



International Society for  
**Bipolar Disorders**

2004/2005 Annual Report

*The recognized forum for international collaboration  
resulting in education in all aspects of bipolar disorders*



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## INTERNATIONAL SOCIETY FOR BIPOLAR DISORDERS

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### From the President and Executive Director

November 21, 2005

Dear ISBD Membership,

A new era has begun at the International Society for Bipolar Disorders (ISBD), and we are proud to bring the members this report on the many accomplishments of the ISBD in the past year. At this time we wish to thank our outgoing President, Samuel Gershon, MD for his leadership of the Society for the past several years and to congratulate him on his receipt of the Mogens Schou Award for Distinguished Service at the 6<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Bipolar Disorder. We also wish to thank Donna Carothers, our past Executive Director, for her part in getting the Society off to a strong start and for her continued involvement as Executive Vice President. Of course, we greatly appreciate the efforts of our returning board members, as well as those newer members of the board who are already actively engaged in a number of different projects.

Notable among the Society's recent developments are the expansion of the ISBD's regional chapter development plans and the developing infrastructure to support trainee involvement in the ISBD. An ISBD European chapter with offices in the UK is working closely with the Society on our upcoming meeting in Edinburgh, Scotland from August 2-4, 2006. In addition, a chapter in Brazil is developing under the close direction of Dr. Valentin Gentil, Chair of the ISBD Chapter Development Committee. The Brazilian Association for Bipolar Disorder, Associação Brasileira de Transtorno Bipolar, was founded on October 15, 2005 during the Brazilian Congress of Psychiatry, and more than 60 founding members are already enrolled. The elected Board is as follows.

- President: Beny Lafer, MD, PhD
- Vice President: Fabio Gomes de Matos e Souza, MD, PhD
- Secretary: Flavio Kapczinski, MD, PhD
- Treasurer: Ricardo Moreno, MD, PhD

The Brazilian Society for Bipolar Disorders is already in the early stages of planning for the proposed meeting in Sao Paulo, Brazil in 2010, a meeting that will include participation from other Latin American countries, as well as academic cooperation from ISBD members in Spain and Portugal. In addition, the Australasian Society for Bipolar Disorders, the first regional chapter of the ISBD, now has a growing membership and plans to hold its first stand alone chapter meeting in Melbourne, Australia from 24-25 February 2006.

We are also pleased to report that the Society has received funding from AstraZeneca to carry out the development of two new programs designed to offer residents and fellows an opportunity to become more involved in the Society. In response to a growing resident membership, the Society saw a need to develop more infrastructure to support this group and thus the ISBD/AstraZeneca Best Paper Award for Young Investigators and ISBD/AstraZeneca Fellowship Award were developed. These awards, in addition to encouraging academic excellence, will provide awardees with mentorship opportunities, the opportunity to attend the ISBD meetings in Edinburgh and other future venues, and to prepare and submit their work for full peer review in the *Bipolar Disorders Journal*. We believe these opportunities will help trainees to become future leaders in the field of bipolar disorders and establish a place for them in the Society. In addition to these opportunities, the ISBD also invites residents and fellows to submit articles to the new resident forum in our newsletter, a feature that was developed in 2004 with the support of our new ISBD Global Resident Editors, Dr. Michael Wilson and Dr. Shivakumar. We look forward to being able to continue the supported membership program for residents in 2006 with the generous support of AstraZeneca and to increase support of trainees in countries outside the US and Canada.

As mentioned earlier, the Society's next regional meeting will be held in Edinburgh, Scotland in August of 2006. A second announcement and call for abstracts should now be available on the meetings website at [www.kenes.com/isbd](http://www.kenes.com/isbd) and we encourage all members who are able to attend to do so. The meeting will be held at the Edinburgh International Conference Center located in the heart of Edinburgh and easily accessible by Air: the airport is within 6 miles of the venue. The Local Organizing Committee, chaired by Prof. Sophia Frangou, have put together a strong scientific program with an engaging social program to make for an excellent meeting. In addition, the conference will be timed in coincidence with the Edinburgh Tattoo and we hope that participants will be able to take advantage of the opportunity to attend this festival.

