FIRST ANNOUNCEMENT

National Conference

January 28-29, 2012

"Innovation in Pharmaceutical Industry: From Drug Development to Distribution"

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BACKGROUND

The pharmaceutical industry as such is a knowledge based industry having vast and complex areas to handle. The unlimited human knowledge has been a guiding phenomena for drug discovery to development from time to time. The dynamics with respect to technology, business proportions and management challenges are not easy in anyway and adding to that the high cost and risk factors with very less probability success ratio makes this industry a sensitive one in its own term.

However overcoming these challenges in producing excellence is necessity for survival in the present pharmaceutical scenario where globalization in the business is becoming a prime requirement. It needs tremendous efforts, huge cost, patient waiting for interminable period of time and also measure of luck if not less.

The discovery leads to the development of drug which needs to be distributed rationally further. The innovation in Drug Development starts with proper drug discovery and then converting the molecules into certain definite and effective dosage forms. Many important advances have been made in the area of cell based assays and further new biological approaches to target evaluation, data mining and other innovations.

Learning Objectives

At the conclusion of this program the participants will be able to learn about –

- Innovations in scale up and transfer technology during drug development .
- Novel aspects (stem cells, softwares and hardwares) as an alternative for pre-clinical and clinical studies.
- Application of total quality management aspects from development to distribution.
- Rationalization and economization in brand development for promotion and extension of brands to enhance business opportunities.
- Affordability, accessibility and availability to end user.
- Road map for future pharmacist.

TENTATIVE PROGRAM

28th Jan (Main Event)

- 08:00 – 09:00 Registration
- 09:00 – 11:00 Opening ceremony
- 11:00 – 11:30 tea break
- 11:30 – 13:30 Session I
- 13:30 – 14:30 Lunch break
- 14:30 – 16:30 Session II
- 16:30 – 18:30 Session III
- 18:30 – 20:30 Cultural program
- 20:30 – 22:00 Gala Dinner

The cultural program would be brought to you by the L J group of colleges especially the L J Institute of Pharmacy reflecting the culture and tradition of the Gujarat State.

29th Jan (Main Event)

- 08:30 –09:00 Tea
- 09:00– 11:00 Session IV
- 11:00 – 11:30 Tea break
- 11:30– 13:30 Session V
- 13:30 – 14:30 Lunch Break
- 14:30 – 15:30 Poster Display
- 15:30 – 17:00 Closing and Awards

Workshop Program

- 09:00 – 10:00 Registration for the workshop
- 10:00 – 13:00 Session I
- 13:00 – 14:00 Lunch break
- 14:00 – 17:00 Session II
- 17:00 – 18:00 Tea and certification

Each of the 2 sessions in the Workshop days above are of 3 hours each. It will be facilitated by a team of 4 – 6 trainers, speakers etc.

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Pharmanext is an international pharmaceutical magazine and operates from New Delhi. The magazine focuses on the healthcare professionals, young pharmacists, and science students, and tries to make as many resources available to them from around the world. It serves as a pathway to the students and new graduates to decide what is best for them in the profession and shape up their careers. Now the group enters in consultancy, training, publication, events and chain pharmacy

L. J. INSTITUTE OF PHARMACY AHMEDABAD

LJIP a co-host and now a premium pharmacy institute in India was a brain child of LJ group, established in 2004 with a mission to provide education and training to produce qualified pharmacist capable of responding to the challenging competitive environment and lead the pharma industry towards a better tomorrow through a arrow tip long term vision.

Indian Pharmaceutical Association (IPA) is the premier professional association of pharmacists in India, with a member base of over 10,000, spread across the length & breadth of the nation. IPA operates in India through 17 state branches & more than 33 local branches. The members represent various facets of pharmaceutical profession viz. Industry, regulatory, community pharmacy, hospital pharmacy & education.

The InPharm Association (A Young Pharmacist Group of India)is a scientific and educational society founded in 2003. For last 8 years, InPharm has contributed in different ways to the advancement of Pharmacy. Its members share interests related to Pharmacy, which they learn through active interaction. The InPharm promotes discussion among its members and with scholars in related fields, in part through the activities of its affiliated groups.

