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Event Overview

China is now the number one choice for pharmaceutical R&D globalization efforts as seen by the huge number of offshore offices, new joint ventures and collaborations. However, with the growing competition, the main challenge is to identify the right opportunity and to maintain a competitive edge in this field.

International Symposium on Industrial Pharmaceutics and Clinical Pharmacology provides a platform to share experiences in pharmaceutical and pharmacology R&D, discuss models and strategies to promote innovative R&D, and understand the legal and regulatory improvements in China, as well as new initiatives from the local government and industry sectors. This will also provide an opportunity to learn how to tap into these new areas to maximize growth in China.

Be Informed…

Gain insights into global and local pharma perspectives and become informed about innovative ideas that you can apply to your own R&D projects.

Be Heard…

Share your creative strategy and offer your experience, expertise, and insights to over 1000 fellow colleagues and potential partners.

Be Connected…

Attend interactive panel discussions, conferences and networking events to stay connected with new and old acquaintances.
Welcome Message

Dear Colleagues and Friends,

We are very pleased to invite you to International Symposium on Industrial Pharmaceutics and Clinical Pharmacology, which is taking place in Guangzhou, China from October 10 – 11th 2009. This major scientific event is hosted by Sun Yat-sen University, one of the most prestigious universities and research institutions in China. The host city---Guangzhou, is an international metropolis with a long history of leading economic and technology development in China. Boasting many tourist attractions and impressive scenery in the city, Guangzhou is one of the most vibrant and beautiful cities in China.

As you may know, upon the establishment and improvement of the China Drug Supervision and Administration System, the global pharmaceutical and biopharma industry value chain has been shifting towards the biotech industry zones in China, which has a US$33.9 billion pharmaceutical market, with a growth consistently in the double digits. China is reportedly expected to become the fifth largest pharmaceutical market in the world by 2010.

China has always been striving to accelerate global collaboration in drug R&D. To this end, this two day conference will cover the hottest issues in drug management science and technology, reflecting the trends and challenges facing pharmaceutical and biopharmaceutical professionals today. This event will also provide an ideal opportunity for the worldwide pharmaceutical and biopharma community to participate in multilateral, face-to-face interaction. This includes research institutes, manufacturers, and government. We expect to establish a dynamic platform for education, partnering, and the discovery of new and innovative technologies, which offers cross-sector collaboration among the Life Science Industry.

We believe, with the latest "hot topics" and most recent developments in drug discovery technology being presented from world renowned scientists, industries leading experts, and government officials coupled with numerous networking opportunities, this conference is an event you cannot afford to miss.

We are looking forward to seeing you in Guangzhou, China.

Sincerely,

Professor Chuanbin Wu, MD, PhD
Honorary Chairman
International Symposium on Industrial Pharmaceutics and Clinical Pharmacology
**General Information**

**Date & Venue**

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Focused Symposia

Track I Clinical Pharmacology

♦ Research and development of novel drugs and drug targets in major diseases: Cancer, cardiovascular diseases, diabetes, inflammatory and autoimmune diseases, neuro-psychiatric diseases and mental health.
♦ Advances in the R&D of natural products and novel biopharmaceuticals
♦ Current status of Traditional Chinese Medicine R & D
♦ Trend of Pharmacovigilance R & D
♦ Advances in the evaluation of drug-drug interactions
♦ Advances in the evaluation of drug-nutrition interactions
♦ Management of OTC Drugs
♦ Herbal Medicine
♦ Pharmacogenomics in drug development,
♦ Pharmacogenetics and customized medicine
♦ Pharmacoeconomics
♦ Ethical bridge between drug development and society
♦ Global collaboration in drug R & D and international multicenter research trials

Track II Industrial Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Technology