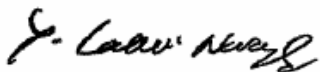
As you may recall, the ISBD was invited to participate in a WHO project to develop an International Classification of Functioning (ICF) Core Set for depression. The ICF is a companion to the ICD specifically geared toward addressing functional parameters. In response to this invitation, the ISBD formed a subcommittee on functionality chaired by Dr. Judith Jaeger. When the functionality group met at the 6<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Bipolar Disorder (ICBD) in June, the committee discussed conducting a review of existing instruments and systems for measuring functionality, looking at analogous systems outside of affective illness, and publishing a special issue on functionality in the journal *Bipolar Disorders* (currently in preparation under the guest editorship of Judith Jaeger and Eduard Vieta, and expected to appear in mid-2006). As the project moves forward, the ISBD will contribute expertise in the area of affective disorders, specifically in the development of a Core Set for Depression.

The ISBD's Diagnostic Guidelines task force also met at the ICBD in June and advanced a solid plan for moving forward. This group is looking at everything from the broad manic-depressive illness concept to newer versions of the bipolar spectrum concept to the classic unipolar/bipolar dichotomy and is working in seven subgroups (i.e. cycling, mixed, bipolar II, etc.) to develop a series of papers that will address classic diagnostic validators such as phenomenology, genetics, neurobiology and special topics, including sex/gender, cultural assumptions, dimensional vs. categorical diagnosis and others. This project will also aim to outline areas for further research.

In addition to these groups, a newer fifteen member group has been formed to address the standardization of bipolar nomenclature and will review empirically derived document(s) to define course and outcome related terminology in order to provide dynamic, clinically informed benchmarks for terms such as remission, relapse, switch, etc. The goal of this project is to produce a document that will be of tremendous practical use to those running clinical trials and outcome studies in bipolar disorder. It is hoped that this can be streamlined across many different studies at many different centers. The anticipated impact of this project is a more accurate picture of drug efficacy and improved symptomatic and functional outcomes in patients suffering from bipolar disorders.

We realize that many members have taken time out of already overwhelming schedules to contribute to the many projects that we have ongoing and we would like to take this opportunity to extend a special "Thank You" to our entire board and membership for your many contributions.

Best wishes,



Lakshmi Yatham, MD and  
President



Chad Daversa  
Executive Director



# History, Mission, Objectives

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## **History**

The *International Society for Bipolar Disorders* was launched at the 3<sup>rd</sup> International Conference on Bipolar Disorder, in Pittsburgh, PA, June 17, 1999 with David J. Kupfer, M.D., Founding President and Thomas Detre Professor and Chair of the Department of Psychiatry at UPMC's Western Psychiatric Institute and Clinic. Material distributed to all of the delegates at the conference contained an invitation letter and an enrollment form.

The first issue (September, 1999) of *Bipolar Disorders - An International Journal of Psychiatry and Neurosciences*, which is the official journal of the Society, contained a similar enrollment form. The journal was accepted into the Institute for Scientific Indexing in 2000 and into Medline and Index Medicus in 2001 and received its second impact factor of 3.658 in 2004, ranking it 15<sup>th</sup> out of 87 rated psychiatric journals. In 2005, the Journal received its third and progressively increasing impact factor ranking of 4.065, placing it 11<sup>th</sup> out of 90 rated psychiatric journals. The Society is growing in membership with an elected board representing 14 countries. The ISBD a major source for emerging research and clinical data on bipolar disorders and is the only bipolar focused, research-oriented Society working to bring this data to patients, families and other mental health professionals working on the front lines of bipolar care.

## **Mission Statement**

The purpose of the International Society for Bipolar Disorders (ISBD) is to be the recognized forum for international collaboration resulting in education in all aspects of bipolar disorders.

The Society is open to the entire spectrum of mental healthcare professionals including basic and clinical researchers, psychiatrists, pharmacologists, psychologists, social workers, students, trainees, paraprofessionals, patients and their families.

