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Visitor Log (if applicable)

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**MINUTES OF THE  
RRD1  
Brain Injury: TBI & Stroke  
March 06, 2012 – March 07, 2012**

**CLOSED MEETING**

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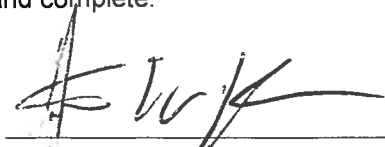
The Brain Injury: TBI & Stroke reviewed the following:

- 9 Pilot Award applications requesting \$1,923,939.00 in support.
- 21 Research Project applications requesting \$21,356,863.00 in support.

The meeting was adjourned at 1400 7 Mar 2012  
Time Date

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**MINUTES OF THE  
RRD2  
Musculoskeletal/Orthopedic Rehabilitation  
March 06, 2012 – March 07, 2012**

**CLOSED MEETING**

The meeting of the Rehabilitation Research & Development Service Musculoskeletal/Orthopedic Rehabilitation was convened on March 06, 2012, at 08:00 A.M., at the Hyatt Regency Crystal City, Arlington, VA, 22202. Karen Lohmann Siegel, P.T., M.A., and Ramon Cuevas-Trisan, M.D., presided as chair(s). The roster attached includes all members of the committee. Others in attendance are either listed on the roster or on an attached visitor log.

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The Musculoskeletal/Orthopedic Rehabilitation reviewed the following:

- 19 Pilot Award applications requesting \$3,572,026.00 in support.
- 22 Research Project applications requesting \$21,059,477.00 in support.

The meeting was adjourned at 1500 7 March  
Time Date

I hereby certify that the foregoing minutes are accurate and complete.

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**RRD2**  
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Psychological Health & Social Reintegration  
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Rehabilitation Research & Development Service**

**MINUTES OF THE  
RRD5  
Rehabilitation Engineering & Prosthetics/Orthotics  
March 06, 2012 – March 07, 2012**

**CLOSED MEETING**

The meeting of the Rehabilitation Research & Development Service Rehabilitation Engineering & Prosthetics/Orthotics was convened on March 06, 2012, at 08:00 A.M., at the Hyatt Regency Crystal City, Arlington, VA, 22202. Hermano Igo Krebs, Ph.D., presided as chair(s). The roster attached includes all members of the committee. Others in attendance are either listed on the roster or on an attached visitor log.

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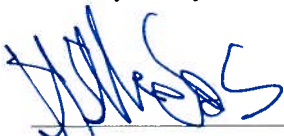
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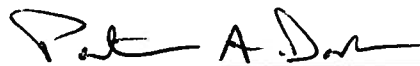
- o 8 Pilot Award applications requesting \$1,486,500.00 in support.
- o 13 Research Project applications requesting \$9,979,037.00 in support.

The meeting was adjourned at 0930 7 Mar 2012  
Time Date

I hereby certify that the foregoing minutes are accurate and complete.

  
Hermano Igo Krebs, Ph.D. (Date)  
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**MINUTES OF THE  
RRD6  
Aging & Neurodegenerative Disease  
March 06, 2012**

**CLOSED MEETING**

The meeting of the Rehabilitation Research & Development Service Aging & Neurodegenerative Disease was convened on March 06, 2012, at 08:00 A.M., at the Hyatt Regency Crystal City, Arlington, VA, 22202. George Stelmach, Ed.D., presided as chair(s). The roster attached includes all members of the committee. Others in attendance are either listed on the roster or on an attached visitor log.

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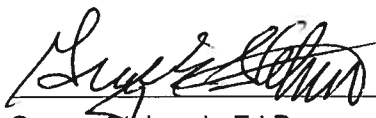
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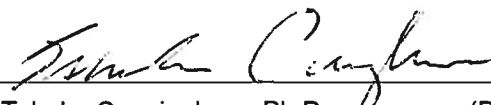
The Aging & Neurodegenerative Disease reviewed the following:

- 3 Pilot Award applications requesting \$574,135.00 in support.
- 11 Research Project applications requesting \$10,913,017.00 in support.

The meeting was adjourned at 4:30 PM 3-7-12  
Time Date

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**MINUTES OF THE  
Research Career Scientist  
March 07, 2012**

**CLOSED MEETING**

The meeting of the Rehabilitation Research & Development Service Research Career Scientist was convened on March 07, 2012, at 08:00 A.M., at the Hyatt Regency Crystal City, Arlington, VA, 22202. Leslie Gonzalez Rothi, Ph.D., presided as chair(s). The roster attached includes all members of the committee. Others in attendance are either listed on the roster or on an attached visitor log.

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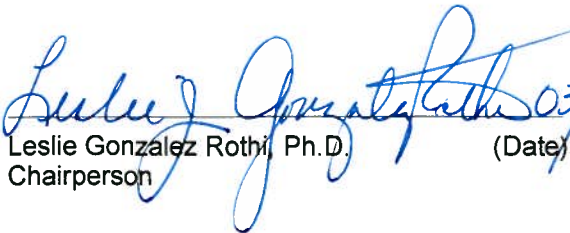
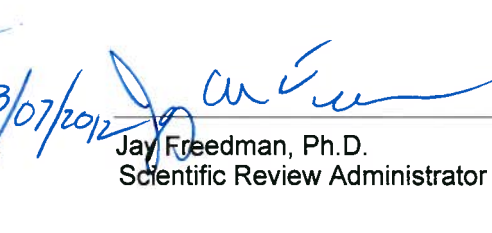
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The Research Career Scientist Panel reviewed the following:

- 10 Research Career Scientist Award applications.
- 3 Senior Research Career Scientist Award applications.

The meeting was adjourned at 3:45 pm 3-7-12  
Time Date

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	03/07/2012		3-7-12
Leslie Gonzalez Rothi, Ph.D. Chairperson	(Date)	Jay Freedman, Ph.D. Scientific Review Administrator	(Date)

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RRD7  
Rehabilitation Engineering & Prosthetics/Orthotics  
March 08, 2012**

**CLOSED MEETING**

The meeting of the Rehabilitation Research & Development Service Rehabilitation Engineering & Prosthetics/Orthotics was convened on March 08, 2012, at 08:00 A.M., at the Hyatt Regency Crystal City, Arlington, VA, 22202. Kenneth W. Horch, Ph.D., presided as chair(s). The roster attached includes all members of the committee. Others in attendance are either listed on the roster or on an attached visitor log.

This meeting was closed to the public in accordance with the determination that it was concerned with matters exempt from mandatory disclosure under Sections 552b(c)(4) and 552b(c)(6), Title 5, U.S. Code and Section 10(d) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, as amended (5 U.S.C. Appendix 2). The Scientific Review Administrator explained policies and procedures regarding avoidance of conflict of interest situations; voting and priority ratings; and confidentiality of application materials, committee discussions, and recommendations.


Committee members absented themselves from the meeting during discussion of, and voting on, applications from their own institutions, or other applications in which there was a potential conflict of interest, real or apparent.

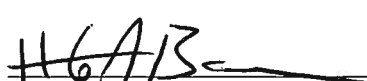
The Rehabilitation Engineering & Prosthetics/Orthotics reviewed the following:


- o 3 Pilot Award applications requesting \$580,730.00 in support.
- o 6 Research Project applications requesting \$4,013,379.00 in support.

The meeting was adjourned at 1312 8 Mar 2012  
Time Date

I hereby certify that the foregoing minutes are accurate and complete.

  
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Attachment: Committee Roster  
Visitor Log (if applicable)

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Consultants are required to absent themselves from the room during the review of any application if their presence would constitute or appear to constitute a conflict of interest.