♦ Innovations and current trends in drug delivery technology
♦ Development of drug delivery systems for biopharmaceuticals by nanotechnology
♦ Omics technology in pharmacology
♦ Biosynthetic nano-biomaterials (IBNs)
♦ Challenges in industrialization of biotechnology in the drug industry
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♦ Design of novel drug formulations and dosage for disease developments
♦ Applications of new natural materials and synthetic polymeric materials in pharmaceuticals
♦ Current trends and advances in bio-pharmaceutical technologies and biopharmaceutics development
♦ New technologies and equipment in pharmaceutical manufacturing
♦ Innovations in the formulation of Traditional Chinese Medicine, and Herbal Medicine
♦ Development and modernization of the Traditional Chinese Medicine Industry

Track III Globalization and Local Initiatives in Pharmaceutical and Biopharma Development

♦ The Social & Commercial Value Behind Technological Innovation----Current Issues and Strategies
♦ Overview of Chinese Government and Industry Sector Initiatives
♦ The Developing Pharmaceutical R&D Model in China
♦ Intellectual Property Issues in Partnering/Licensing
♦ The Upcoming Biopharma Industrialization Model
♦ International Challenges and Opportunities for Traditional Chinese Medicine Development
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Currently holds this position

More speakers are being confirmed. There will be over 800 Chinese and International participants.
### Meeting Outline

**Friday October 9 2009**  
Registration between 13:00-20:00

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**About Guangzhou**

Guangzhou, a city with a long history, is one of the most prosperous metropolis in China. The city lies close to the South China Sea, Hong Kong, and Macau. Zhujiang (The Pearl River), the third largest river of China, which runs through Guangzhou and is navigable to the South China Sea. Situated in such an excellent geographical region, Guangzhou is called China's South Gate. Guangzhou has always been the gateway of China’s opening to the world, and the bridge connecting the inland with the oversea. It is an important trading center, as well as a busy port and capital city of the province of Guandong. It is central in political, economic, scientific, educational and cultural life. The city has an area of over 16,000 square kilometers and a population of 11 million.

The climate of Guangzhou is sub-tropical, the average year-round temperature is 22C. August is the hottest month, with an average temperature of 28C. January is the coldest month, with an average of 13C.

Like Athens of Greece, and Rome of Italy, Guangzhou has a history of more than 2,800 years. Guangzhou has been the capital city for three Chinese dynasties. It was listed as one of the 24 most famous historical cultural cities in China, and has many historic sights: The Western Han Nanyue King's Tomb Museum, the Zhenhai Tower and the Sun Yat-sen Memorial Hall all convey the glorious history of Guangzhou. Today, Guangzhou retains its ancient customs, but is also a large vibrant city, overflowing with current fashions. Guangzhou is a beautiful city, with ever-green scenery and flowers blooming all year round. The city boasts many tourist attractions, among which are: The White Cloud Hill Scenic Spot, Yuexiu Park, Guangzhou Zoo, Six Banyan Temple and Flowery Pagoda, Dr. Sun Yatsen Memorial Hall, and more. In the suburbs, tourists can visit Conghua Hot Springs, Xiqiao Hill Scenic spot, Seven Star Crags, and Foshan City.

"Eating in Guangzhou" has become a popular saying both at home and abroad. Guangzhou ranks first in the number of restaurants and tea-houses in the country. Cantonese cuisine is high-quality in its color, fragrance, taste and presentation. In addition, the delicate Cantonese pastry is well-known for its wide variety, delicious flavors and beautiful colors.
About Sun Yat-sen University

Sun Yat-sen University is one of the most comprehensive and prestigious universities in China. It was founded in 1924 by Dr. Sun Yat-sen - a physician and a great leader of the 20th century. Sun Yat-sen University is a vibrant community of scholarship and learning, and is characterized by its revolutionary spirit. The mission of SYSU is to advance knowledge and educate students in arts, science, technology, and other academic areas that will best serve the nation and the world in the 21st century.