## **Objectives**

- to create an information network among mental health professionals interested in bipolar disorders
- to provide role models and international collaboration in the field of bipolar disorders
- to promote awareness of this condition in society at large
- to promote awareness and education about this condition among mental healthcare professionals
- to foster research in all aspects of bipolar disorder

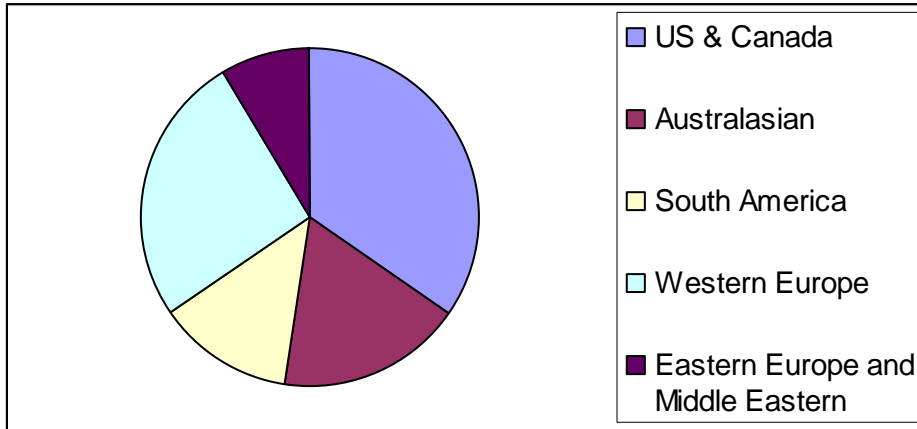


# Governance

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The ISBD elected new officers and board members in 2004, and in keeping with the staggering of 2 year terms, several councilors rotated off while a number of councilors stayed on to provide continuity and experience to the board. Our 23 member board now represents 14 countries (see Fig. 1), with 15 members outside the United States and Canada (A full list of officers, board and staff can be found in appendix A).

**Fig. 1 Board Membership by Region**



The board membership also represents a wealth of experience across a number of different disciplines and specialties, including

- psychopharmacology
- dual diagnosis
- epidemiology
- clinical trials
- imaging
- patient advocacy and many others

The Society also has 14 Standing Committees, including the following

Executive	Governance
Membership	Development
Nominating	Finance
Education	Patient-Physician Outreach
Trainee Education	Ethics
Research	Chapter Development

In addition to these Standing Committees, the ISBD has also developed several ad hoc Committees to deal with special topics and they include

- Child and Adolescent
- Diagnostic Guidelines
- Nomenclature of Course and Outcome
- Functionality

The ISBD Constitution is currently under-revision and proposed changes will be ready for approval by December 31, 2005. Revisions are being drafted under the direction of the Governance Committee, chaired by Prof. Michael Berk, and substantive changes are expected.

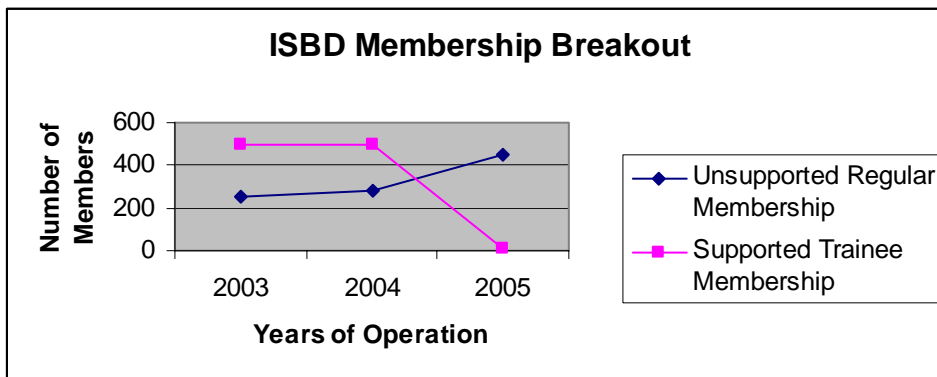


# Growth and Development

## Membership Timeline

The ISBD membership began with **90 members in June 2002**, doubled this figure to **over 200 in 2001**, and **topped 500 in 2002**. Much of the initial rapid growth during these early years was due to the successful funding of the ISBD Psychiatric Resident Support Program, which supplied complimentary memberships to psychiatric trainees, over a period of 4 years. As you will note from Fig. 2 below, the decline in supported membership in 2005, only a very few resident awards were offered this year, was accompanied by a dramatic increase in regular dues paying memberships.

**Fig. 2 ISBD membership over the past 3 years**



The ISBD is proud of the over 30% increase in ISBD Membership seen to date in 2005. Of all the categories of ISBD membership, the Voting membership saw the most significant increase, and we attribute this growth to a combination of the International Conference on Bipolar Disorder in June, the grassroots efforts of new board members, the increase in the Impact Factor for *Bipolar Disorders*, ISBD chapter development and strong membership retention. While we know that some supported trainees go on to become full Voting members of the Society, we hope to increase these numbers through our efforts (detailed in the opening letter of this report) to support the development of programs that encourage greater trainee involvement in the Society.

