

Programme



WELCOMING REMARKS & GROUP PHOTO

09:00 - 09:10

Welcoming Remarks & Group Photo

Prof. Larry Ming-Cheung CHOW

Department of Applied Biology and Chemical Technology, The Hong Kong Polytechnic University

SESSION 1: CLINICAL APPROACHES

Chairman: Prof. Chun-Guang LI, Western Sydney University

9:15 - 10:00

Botanicals from Bench to Bedside - What Do We Need to Get It Right?

Prof. Michael HEINRICH, School of Pharmacy, University College London, United Kingdom

SESSION 2: RESEARCH DEVELOPMENT IN THE STATE KEY LABORATORIES

Chairman: Prof. Chun-Guang LI, Western Sydney University

10:00 - 10:20

The Latest Development of State Key Laboratory of Research on Bioactivities and Clinical Applications of Medicinal Plants (CUHK)

Prof. Ping-Chung LEUNG, Institute of Chinese Medicine and State Key Laboratory of Research on Bioactivities and Clinical Applications of Medicinal Plants, The Chinese University of Hong Kong

10:20 - 10:40

Research Updates of State Key Laboratory of The State Key Laboratory of Chinese Medicine and Molecular Pharmacology (Incubation), Shenzhen

Dr. Daniel Kam-Wah MOK, The State Key Laboratory of Chinese Medicine and Molecular Pharmacology (Incubation), Shenzhen, The Hong Kong Polytechnic University

10:40 - 10:55

Break

SESSION 3: NATURAL PRODUCT DEVELOPMENT

Chairman: Prof. Chun-Kwok WONG, The Chinese University of Hong Kong

10:55 - 11:25

Discovery of Novel Lead Compounds from Medicinally Important Plants and their Endophytic Fungi

Prof. Pema-Tenzin PUNO, Kunming Institute of Botany, Chinese Academy of Sciences, China

11:25 - 12:10

The Exploratory Studies on PPAP, a Special Kind of Hybrid Natural Products

Prof. Gang XU, Kunming Institute of Botany, Chinese Academy of Sciences, China

12:10 - 14:00

Lunch Break

SESSION 4: SCIENTIFIC APPROACHES

Chairman: Prof. Chun-Tao CHE, University of Illinois at Chicago

14:00 - 14:30	Research and Development of <i>Sambucus williamsii</i> as Herbal Drug for Postmenopausal Osteoporosis Prof. Man-Sau WONG, Research Centre for Chinese Medicine Innovation, The Hong Kong Polytechnic University
14:30 - 15:00	The Novel Medicinal Value of a Well-Known Herb <i>Andrographis paniculata</i> in Esophageal Cancer – a Discovery Journey from Laboratory to Clinic Prof. Clara Bik-San LAU, Institute of Chinese Medicine and State Key Laboratory of Research on Bioactivities and Clinical Applications of Medicinal Plants, The Chinese University of Hong Kong
15:00 - 15:30	Janus-faced WAT Browning in Human Diseases Prof. Junli LIU, School of Medicine, Shanghai Jiao Tong University, China
15:30 - 15:40	Break
15:40 - 16:10	Scientific Insights into <i>Panax notoginseng</i> Prof. Simon Ming-Yuen LEE, State Key Laboratory of Quality Research in Chinese Medicine, Institute of Chinese Medical Science, University of Macau, Macau SAR (China)
16:10 - 16:40	Emerging Role of the Gut Microbiome in Irritable Bowel Syndrome: From Pathogenesis to Treatments Using Chinese Medicine Dr Lixiang ZHAI, Centre for Chinese Medicine Drug Development Limited, Hong Kong Baptist University
16:40 - 16:50	Break

SESSION 5: NATURAL PRODUCT SAFETY

Chairman: Dr Sai-Wang SETO, The Hong Kong Polytechnic University

16:50 - 17:20	Pharmacovigilance for Botanicals and Other ‘Natural Health’ Products: Identifying and Responding to Safety Issues Prof. Joanne BARNES, Faculty of Medical and Health Sciences, University of Auckland, New Zealand
17:20 - 17:25	Award Presentation
17:25 - 17:30	Concluding Remarks

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