Sun Yat-sen University is located in Guangdong province, neighboring Hong Kong and Macao. At present, the University has four campuses with a total area of 6.17 square kilometers, sitting respectively on both sides of the Pearl River and facing the South China Sea.

Since the founding of the new China, Sun Yat-sen University has always been one of the key national universities, offering a wide variety of subject areas, disciplines and a complete range of degrees from bachelor, master to doctorate. The university has 23 schools and colleges, including a medical school, a school of dental medicine, a law school and a business school.

As one of the country's leading research-intensive universities, Sun Yat-sen University has achieved remarkable success in scientific research in medicine, pharmacology, the pharmacy industry, and biotechnology.

The School of Pharmaceutical Science and its research institutes are ranked as first class pharmacology and pharmaceutical research institutions in China. The university has an outstanding faculty of 13 Professors and 18 Associate Professors. The research in the department encompasses a wide variety of areas, ranging from basic to clinical, using methodologies which are classical and/or technologically state-of-the-art.

The repertoire of research specialties includes: Pharmacognosy Science and Natural Pharmaceutical Chemistry, Pharmaceutical Chemistry and Pharmaceutical Molecule Design, Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Engineering, Chinese Traditional Medicine and Marine Medicine, Pharmaceutical Analysis and Quality Evaluation, Pharmacology and Toxicology, Drug Metabolizing and Pharmacokinetics, Microbe and Biochemical Pharmacy Biotechnology and Biomedical Research. All the laboratories are national key laboratories designated by the Ministry of Health.

Sun Yat-sen University is active in international academic exchange. It has established academic exchange with more than 100 well-known universities, academic institutes and societies in countries and areas of America, Canada, Japan, Australia, England, France and Germany. The university has signed exchange agreements with 40 of them.
In the 21st century, Sun Yat-sen University has entered the fast lane of development. All faculty, staff and students are marching with confidence towards the future.

Tours

General Information

After the conference, we provide guided tours of many wonderful tourist attractions in Guangzhou, Beijing, Xi’an, and Hong Kong. Please refer to the following pages for detailed tour information. During this trip, you may also be interested in visiting some of the most comprehensive hospitals in China through our Hospital Tour Program. The China Hospital Tour is a specifically tailored tour for western medical professionals to visit Chinese hospitals, to experience China’s healthcare system, and explore the magnificent landscapes of China.

China, a country with the world’s largest population (1.3 billion), has a unique healthcare system. Western healthcare professionals have always been attracted to China to discover traditional medicine, combined western and traditional medicine, the large volume of patients, and our large-scale, modern medical facilities. After the successful completion of the 2008 Beijing Olympic Games, China is more vibrant and scientific than ever before. The China Hospital Tour will be an ideal gateway for the whole world, to lift the veil of secrecy of China’s healthcare system, discover the wonderful landscapes, and learn about Chinese culture, history and society.

If you are interested in the Hospital Tour Program, please get in touch with us at epsworldlinkbiomedical@yahoo.com for more information.
Tour - Beijing China

Beijing is the capital of the People's Republic of China, and is central in political, cultural, domestic and international exchange. It is one of the largest, well-known historical and cultural cities in the world, and has been China's capital since the 15th century. With an area of over 17,800 square kilometers, the city is presently divided into 16 districts with a population of over 17 million.

Climate
The four seasons are distinctive in Beijing. Spring and autumn are quite short; spring is from the beginning of April to mid May; summer is from June to mid September; autumn is from the end of September to mid October and winter is from November to March of the next year. The weather is usually very nice in April and May, the average temperature is around 20°C - 25°C and the days are mostly clear and sunny.

