

Young Scientist Program

To Celebrate the 20th Anniversary of Department of Biochemistry

Faculty of Science, Burapha University

Rationale

The Asia Pacific Protein Association (APPA), the Protein Society of Thailand, and Faculty of Science, Burapha University will jointly host a special program for young scientists, including graduate students and young researchers, from different countries. This program mainly aims to provide a platform for networking and communication within and across the field of the participants' research interest. The program includes plenary lectures, young scientists' oral presentation, inspiration and discussion panel, and informal excursion in the coastal town of Chonburi.

Objectives

1. To stimulate scientific network among early career scientists
2. To provide an opportunity for the young scientists to communicate and discuss their research.
3. To motivate and inspire the young scientists to develop their independent scientific research

Places/Date & Time

Program Venue: Central Laboratory Bldg., Faculty of Science, Burapha University

Accommodation: International House, International College, Burapha University

Date and Time: 15.00 p.m., July 9th, 2017 to 13.30 p.m., July 11th, 2017

Eligible Applicants

- Young scientists in the field of protein science, including graduate students and post-doctoral fellows/ researchers/ academic staffs who graduated within 5 years (2012-2017) and must not be more than 35 years old.
- It is required that all applicants register to present their work at the joint conference between the 5th Asia Pacific Protein Association (APPA) conference and the 12th International Symposium of the Protein Society of Thailand.
- Members of APPA and PST are encouraged to attend the program. Non-members are also welcome.
- Up to 30 applicants from different countries will be selected to join the program. Notification of acceptance will be sent by email on **May 8th, 2017**.

Application Protocol

Please submit the application form in a single PDF file to the Secretary of the 5th APPA Conference/12th PST Symposium 2017 Young Scientist Program Committee:

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Application Due: **April 28th, 2017**

Activities

- YSP inspiration talk by an outstanding scientist
- Lectures related to protein research by leading scientists
- Oral presentation and discussion by all participants
- Excursion and social activities

Speakers

- Prof. Pimchai Chaiyen, Department of Biochemistry and Center for Excellence in Protein and Enzyme Technology, Faculty of Science, Mahidol University
- Prof. Richard Simpson, Department of Biochemistry and Genetics, La Trobe Institute for Molecular Science (LIMS), La Trobe University, Melbourne, Victoria, Australia
- Prof. Gavin Reid, School of Chemistry, Department of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology, Bio21 Molecular Science and Biotechnology Institute, The University of Melbourne, Victoria, Australia
- Dr. Somchart Maenpuen, Department of Biochemistry, Faculty of Science, Burapha University

Registration Fee

There is no registration fee for the young scientist program. Selected applicants must present their research at the YSP venue and the 5th APPA Conference/12th PST Symposium 2017. All applicants is required to register to the main conference at the regular rate (<http://www.appa2017.com/>).

Young Scientist Travel Fellowships

The Faculty of Science, Burapha University will provide travel fellowships to applicants from developing country (not included Thai).

Sponsorship

- Faculty of Science, Burapha University will provide travel fellowship for selected applicants from developing country (not included Thai), accommodations, lecture rooms, facilities, excursion, meals and drink.

Organizing Committee

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