## Psychiatric Resident Support Program History

**2001:** The ISBD Psychiatric Resident Support program is initiated with the support of Eli Lilly. The program supports residents in the US and Canada and over 256 residents representing 32 training programs respond. The program's success leads to the ISBD to seek funding to open the support up to trainees outside the US and Canada.

**2002:** ISBD obtains 3-year funding from Johnson and Johnson family (to extend the Psychiatric Resident Support Program globally and the number of supported residents is expanded to 500).

**2003:** ISBD supports an additional 500 residents and expands the program to fellows and limited junior faculty

**2004:** ISBD receives final year of funding, supporting 500 trainees per year and the Society polls residents (see figures 3 and 4 on page 7) on their experience in the program.

**2005:** ISBD receives funding from Organon to support 10 residents

2005/2006: ISBD received funding from Astrazeneca and is currently in the process of establishing guidelines to select residents from various parts of the world for membership. This will increase the ISBD membership by another 200 members.

### Results of ISBD Psychiatric Resident Support Program

A sample of the results from our evaluation of resident's experience in the program follows. The figures below are based on a 40% resident response rate to a survey of our membership.

Fig. 3

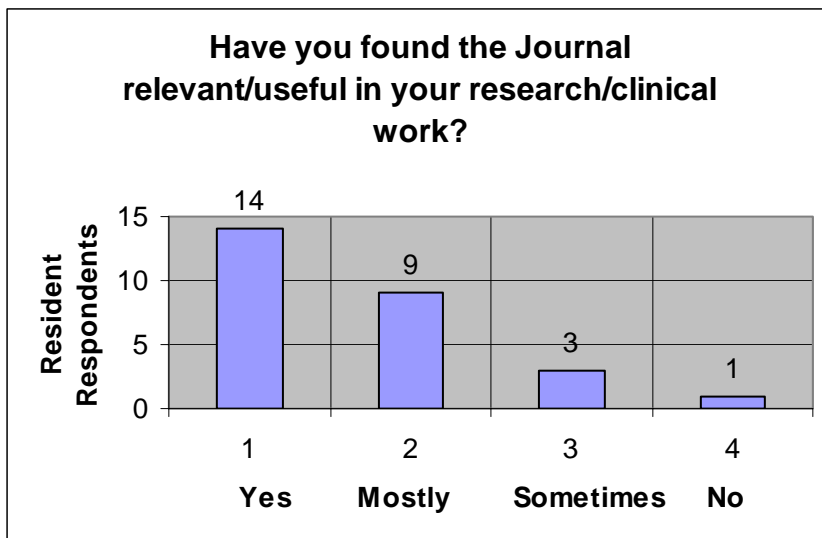
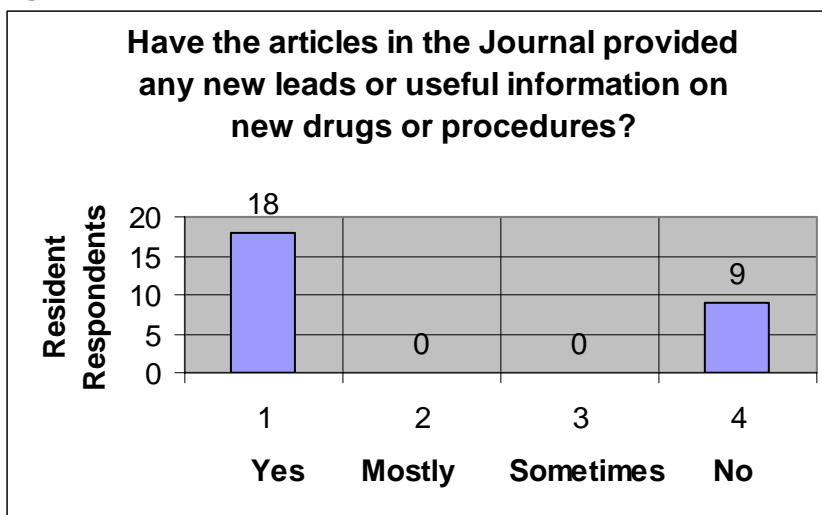
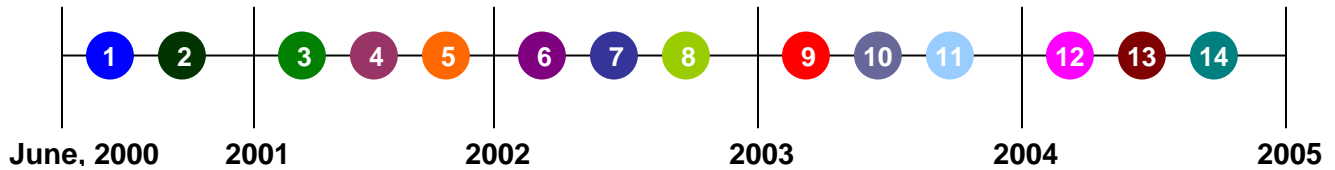