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Industrial Pharmacy Section

Founded in 1912, the International Pharmaceutical Federation (FIP) is the global federation of national associations of pharmacists and pharmaceutical scientists and is in official relations with the World Health Organization (WHO). Through its 124 Member Organisations FIP represents and serves more than two million practitioners and scientists around the world. Founded in 1955, FIP's Industrial Pharmacy Section (short "IPS") has expanded to a worldwide industrial pharmacy network. It embraces all functions where industrial pharmacists are employed, in developing and developed countries

Gujarat Technological University (GTU)

Gujarat Technological University (GTU) lead by Dr. Akshai Aggarwal as the Vice Chancellor is the premium university based in Gujarat which visions to reach the new heights of learning process in all the professional programs offered by affiliated Engineering, Pharmacy, ME, MBA, MCA etc. institutes and colleges

B.V. Patel PERD Center

B. V. Patel Pharmaceutical Education & Research Development (PERD) Centre is India's first multidisciplinary, postgraduate research institute, dedicated to the pursuit of excellence in the pharmaceutical sciences. It equipped with the latest and best R&D facilities, highly qualified scientific & technical personnel & regular education, training and developmental activities, PERD, today, is an internationally recognized research institute, providing the Pharmaceutical industry and Academia the opportunity and resources to undertake the latest in research and development.

IMPORTANT DATES

Conference Dates	Jan 28-29, 2012
First Deadline	Nov 30, 2011
Second Deadline	Dec 25, 2011
Abstract Submission	Dec 20, 2011
Workshop	Jan 26/27, 2012

Welcome Message

Dr. J. B. Dave
Chairman, Scientific Committee

There are good reasons for India to cheer up. Indian pharma market is showing steroid like growth of little over 20 per cent in the 12 months ended July 2011, above four times the global rate of about 5 per cent. There are well defined results for global slide down and rise in domestic front. This unprecedented growth is inspiring the Indian industry to adapt to the changing paradigms of drug research and quality manufacturing. This would also attract more and more companies to India and embark upon the golden opportunities offered by our growing nation.

The industry in developed countries is thriving on support from academia for identifying new targets of drug research and related subjects. The time is ripe for Indian pharma companies and academia to join hands and bring out the best of both the worlds. The regulatory bodies ought to undergo qualitative change to facilitate the new developments.

The national conference is an attempt in this direction. Besides the lectures by experts on relevant subjects, we are looking forward to receiving contribution in terms of posters by professionals/students from academia, industry, pharmacy practice and regulatory bodies on any of the relevant subjects. While the preference will be given to papers with practical work details, papers with abstract research and well compiled write up on innovative subjects will also be accepted. You are invited to speak out your ideas and share your work in any one of following sections of this national conference.

Section I : Exploring new drugs from synthetic chemistry, natural products and biotechnology

Section II : Basic pharmacology/ toxicology and clinical pharmacology/pharmacy

Section III : Pharmaceutics, bio-pharmaceutics and NDDS

Section IV : Developmental analysis – early and late phases of drug development

Section V : Expanding horizons of GLP, GMP, GCP and Quality Assurance

Section VI : Community /Hospital and Drug Information services

Section VII : Innovations in Academia, Industry and Regulatory Functions

Call for Papers

Original contributions based on practice/theory/research related to the above theme and allied field are invited for poster/oral presentation. All papers will go through a process of review and accepted papers will be published in the conference proceedings.

To encourage young scientists, organizing committee announces two "Young Scientist Award" (One for best poster and another for best oral presentation) for all registered delegate. This awards carry a sum of Rs.10,000 along with a Gold Medal and certificate of merit. For guidelines please refer our website www.pharmanextahmedabad.com or www.pharmanextworld.com

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This workshop will nurture, foster and promote feasible innovative ideas and take them to the next level closer to getting implemented. Participants will be taught how to think different and then convert that idea into a business module using the tools of entrepreneurial skills. They will get a chance to learn from the best in the business who have been there and done that. Get a chance to learn from their mistakes and to know what it takes to be an Entrepreneur.

REGISTRATION

	Early bird Registration*	Before Nov 30th,	Before Dec 30th,
Student	INR 1000	INR 2000	INR 3000
Professional	INR 2000	INR 3000	INR 5000
From Industry	INR 3000	INR 5000	INR 7000
Workshop	INR 1000	INR 1500	INR 3000

- The registration fee includes: conference attendance, a conference bag, abstract book/CD, lunch and coffee/ tea breaks, welcome reception, Gala Dinner and closing ceremony.
- The students, who wish to register the conference, are required to sent a photo of valid student card to pharmanextahmedabad@gmail.com
- For accommodation and sightseeing please contact at pharmanextahmedabad@gmail.com.
- The registration fee can be paid by cheque / DD, Cash, Money Transfer or Cashier check.
- All the Cheque / DD Should be in favour of "PHARMANEXT" and payable at Delhi only.

*Early bird registration is applicable before October 30th, 2011

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