

Table 1. RCN-RDEI confirmed participants

Surname	Affiliation	Location	Expertise*	Taxon	Junior	membership breakdown	
PIs						Participants	#
Martin	University of South Florida	USA	inter	birds/mammals	y	PIs	3
Ardia	Franklin and Marshall College	USA	ecol	birds/insects	y		
Howley	Virginia Tech University	USA	ecol	birds	y	Advisory committee	4
Advisory committee						Core participants	29
Adamo	Dalhousie University	Canada	inter	insects	n	Nationality	#
Bailey	Ohio State University	USA	immun	mammals	y	USA	24
Vogel	Illinois State University	USA	immun	mammals	n		
Wikelski	Max Planck, Radolfzell	Europe	ecol	birds/reptiles	n	Europe	9
						Canada	2
Participants						Australian	1
Adelman	Princeton University	USA	ecol	birds	y		
Allen	University of Edinburgh	Europe	immun	mammals	n	Gender	
Bilbo	Duke University	USA	inter	mammals	y	female	17
Bonneaud	Harvard University	USA	ecol	birds	y	male	19
Buchanan	Deakin University	Australia	ecol	birds	n		
Demas	Indiana University	USA	inter	mammals	n	Career stage	
Dhabhar	Stanford University	USA	immun	mammals	n	junior	17
Fair	Los Alamos National Laboratory	USA	ecol	birds	n	senior	19
Fedorka	University of Central Florida	USA	ecol	insects	y		
French	Utah State University	USA	ecol	mammals/reptiles	y		
Graham	Princeton University	USA	inter	mammals	y		
Grindstaff	Oklahoma State University	USA	ecol	birds	y		
Hedrick	UC San Diego	USA	immun	mammals	n		
Klasing	UC, Davis	USA	immun	birds	n		
Kramer	Wadsworth Center	USA	para	viruses	n		
Medzhitov	Yale University	USA	immun	mammals	n		
Mendonça	Auburn University	USA	inter	all vertebrates	n		
Navara	University of Georgia	USA	inter	birds/mammals	y		
Owen	Michigan State University	USA	ecol	birds	y		
Palacios	Iowa State University	USA	ecol	reptiles/birds	y		
Parmentier	Wageningen University	Europe	immun	birds	n		
Prendergast	Univeristy of Chicago	USA	inter	mammals	y		
Råberg	Lund University	Europe	ecol	mammals	y		
Rolff	University of Sheffield	Europe	ecol	insects	y		
Schmid-Hempel	ETH Zurich	Europe	ecol	insects	n		
Siva-Jothy	University of Sheffield	Europe	ecol	insects	n		
Smits	University of Saskatchewan	Canada	immun	birds	n		
Tella	CSIC, Spain	Europe	ecol	birds	n		
Viney	University of Bristol	Europe	para	helminths	n		

*expertise abbreviations: ecol = evolutionary ecologist; immun = immunologist; para = parasitologist; inter = interdisciplinary