Fig. 4



We anticipate continuing major sponsorship of the program in 2006 and to be able to offer 200 residents and fellows a 2 year supported membership in the Society. The Psychiatric Resident Support Program and other trainee programs will be directed by the Trainee Education Committee with the assistance and cooperation of the general Education Committee.

## Notable Events in ISBD History



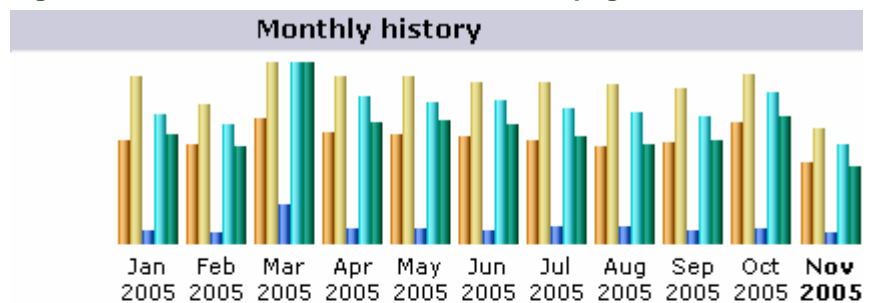
- 1 Executive Director hired to develop funding, membership incentives, infrastructure and programming
- 2 Website established at [www.isbd.org](http://www.isbd.org)
- 3 Board of Councilors representing 10 countries elected by membership
- 4 *Bipolar Disorders – An International Journal of Psychiatry and Neurosciences* becomes the Official Journal of the Society and a membership benefit
- 5 Society collaborates on the IV<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Bipolar Disorder, presenting the inaugural Mogens Schou Awards
- 6 Annual Board and Membership Meeting is held during CINP conference in Montreal, Canada
- 7 *Bipolar Disorders* is accepted by Medline and the Institute for Scientific Information (ISI) for database indexing
- 8 ISBD makes presentation at 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Stanley Conference on Bipolar Disorder
- 9 ISBD Board and Membership Meeting held during the 5<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Bipolar Disorder in Pittsburgh and ISBD Executive Director moderates advocacy forum during this meeting
- 10 ISBD obtains funding for the first in a series of educational brochures on juvenile bipolar disorders
- 11 ISBD develops its first educational video on bipolar disorders aimed at patients and families
- 12 ISBD holds its first stand alone regional meeting in Sydney Australia and draws ~ 450 participants
- 13 The Australasian Society for Bipolar Disorders (ASBD), the Society's first chapter forms
- 14 *Bipolar Disorders* ranks 15<sup>th</sup> out of 88 psychiatric journals with an impact factor of 3.658

## ISBD Website Statistics

As noted above, the ISBD has had a presence on the internet for over 5 years now and as illustrated in figure 5, the average number of hits per month is approximately 100,000. While we are happy to report on these impressive numbers, it is worth noting that the vast majority of visitors are still coming from within the US (as illustrated in figure 6 on page 9).

We also know that the average visitor spends just over 3 minutes on the site and that most arrive to the site via major search engines (i.e. Google). As of June 2005, the vast majority of visits to the ISBD website *not arriving from search engines* where generated from the *Bipolar Disorders* Journal website and [www.medscape.com](http://www.medscape.com). Notably, the ISBD home page, meetings information page, and bipolar FAQ are among the top 5 pages visited.

