

**18th Annual AAPS - Northeast Regional Discussion Group (NERDG)  
April 16th, 2015**

7:00 am – 8:00 am	Vendor Setup	Display Tables
8:00 am – 8:40 am	Registration/Poster Set-up/Continental Breakfast	Corridor/Salon E
8:40 am – 8:55 am	Opening Address	Salons A-D
9:00 am – 2:30 pm	General Poster Session Vendor Displays	Salon E Corridor
9:00 am – 10:25 am	<b>Round Table Sessions 1-4</b>	
	1. PK/PD Implementation in Biologics: Case Studies	Massachusetts
	2. Applications of Analytical Techniques in Pharma R&D: Advances in the Analysis of Biologics	New Hampshire
	3. The Role of System Biology in Reducing Phase II Attrition, Are We There Yet?	Rhode Island
	4. In Vitro Dynamic Dissolution Methodologies and In Vivo Prediction Power	Vermont
	<b>Academic Research Award Session 1</b>	Salons F - G
10:25 am – 10:40 am	Break	
10:40 am – 12:00 pm	<b>Round Table Session 5</b>	
	The Role of Medicinal Chemists in Drug Discovery: Success and Pitfall	Massachusetts
	<b>Short Topic Presentation Sessions 1-3</b>	New Hampshire Rhode Island Vermont
	<b>Academic Research Award Session 2</b>	Salons F - G

12:00 pm - 1:15 pm	Lunch	Salons A - D
1:15 pm – 2:00 pm	<b>Keynote Speaker I</b>  <b>Caroline McGregor, Ph.D.</b> Executive Director Discovery Pharmaceutical Sciences Merck	Salons A - D
2:00 pm – 2:15 pm	Student Awards, Administrative Updates	Salons A-D
2:15 pm – 2:30 pm	Break	
2:30 pm – 3:15 pm	<b>Keynote Speaker II</b>  <b>Derek Lowe, Ph.D.</b> Research Fellow Medicinal Chemistry Vertex Pharmaceuticals	Salons A - D
3:15 pm – 4:00 pm	Social Gathering and Networking Session	Salon E
The Organizing Committee Meeting will follow the event.		Salon H

## Schedule of Events

<i>Time</i>										
<b>8:00 - 8:40</b>	<b>Breakfast/Registration/Setup (Corridor)</b>									
<b>8:40 - 8:55</b>	<b>Opening Address (Salons A-D)</b>									
<b>9:00 – 10:25</b>	<b>Round Table Session #1  (Massachusetts)</b>	<b>Round Table Session #2  (New Hampshire)</b>	<b>Round Table Session #3  (Rhode Island)</b>	<b>Round Table Session #4  (Vermont)</b>	<b>ARA Session #1  (Salons F - G)</b>		<b>Poster Session  (Salons E and H)  (Presenters in Attendance 12:45-1:15)</b>	<b>Vendor Displays  (Corridor)</b>		
<b>10:25 -10:40</b>	<b>Break</b>									
<b>10:40 – 12:00</b>	<b>Round Table Session #5  (Massachusetts)</b>	<b>STP Session #1  (New Hampshire)</b>	<b>STP Session #2  (Rhode Island)</b>	<b>STP Session #3  (Vermont)</b>	<b>ARA Session #2  (Salons F - G)</b>					
<b>12:00 – 1:15</b>	<b>Lunch  (Salons A – D)</b>									
<b>1:15 – 2:00</b>	<b>Keynote 1: Caroline McGregor, Ph.D.  (Salons A – D)</b>									
<b>2:00 -2:15</b>	<b>Business Meeting and Award Ceremony  (Salons A – D)</b>									
<b>2:15-2:30</b>	<b>Break</b>									
<b>2:30 –3:15</b>	<b>Keynote 2: Derek Lowe, Ph.D.  (Salons A – D)</b>									
<b>3:15 – 4:00</b>	<b>Social Gathering  (Salon E)</b>									