

Congressional Welcome Reception in honor of Dr. Bruce Tromberg, Director of the National Institute of Biomedical Imaging & Bioengineering (NIBIB)

Event Overview: The Academy in collaboration with Congresswoman Anna Eshoo (D-CA) hosted a welcome reception for Dr. Bruce Tromberg, Director of the National Institute of Biomedical Imaging & Bioengineering (NIBIB) at the National Institutes of Health (NIH) with Members of Congress and senior legislative staff on June 4.

Despite a critical, and controversial, vote on the Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals (DACA) program being called and then further debated by the House of Representatives at the time of the event, Congresswoman Lisa Blunt Rochester (D-DE), Congressman Rob Bishop (R-UT), and Congressman Bill Flores (R-TX), senior legislative staff from over 20 congressional offices and Directors and staff from various NIH institutes and centers were in attendance.



*Dr. Tromberg and Rep. Anna Eshoo
(D-CA)*

Congresswoman Eshoo made welcoming remarks and Dr. Tromberg shared his vision for the future of the NIBIB, followed by personal discussions with everyone in attendance. As a former professor at the University of California Irvine, Dr. Tromberg illustrated his research experience and highlighted the value and impact of the innovative research taking place at NIBIB. The Academy looks forward to creating additional opportunities to showcase the work of NIBIB under the leadership of Dr. Tromberg!

[Photos of the event are available here.](#)



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and Rep. Bill Flores (R-TX)*



*Dr. Tromberg and Rep. Blunt
Rochester (D-DE)*



Dr. Tromberg, Rep. Rob Bishop (R-UT)



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