Fig. 5 - 11 month breakout of visits, hits and pages



Month	Unique visitors	Number of visits	Pages	Hits
Jan 2005	1936	3143	10423	99103
Feb 2005	1858	2649	8518	91403
Mar 2005	2363	3407	29602	138069
Apr 2005	2115	3173	11250	113489
May 2005	2047	3176	11995	108097
Jun 2005	2015	3063	10570	110180
Jul 2005	1959	3045	12546	102970
Aug 2005	1836	2996	12755	101189
Sep 2005	1921	2944	10394	98107
Oct 2005	2277	3210	11795	115759
Nov 2005	1523	2171	7766	75866

## ISBD Web Stats Continued

We encourage all members to provide feedback on the website and to help us maximize this important resource in carrying out our mission and objectives.

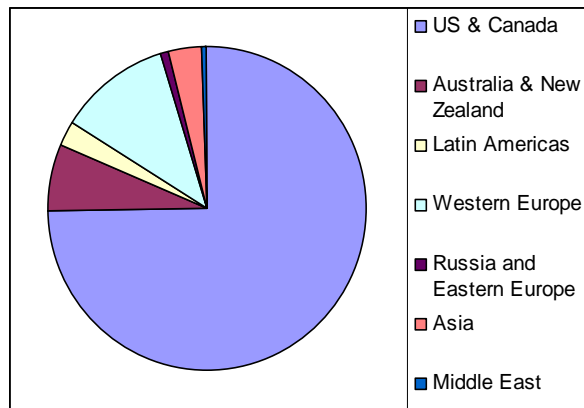
**Fig 6 – Top 10 Countries accessing the ISBD website as of June 2005**

Countries (Top 10)				
Countries	Pages	Hits	Bandwidth	
United States	us	4232	40362	154.11 MB
Great Britain	gb	390	5108	19.81 MB
Germany	de	313	3582	15.80 MB
Canada	ca	309	3084	12.48 MB
Uruguay	uy	281	2407	6.51 MB
Australia	au	126	1609	5.43 MB
Netherlands	nl	125	1308	3.88 MB
Japan	jp	121	825	3.61 MB
China	cn	114	366	2.89 MB
Italy	it	90	490	1.93 MB
Others		1665	16725	55.68 MB

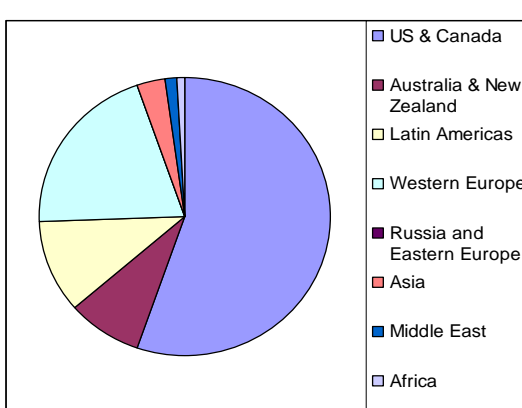
## ISBD Membership by Region and Member Type

The composition of the ISBD membership shifted significantly in 2005 (as illustrated in figures 7 and 8 below) due to the reduction in sponsored memberships, good membership retention outside the US and Canada and substantial increases in membership in the Latin Americas and Western Europe

**Fig 7 – 2004 Membership Distribution**



**Fig. 8 – 2005 Membership Distribution**



It is worth noting that while the supported trainee members dropped, every other category of membership increase from 2004 to 2005 (see table 1). (note: The trainee membership will increase by 200 in 2006 thanks to support from Astrazeneca)

**Table 1**

	2004	2005
<b>Voting Members</b>	<b>245</b>	<b>333</b>
<b>Lifetime Members</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>
<b>Associate Members</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>28</b>
<b>Trainees</b>	<b>490</b>	<b>18</b>
<b>Patient and Family Members</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>20</b>
<b>Online Members</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>4</b>
<b>Complimentary</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>19</b>



# Financial Reporting

The International Society for Bipolar Disorders Financial Statement below is based off of our Fiscal Year for 2004 (July 1, 2004 to June 30, 2005).

