## Data Format Working Group: Second Meeting

March 31 & April 1, 2003
Conference Rooms A1 & A2, Neuroscience Center
6001 Executive Boulevard
Rockville, Maryland

## **AGENDA**

## Monday, March 31

8:45 am - 9:00 am Opening

- Welcome and Introductory Remarks—Michael Huerta
- Charge to DFWG on Considering Dual-Format-with-Converter Strategy —Stephen Strother

8:45 am - 9:00 am DICOM on the Web: Does it Matter?

Presentation and discussion led by Stephen Strother

10:00 am - 12:00 pm Discussion of ANALYZE Paper

• Led by Robert Cox (Team: J. Ashburner, R. Cox, K. Fissell, J. Lancaster, S. Smith, and J. Van Horn)

12:00 pm - 1:00 pm Lunch

1:00 pm - 3:00 pm Discussion of MINC Paper

• Led by Colin Holmes (Team: C. Haselgrove, C. Holmes, R. Goebel, D. Rex, and S. Strother)

3:00 pm - 4:30 pm Discussion of Dual-Format-with-Converter as the DFWG's Technical Solution to the Multiple Data Format Problem

Led by Stephen Strother

<u>Goal of Day 1:</u> To discuss the technical f easibility of a dual-format-with-converter strategy and determine whether this will be the DFWG's recommendation as the technical solution.

## Tuesday, April 1

8:30 am - 10:30 am Discussion of Experimental Description and Other Metadata Paper

• Led by Stephen Smith (Team: J. Ashburner, R. Cox, K. Fissell, D. Rex, and S. Smith)

Beyond the metadata discussion, the agenda for Day 2 will depend on the outcome of Day 1. If DFWG adopts the dual-format-with-converter strategy, then Day 2 will be devoted to planning the implementation of the next steps. If the DFWG determines this strategy is not the best way to proceed. Day 2 will be devoted to charting an alternative strategy.