VIRTUAL INTEGRATION TASKFORCE

Purpose: The Virtual Integration Taskforce shall be responsible for development of a comprehensive virtual meeting integration plan to be implemented in parallel with OHBM’s in-person Annual Meeting, resulting in a robust hybrid meeting experience for attendees.

Composition & Term: The Virtual Integration Taskforce consists of the Virtual Integration Taskforce Co-Chairs and up to 5-6 members of the Society. Members of the Taskforce may be invited to serve in a subtaskforce as deemed necessary by the Virtual Integration Taskforce.

The Virtual Integration Taskforce shall be appointed by OHBM leadership for a term of one year or less, as directed by leadership. Participation shall be by invitation only. The composition of the Taskforce is intended to reflect as broadly as possible those constituencies that are well-represented in the Society's membership as well as those that are underrepresented.

Virtual Integration Taskforce Co-Chair Selection: The Virtual Integration Taskforce Co-Chairs are appointed by OHBM leadership.

Liaisons: The Virtual Integration Taskforce shall include liaisons from the OHBM Program, Education, and Diversity & Inclusivity Committees. In addition, liaisons may be appointed from the Student/Post Doc SIG, the Open Science SIG, the Brain Art SIG, and the SEA-SIG. Liaisons will be identified and selected from their respective groups.

Responsibilities:
The Virtual Integration Taskforce is responsible for the following:
- Defining viable approach and vendors to provide a technically effective virtual meeting experience for all attendees, including ensuring accessibility globally
- Recommending a solution to provide a virtual poster experience, separated in time from in person meeting
- Mechanism by which virtual attendees share their posters during the live meeting
- Solve the open question of how to deliver unique OHBM live meeting content (Brain Art SIG, SEA-SIG, OS-SIG) and experiences to virtual meeting attendees
- Identifying opportunities to add value for supporters and exhibitors in a hybrid meeting format