



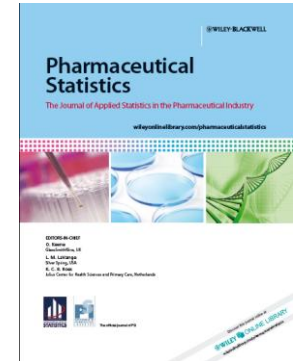
**PSI Pharmaceutical Statistics &  
DIA Statistics Community  
Virtual Journal Club Meeting on  
Sample Size Re-Estimation Techniques**

**Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> October 2013  
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**DIA Chair:** Tad Archambault, Principal, Virtu Stat, Ltd.

**Speaker:** Daniel Wachtlin, Interdisciplinary Centre for Clinical Trials (IZKS), University Medical Centre Mainz

**Blinded Sample Size Recalculation in Longitudinal Clinical Trials Using Generalized Estimating Equations**

Daniel Wachtlin and Meinhard Kieser (Therapeutic Innovation & Regulatory Science, Vol. 47, Issue 4, pp. 460-467, 2013)

**PSI Chair:** Byron Jones, NOVARTIS

**Speaker:** Andrew Hartley, PPD

**Adaptive blinded sample size adjustment for comparing two normal means—a mostly Bayesian approach**

Andrew M. Hartley (Pharmaceutical Statistics, Vol. 11, Issue 3, pp. 230-240, 2012)

**Discussant:** Peiling Yang, Statistical Team Leader, Division of Biometrics I, US FDA

For each of these published papers there will be a 25 min presentation by the author followed by a 15 min discussion by the discussant, after which the lines will be opened to the floor for questions.

PSI article available to view from October 22<sup>nd</sup> to November 5<sup>th</sup> on [PSI Journal Article](#) and the DIA TIRS article can be found on [DIA TIRS Article](#). Presentation slides will be available prior to the call. Journal subscribers can access papers at any time. Podcasts will be available shortly after the TC to download from the above website.

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