Attractions
Having such a long historical background, Beijing today has two faces, mixing ancient and modern styles. The old Beijing city was carefully designed and constructed. In 1992, Beijing received the "World Top Ten" award following the assessment of scores of specialists and scholars:

1. The Great Wall: The longest defensive wall in the world.
2. The Imperial Palace: The largest and best preserved palatial complex in history.
3. Tian'anmen Square: The largest city-center square in the world.
4. The Temple of Heaven: The largest heaven-worshipping architecture in the world.
5. The Summer Palace: The best preserved imperial garden in the world.
Tour - Beijing China (cont’d)

6. **Beihai Park**: The earliest built Imperial Park in the world.
7. **Ming Tombs**: The best preserved imperial mausoleum structure, where most of the emperors are buried.
8. **The Site of Peking Man at Zhoukoudian**: An ancient human cultural site with the most abundant cultural remains. It is also the site where the fossil of homo-erectus was discovered with traces of fire-usage.
9. **Yunju Temple**: The temple with the largest collection of stone-carved Buddhist scriptures in the world.
10. **Yongle Bell**: The bell with the greatest number of inscriptions in the world.

**Today, Beijing** is a modern and internationalized metropolis with many new office/residential buildings, department stores and signature landmarks. After the completion of the successful 2008 Olympic Games, Beijing Olympic Park and Olympic village have been open to the public since October, 2008. You can walk in the world's biggest Olympic Park and have a glimpse of the Olympic stadiums, such as the Bird's Nest - National Stadium, and Water Cube - National Aquatics Center.
**Tour – Xi’an China**

Xi’an is located in the central part of China and lies near the River Wei in the Guanzhong Plain on the middle reaches of the Yellow River. It is surrounded to the south by the Qinling Mountain range, to the north by the River Wei, while the Huashan Mountains stand at its east and the highest peak of the Taibai mountains at its west. Set at 424 meters above sea level, the region enjoys a mild climate with four distinctive seasons. The surrounding area consists of mountains, rivers, plains and plateaus. The city of Xi’an is composed of 9 districts and 4 outlying counties, covering a total area of 9983 square kilometers, with a population of about 7.2 million, of which 5.1 million live in the urban zone.

Xi’an was called Chang’an in ancient times. Universally reputed as a cultural and historical city, Xi’an, alongside Cairo, Rome and Athens, is considered to be one of the “four ancient capitals” of the world. Xi’an is one of the cradles of Chinese civilization and a birthplace of humanity. In this region, around 11 million years ago, lived the earliest pithcanthropine hominid fossil (with both human and simian characteristics) in northern Asia - Lantian man - was discovered. Our 6000 year old ancestors, the matriarchal clan community of the Banpo lived on farming and hunting in this area during the Neolithic age. Beginning in the 11th century BC, the Western Zhou dynasty, a society based on slavery, up to the apogee of the imperial period under the Tang dynasty established itself in this region. For 1100 years, Xi’an was the capital of 13 dynasties under the Zhou, the Qin, the Han, and the Tang. It was an eastern terminus of the old Silk Road and the first metropolis in the world with a population exceeding 1 million. Xi’an became the respected symbol of oriental civilization, and thus contributed greatly to the development of human civilization.
Tour – Xi’an China (Cont’d)

Xi’an’s prominent place in history has bequeathed it with a great number of remains. There are 2944 registered sites inside the city, and in its surrounding area, of which 34 are national monuments. Among these, the Tomb of Qin Shihuang, which is inscribed on UNESCO’s World Heritage List and whose terracotta warriors and horses have been called “the Eighth Wonder in the World”. Xi’an has witnessed many different periods in the development of human society. Each has left its trace and together these create a kind of “museum of Chinese history”. The prosperous periods, especially during the Zhou, the Qin, the Han and the Tang dynasties, have left a large number of monuments in Xi’an, such as: The ruins of the Zhou dynasty town of Fenhao, the remains of the E pang palaces built under the Qin, the city wall of Chang’an erected under the Han dynasty, and the site of the Daming palaces dating from the Tang period. Moreover, the “emperor’s bathroom” - the Huaqing Hot Spring; the “stone bookstore of China” - the Forest of Stone tablets; the thousand year old Buddhist tower - the Big Wild Goose Pagoda; the first modernist national museum - the National Museum of Shaanxi History; the largest and best protected city wall - Xi’an’s City Wall dating from the Tang Dynasty, and many other sites, reveal the splendid history and culture of the city. All these elements give Xi’an an atmosphere and energy which attract visitors from all over the world.

