

STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK AT POTSDAM INSTITUTIONAL ANIMAL CARE AND USE COMMITTEE

Appendix E Conflict of Interest Disclosure

A Conflict of Interest Statement must be completed by the Principal Investigator and Co-Principal Investigator(s).

Federal guidelines emphasize the importance of assuring there are no conflicts of interest in research projects that could affect the welfare of animal subjects. If this study involves or presents a potential conflict of interest, additional information will need to be provided to the IACUC. Examples of potential conflicts of interest may include, but are not limited to:

- A researcher or family member participating in research on a technology, process or product owned by a business in which the faculty member holds a financial interest.
- A researcher participating in research on a technology process or product developed by that researcher.
- A researcher or family member assuming an executive position in a business engaged on commercial or research activities related to the researcher University responsibilities.
- A researcher or family member serving on the Board of Directors of a business from which that member receives University supervised Sponsored Research Support.
- A researcher receiving \$10,000 or more in consulting income from a business that funds his or her research.

The SUNY Potsdam conflict of interest policy can be accessed at:
<http://www.potsdam.edu/faculty/research/rspo/conflict/index.cfm>

Do you have a potential conflict of interest associated with this study?

No

Yes. Has the potential conflict of interest been disclosed and managed?

No, Explain why: _____

If you are a SUNY Potsdam researcher please disclose your potential conflict of interest to your Department Chair and Dean.

Yes. *Note - the IACUC will verify that a management plan is in place with the Department Chair and the Dean of the Researcher.*

Final IACUC approval cannot be granted until all potential conflict matters are settled.

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Signature

Date