Revenues		
	Grants	**\$18,000.00
	Membership Dues	\$53,320.00
	Royalties <sup>1</sup>	\$17,120.00
	Meeting Revenues <sup>2</sup>	\$91,913.00
	Donations <sup>3</sup>	\$2,654.00
	Interest & Miscellaneous	\$2,062.00
	Total	\$185,069.00
Expense		
	Program Services <sup>4</sup>	\$109,707.00
	Administration	\$47,294.00
	Total	\$157,001.00
	Revenues over Expense	\$28,068.00
Total Net Assets of fund balances at end of the year = \$110,737.00		

Grantor Detail**	
Organon	\$16,500.00
Community Care Behavioral Health	\$1,500.00
Total	\$18,000.00

<sup>1</sup> The ISBD receives a percentage of the profits from the journal, *Bipolar Disorders – An International Journal of Psychiatry and Neurosciences*, through an agreement with the publisher

<sup>2</sup> ISBD received a share of the profit from the Regional Site Meeting in Sydney Australia in February of 2004 through an agreement with the Local Organizing Committee. The event revenues consisted of registration fees, sponsorships from pharmaceutical companies and rents for exhibition spots at the event

<sup>3</sup> Donations received included memorial gifts, United Way contributions and other individual contributions. For a full breakout of Donations, please see page 12 of this report.

<sup>4</sup> Costs for program services include: journal subscriptions for ISBD members, staff support, contract services, etc.



# Donations

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As always, thank you to our officers and board for their generous donation of their time and energy and to our members for your continued dedication to and support of your Society. The ISBD would also like to express our appreciation to the following supporters

For unrestricted educational grants:

Organon

Community Care Behavioral Health

United Way

For individual contributions:

Marilyn Mitchell  
Edward S. Lewis  
Penn Fixture and Supply  
Mark J. Weingarden  
MBS Management  
Marilyn Webb  
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Douglas E. Kaye  
Peggy A. Anfeldt

Bijal Dhupelia  
Marylou Selo

For donated office space:

Dr. David Kupfer, Department of Psychiatry, Western Psychiatric Institute and Clinic, University of Pittsburgh

We would also like to extend our thanks to the following past Board Members for their generous contributions over the years.

Samuel Gershon, MD	USA
Paolo Lucio Morselli, MD	France
David Kupfer, MD	USA
Cathy Petchel, MA	USA
Robert Xides, Jr, Attorney-at-Law	USA
K.N. Roy Chengappa, MD	USA
Gordon Johnson, MB, BS	Australia
Jules Angst, MD	Switzerland
Frederick Cassidy, MD	USA
David Dunner	USA
Ellen Frank	USA
Allen Fraser, MD	New Zealand
John Geddes, MD	UK
Paul Keck Jr., MD	USA
Lydia Lewis	USA
Bruno Muller-Oerlinghausen	Germany
Jan Scott, MD	UK
Jair Soares, MD	USA
Shigeto Yamawaki, MD, PhD	Japan



# Appendix A

## Officers, Board and Staff

### **Mogens Schou, MD, Dr. Med Sci., Dr. h.c. *Honorary Lifetime President***

The International Society for Bipolar Disorders was saddened to learn of the passing of Professor Mogens Schou on Thursday, September 29<sup>th</sup>, 2005. Professor Schou, an Emeritus Professor at the Psychiatric Hospital in Risskov, Denmark, exemplified the ISBD's vision for the future of bipolar research and hence was named as the Honorary President of the Society. His devotion to his life's work reflects a true desire to help others coupled with an intrinsic scientific curiosity, a spirit that guides the ISBD towards fulfillment of its mission and objectives.

### **David Kupfer, MD, *Founding President***

### **Samuel Gershon, MD, *Past President***

### **Donna Carothers, *Executive Vice-President***

### **Society Officers (Elected Positions)**

#### **President**

Lakshmi Yatham, MD

#### **Vice-President, Governance**

Michael Berk, MD

#### **Secretary/Treasurer**

Valentim Gentil, MD, PhD

#### **Vice-President, Research**

Heinz Grunze, MD

#### **Vice-President, Outreach**

Rodney Elgie

### **ISBD Board of Councilors**

#### ***2003-2006***

Giovanni Cassano, MD – Italy  
Robert Belmaker, MD – Israel  
Boris Birmaher, MD – USA  
Judith Jaeger, PhD, MPA – USA  
Amarendra Singh, MD – Canada  
Francesc Colom, PhD – Spain  
Sergio Strejilevich, MD – Argentina  
Janusz Rybakowski, MD – Poland  
William Lawson, MD, PhD – USA  
Peter Joyce, MD, PhD – New Zealand