The cultural history of Xi’an is rich and varied. The city played a role in the birth of Taoism and Confucianism, but also in the spread of Buddhism. She saw the creation of masterpieces of Chinese classical literature such as “The Book of Odes”, Han style folk songs and ballads, and the famous Tong poem. Her School of Painting and Drawing, the so called Chan’an School, influenced this art in China during more than 400 years. The city welcomed a great many famous Chinese discoverers, especially in the technical field. All these achievements contributed to the progress of civilization in China and throughout the world.

Today Xi’an enjoys international recognition for its culture and history and is a famous tourist attraction. The main city on the upper and middle reaches of the Yellow River bridges the Eurasian continent. The city is open and modern, combining culture, education, scientific, technological, commercial, and tourism development in a unique manner. Xi’an has the third largest number of colleges and universities in China, and a well established scientific and high-tech industry, which, from the city’s position, is known as a well-connected transport hub for the whole country.
Tour – Xi’an China (Cont’d)

Xi’an’ is renowned for culinary art, such as the delicious Jiaozi (dumpling) banquets and the typical Yangroupao and niuroupao (shredded pancake in mutton and beef soup). Also, the local colorful Qin opera, and the ancient Chang’an style music, are attracting increasing world-wide interest.

Xi’an, a characteristic blend of ancient and modern culture, is getting ready to welcome delegations from all over the world.

Tour – Hong Kong China

A frantic, hurly-burly mixture of capitalism and exoticism, Hong Kong has been called the “most thrilling city on the planet.” Hong Kong is one of the world's leading financial centres. Its highly capitalist economy has been ranked the freest in the world by the Index of Economic Freedom for 15 consecutive years. It is an important centre for international finance and trade, with one of the greatest concentration of corporate headquarters in the Asia-Pacific region, and is known as one of the Four Asian Tigers for its high growth rates and rapid industrialization.

Hong Kong is frequently described as a place where East meets West, reflecting the culture's mix of the territory's Chinese roots with the culture brought to it during its time as a British colony/territory. Although over a decade has passed since the handover, Western cultural practices remain, and coexist seamlessly with the traditional philosophy and practices of Chinese culture.
The Peak
1,800-foot-high (548 meters) Victoria Peak offers great views of Hong Kong's well-developed skyline. Climb beyond the point where the tram drops passengers off via Mount Austin Road to glimpse outlying islands, or stroll on other paths to enjoy views.

Horse Races
"This local passion takes place from September to June in the suburban town of Shatin on Saturdays and at the 55,000-capacity Happy Valley track on Hong Kong Island on Wednesday nights, the more exciting choice. The enthusiasm among the big-betting, chain-smoking punters is infectious."—Top 10 Hong Kong (Eyewitness Travel). Reservations can be made for buffet meals and viewing from the upper boxes.

Central-Mid-Levels Escalator
The Longest outdoor covered escalator in the world, stretching from downtown Central business district up to the Mid-Levels residential area. "It kick started the gallery and dining area known as Soho."—John Batten, art gallery director. Begins at Queen's Rd., Central; numerous entry points along the way; art galleries and antique shops cluster around the Hollywood and Staunton Street exits.

