

# Online Review Information Network ORION



## Multifunction scientific review database support... Interactive, customizable solutions to streamline meeting processes

### WHY LEIDOS LIFE SCIENCES?

Innovative technical approaches are paramount in providing successful, efficient review meetings. In an effort to streamline these processes, Leidos Health provides the option of conducting meetings through our proprietary web-based review tool, the Online Review Information Network (ORION). Developed in response to our clients' needs, ORION is used to coordinate pre-meeting, at-meeting, and post-meeting logistical and technical tasks under the expert direction of our staff.

### ORION FEATURES & BENEFITS

- ▶ **Proven Platform.** The ORION platform was developed specifically for the review process and has been used successfully for hundreds of meetings for both federal and non-profit customers.
- ▶ **Efficient.** The ORION platform has streamlined the review process, increasing efficiency and reducing customer costs dramatically.
- ▶ **Secure.** Our server configuration has been designed to stand up to stringent Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA) guidelines, including multiple layers of security. Users are allowed customizable privileged access to documents, pages, and reports.
- ▶ **Intuitive.** Our developers understand the review process and have incorporated user feedback to make ORION easy to use.
- ▶ **Customizable.** ORION was designed modularly to allow quick, customizable pages or tools for our customers' ever-changing needs.
- ▶ **Interactive.** Real-time communications make the review process collaborative while providing documentation of panel consensus.

## Flexible and Customizable to Fit Your Needs

ORION allows reviewers access to documents through a centralized, secure website. Surveys of reviewer opinions on each proposal are completely customizable, allowing reviewer input to be tailored to the needs of the review. Through ORION, customers can choose their own parameters to help ensure the success of each meeting — saving both time and money in the long run. ORION's primary functions include:

- ▶ Document Dissemination
- ▶ Repository for Forms, Standard Operating Procedures, and Other Standardized Documents
- ▶ Efficient Proposal/Document Review and Evaluation
  - Self-Paced and Real-Time Reviewer Recommendations
  - Completely Customizable Requests for Information
- ▶ Recommendation Consensus
- ▶ Real-Time Deliberations
- ▶ Archive for Results

Utilizing a modular design, ORION can be easily modified to meet the unique requirements of each review. Figure 1 below shows a typical self-paced review using ORION, while Figure 2 highlights real-time voting. ORION's development team comprises Ph.D.- and Master's-level biological scientists who are trained both as programmers and data specialists. Maintaining a clear understanding of the review process from all sides – submission, administration, and technical – our scientists are very responsive to customer needs and requests as they work to increase the efficiency and accuracy of customization, further reducing customer costs.

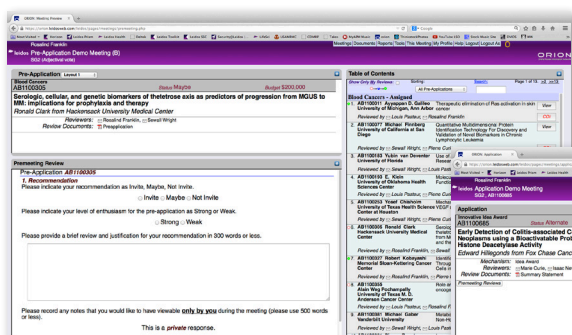
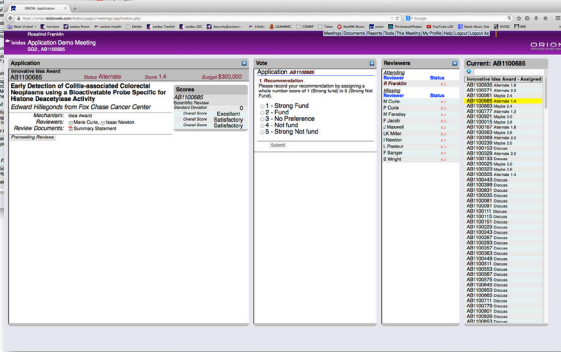


Figure 1

Figure 2



ORION's advanced features and our dedicated staff are the discriminating factors that make ORION superior to currently available commercial off-the-shelf solutions for use in executing efficient peer and merit reviews.

## FOR MORE INFORMATION

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## ORION's Functional Capabilities

### Centralized location for reviewer information, meeting notes, and presentations

- ▶ Stores reviewer contact information, expertise, and known conflicts.
- ▶ Records public or private comments per application.
- ▶ Can easily upload and distribute presentations.

### Quick dissemination of all pre-meeting materials

- ▶ Securely distributes all meeting materials to meeting participants.
  - Proposal documents are associated with proposal information.
  - Meeting documents are accessible via their own menu.

### Coordination of common meeting logistics

- ▶ Provides access to meeting agenda, directions, and background materials.

### A full range of reviewer tools and customized reports

- ▶ Provides reviewers the ability to record assessments and comments before the meeting.
- ▶ Reviewers vote confidentially at the meeting either through adjectival options (e.g., "Approve/Disapprove") or through numerical scoring.
- ▶ Customized reports provide real-time results that fit the needs of the meeting.