#### ***2005-2007***

Mauricio Tohen, MD, PhD – USA  
Nassir Ghaemi, MD – USA  
Nick Craddock, MD, PhD – UK  
Willem Nolen, MD, PhD – The Netherlands  
Tadafumi Kato, MD – Japan  
Gin Malhi, MD – Australia  
Rodrigo Machado-Vieira, MD, PhD – Brazil  
Scott Turkin, MD -- USA

### **Staff**

Chad Daversa, Executive Director  
Dina Youtz, Senior Administrative Associate  
Kristy Marguriet, Bookkeeper



# Appendix B

## Membership Application

THE INTERNATIONAL SOCIETY FOR BIPOLAR DISORDERS  
Fax to: 412-605-1415 or Complete this Form Online at [www.ISBD.org](http://www.ISBD.org)  
MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION AND RENEWAL FORM

(Please see breakdown of dues by country on the reverse side to determine your dues rate)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Please print legibly or type)

New Member       Renewing Member  
(Please check one)

Preferred mailing address:  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Office Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_  
Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

Country: \_\_\_\_\_

Would you be interested in writing an article for ISBD Global, the Society Newsletter?  Yes  No  
If so, how may we best contact you?  Office Phone  Home Phone  E-mail  Fax  
Would you be interested in serving on a committee?  Yes  No

**If so, what committee would you be interested in?**

- Newsletter Editorial Advisory Committee
- Education Committee
- Committee Membership Committee
- Nominating Committee
- Fundraising Committee
- Other (I will help where needed)

Professional Information:     MD  PhD  Master's Level  Bachelor's Level  
 Trainee  Consumer level

Area of Specialty: \_\_\_\_\_ (psychiatry, psychology, pharmacology, etc.)

Type of Membership Requested:     Voting \$150.00/year  
 Voting \$285.00/2 year membership  
 Associate \$50.00/year (does not include journal subscription)  
 Trainee \$95/year  
 Patient or Family Member \$35.00/year  
 Online Member \$25.00/year (online benefits only)  
 Lifetime \$1500.00 (one time fee)

Type of Credit Card:  American Express  Mastercard  Visa  Discover

Credit Card Number: \_\_\_\_\_      Expiration Date (00/00): \_\_\_\_\_

Credit Card Security Code: \_\_\_\_\_

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**OR You may send a check in US DOLLARS only to:**  
International Society for Bipolar Disorders  
C/O Chad Daversa, Executive Director  
P.O. Box 7168  
Pittsburgh, PA 15213-0168

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!**

## INTERNATIONAL SOCIETY FOR BIPOLAR DISORDERS

### 2006 FULL MEMBERSHIP DUES BY COUNTRY (Based on 2005 World Bank Classifications)

#### **Area 1 - \$90/year (40% discount) or \$171/2 years**

Albania	Guatemala	Peru
Armenia	Honduras	Philippines
Azerbaijan	India	Romania
Belarus	Indonesia	Russian Federation
Bolivia	Iran	Senegal
Bosnia-Herzegovina	Iraq	South Africa
Bulgaria	Jordan	Syria
Brazil	Kazakhstan	Thailand
China	Kyrgyz Republic	Tunisia
Colombia	Mauritius	Turkey
Cuba	Macedonia	Ukraine
Dominican Republic	Morocco	Yemen
Ecuador	Nicaragua	
Egypt	Nigeria	
El Salvador	Pakistan	
Georgia	Papua-New Guinea	
Ghana	Paraguay	

#### **Area 2 - \$120/year (20% discount) or \$228/2 years**

Argentina	Hungary	Panama
Barbados	Latvia	Saudi Arabia
Chile	Lebanon	Slovak Republic
Costa Rica	Lithuania	Taiwan
Croatia	Malaysia	Venezuela
Czech Republic	Mexico	
Estonia	Poland	

#### **Area 3 - \$150/year or \$285/2 years**

Australia	Iceland	Puerto Rico
Austria	Ireland	Singapore
Bahrain	Israel	Slovenia
Belgium	Italy	Spain
Canada	Japan	Sweden
Cyprus	Korea	Switzerland
Denmark	Kuwait	United Arab Emirates
Finland	Luxembourg	United Kingdom
France	Netherlands	United States
Germany	New Zealand	
Greece	Norway	
Hong Kong-China	Portugal	

If you have any questions, please contact the ISBD at 412-605-1412 or [dinaw@isbd.org](mailto:dinaw@isbd.org).