Street Markets
Chaotic places where much of Hong Kong shops for everything from daily provisions to designer knockoffs; often surrounded by good, cheap eats. Markets around Fa Yuen Street near Prince Edward MTR station, in Stanley and, at night, Temple Street in Kowloon, have many clothes and souvenir vendors. Others at Graham and Gage Streets and the one at Cross Street in Wan Chai are lively food markets. "The real street life of Hong Kong - where everything on sale can be bargained for."—Pete Spurrier, author of The Leisurely Hiker's Guide to Hong Kong.
Tour — Hong Kong, China (Cont’d)

Yum Cha

In Hong Kong, yum cha (or dim sum) is a social event and spectacle and not just a food dish. Watch the ritual unfold Sunday mornings at teahouses and restaurants across the city, as families settle in for long, boisterous gatherings.

Hong Kong Tramways

A great way to sightsee on Hong Kong Island, little changed since 1904. Several lines traverse the western end of the island to the east, with one line going to Happy Valley.

The Great Outdoors

Outlying islands like Lamma and Cheung Chau, half an hour by ferry from Central, are great places to hike, swim, and sample seafood. Reach the town of Stanley on the south side of Hong Kong Island via a stunning coastline-hugging bus ride (number 6) from Exchange Square in Central. "It's like crossing into a different country and quite strange how suddenly you're in parkland."—Peter Moss, author of *Hong Kong*.

Traditional Villages

Many area villages have been inhabited for centuries. Tai O, for example, is noted for its unusual stilt houses. Local operators offer inexpensive cruises in glass-bottomed boats.
EPS Global Medical Development Inc.

EPS International Global Medical Development Inc. (hereby referred to as EPS) provides academic exchange services in medicine, biotechnology and management in China, North America, Europe and countries in East Asia. Based in Canada, EPS is the largest medical exchange services provider for China. With twelve years of experience in academic exchange, EPS has established wide and deep relationships with hundreds of hospitals, health centers, universities, research institutions, biotech giants and pharmaceutical companies all over the world, including the McGill University Health Center (MUHC), Fox Chase Cancer Center of USA, Germany Siemens Co., and America GE Inc. EPS has connections with the Chinese medical society, including governmental health organizations, medical institutions and hospitals. Each year, EPS organizes visits to China for three hundred Chinese medical professionals to visit and study abroad, and over sixty outstanding professors worldwide, including Nobel Prize Laureates to visit China.

Authorized by the China Ministry of Health, EPS has been collaborating with Chinese partners to organize medical conferences and advanced medical technology training programs, and surgical demonstrations. EPS also sponsors and organizes annual national hospital management conferences in China, and cooperates with pharmaceutical manufacturers in drug development and biotech transfers between China and other countries.

After the successful completion of the Olympics, EPS is highlighting medical exchanges worldwide and welcoming all medical professionals to visit China’s hospitals and medical institutions, as well as discover the ancient, mysterious landscapes, and its modernity and prosperity.
Projects of EPS Global Medical Development in Recent Years

January 8, 2009 Dr. Yao Lu, the CEO and President of EPS International Global Medical Development Inc. met Dr. Baruch S. Blumberg, the Nobel laureate in Medicine of 1976 (for the discovery of the Hepatitis B virus) and President of American Philosophical Society.

In November, 2007, Dr. Yao Lu invited Dr. Richard R. Ernst, Nobel laureate in Chemistry of 1991 to the Drug Development Conference in Xi’an, China.

In January, 2007, Dr Lu organized the visit of Professor Murad, Nobel Laureate in medicine in Xuzhou Hospital of Jiangsu Province and No.2 People's Hospital of Guangdong province, as well as several large-scale seminars.

In October, 2008, Dr. Lu and Dr. Kaplow, the Associate Director of Montreal Neurological Institute were met by the Deputy Minister of Health China (Mr. Huang Jiefu) in Beijing.

July 17th -19th, 2009, Dr. Yao Lu, the CEO and President of EPS Global Medical Development Inc., invited world neurologists to participate in the 5th International Stroke Summit, including Saha Sikha from Leeds University of UK, Dr. Sharma Hari Shankar from Uppasala University of Sweden, Dr. Carina Mallard from Gothenburg University of Sweden and Dr. Bershad from Baylor College of Medicine of USA.