Molecular Biology and Biotechnology Events in the Region

**Date: 28-30 June 2010**

**Event:** National Rice Conference

**Topics:** Rice Industry In Malaysia : Issues and Challenges, R&D to Manage Challenges and Enhance Productivity, Resource Management, Post Harvest Handling and Product Development, Rice Production Management

**Location:** Swiss Garden Golf Resort & Spa, Damai Laut, Lumut, Perak

**Deadlines:** Abstracts – 30 April

**Contact:** Secretariat, Mr. Ahmad Nurfarhi Rosley, National Rice Conference, Conference and Exhibition Programme, Technical Services Centre, MARDI Headquarters, Serdang, P.O. Box 12301, 50774 Kuala Lumpur, Tel: 603-8943 7572 / 603-8945 4592, Fax: +603-8941 3512, E-mail: farhi@mardi.gov.my, Website: [http://agromedia.mardi.gov.my/conference_symp/PADI/accomodation_contact.html](http://agromedia.mardi.gov.my/conference_symp/PADI/accomodation_contact.html).

**Date: 30 June - 2 July 2010**

**Event:** **Bio Forum and Bio Expo Japan**

**Topics:** This event is widely known as a comprehensive bio event gathering all bio-related people, products, technologies and information from all across Asia.

**Location:** Tokyo Big Sight, Japan

**Contact:** INT'L BIO FORUM & BIO EXPO JAPAN Show Management, Reed Exhibitions Japan Ltd., Ayumi Senoo (Ms.) / Kanako Otsuka (Ms.) / Hajime Suzuki (Mr.), 18F Shinjuku-Nomura Bldg., 1-26-2 Nishishinjuku, Shinjuku-ku, Tokyo 163-0570, Japan, Tel: 81-3-3349-8509, Fax: 81-3-3349-4922, Email: bioexpo@reedexpo.co.jp, Website: www.bio-expo.jp/english/.

**Date: 6-8 July 2010**

**Event:** BIOJOHOR 2010

**Topics:** Biodiversity, Agriculture Biotechnology, Healthcare Biotechnology, Industrial Biotechnology, Bio-Informatics

**Location:** The Zon Regency Hotel, Johor Bahru, Johor, Malaysia
Deadlines: Abstracts/proposals - 30 April

Contact: BIOJOHOR Secretariat, No: 40-50, Jalan Kebudayaan 1, Taman Universiti, 81300, Skudai, Johor Bahru, Johor, Malaysia, Tel : +607-521 8170/8159, Fax : +607-521 1355, Email: biojohor@gmail.com, Website: http://www.biojohor.my.

Date: 11-14 July 2010

Event: 4th East Asia C. elegans Meeting

Location: National Olympics Memorial Youth Center, Tokyo, Japan


Date: 14-16 July 2010

Event: ICBB 2010 : "International Conference on Bioinformatics and Biotechnology"

Topics: 'all aspects of Bioinformatics and Biotechnology'

Location: Bali, Indonesia

Deadlines: Paper submission – 20 April, Notification of acceptance – 30 April, Final paper submission and authors' registration – 31 May

Contact: Mohd Zamri Yusoff, UNITEN, Selangor, Malaysia, Tel: 60389287255, Website: http://www.waset.org/conferences/2010/bali/icbb.

Date: 20-21 July 2010

Event: Biobusiness Asia


Location: Grand Hyatt, Taipei

Deadlines: Early bird deadline 31 May

Contact: Ms. Wendy Tsai, Industrial Technology Research Institute, Rm 236, Bldg. 53, 195 Sec. 4, Chung Hsing Rd., Chutung, Hsinchu, Taiwan 310, R.O.C., Tel: 886-3-5912147, Fax: 886-3-5910096,
Date: **25 - 27 July 2010**

Event: Sustainable Seed Banking Forum

Topics: “Facing the challenge of sustainable seed banking for the developing world”

Location: Kuching, Sarawak, Malaysia

Contact: Glenreagh Sdn Bhd (organisers), Level 8 Pavilion KL, 168 Jalan Bukit Bintang, 55100 Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia, Tel: 603 9025 7769, Fax: 603 9205 7788, Email: info.seedbanking@gmail.com, Website: [http://www.bic.org.my/?action=events&do=body96](http://www.bic.org.my/?action=events&do=body96).

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Date: **25-27 July 2010**

Event: BIT’ 3rd World Congress of Industrial Biotechnology

Topics: Bio-energy, Industrial Microbiology and Robust Enzymes, Biomaterials for Engineering Applications, Environment & Cleantech Biotechnology, Bioprocess for Biologic Drug, Agricultural Biotechnology, Marine Biotechnology, Biotechnology for Light Industries

Location: Dalian, China

Deadlines: Deadline for Abstracts - May 31

Contact: 26 Gaoneng Street, Room 405, Dalian High-tech Zone, Dalian, LN 116025, China, Tel: 0086-411-84799624, Fax: 0086-411-84799629, Email: michelle@bit-ibio.com, Website: [http://www.bit-ibio.com/](http://www.bit-ibio.com/).

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Date: **26-28 July 2010**

Event: BioProcess Asia Pacific

Topics: Biosimilars manufacturing challenges, regulatory models and operational excellence, Upstream processing, Quality by Design for Biopharmaceuticals, Technology Transfer in Biopharmaceuticals, Optimal construction for biopharmaceutical facilities, Facility utilization, Disposables for Biopharmaceutical manufacturing, Downstream Processing, CMC requirements and regulation for investigational products

Location: Singapore
Contact: Lucia Kasanicka, Tel: 9181 0580 5411, Fax: 9180 4050 9933, Email: lucia.kasanicka@fleminggulf.com, Website: http://www.fleminggulf.com/conference/life-science/BioProcessAsiaPacific?partner=CA.

Date: 5-6 August 2010

Event: Separation Science Singapore 2010

Topics: Issues of vital importance to application chromatographers working in pharmaceutical, food analysis, environmental, petrochemical and clinical laboratories.

Location: Biopolis Science Park, Singapore

Deadlines: Early bird registration - 31 May

Contact: David Hills, Organizer, Email: david.hills@sepscience.com. Eclipse Business Media Ltd, Regd in England, No. 06513189, Frederick House, Princes Court, Beam Heath Way, Nantwich, Cheshire CW5 6PQ, United Kingdom, Tel: 44 1270 628551, Email: dean.graimes@sepscience.com, Website: http://www.sepscienceasia.com/Asia/Home.

Date: 12-16 August 2010

Event: International Conference & Exhibition of the Modernization of Chinese Medicine & Health Products

Topics: Modernization of Chinese Medicine & Health Products

Location: Hong Kong Convention and Exhibition Centre

Contact: Exhibitions Department, Hong Kong Trade Development Council, Unit 13, Expo Galleria, Hong Kong Convention and Exhibition Centre, Wan Chai, Hong Kong, Tel: 852 1830 668, Fax: 852 2824 0026, Email: exhibitions@hktdc.org, Website: www.hktdc.com/icmcm.

Date: 18 - 26 September 2010

Event: Biotechnology Carnival: The Gateway to Public Understanding of Biotechnology

Events: Fashion show and fashion designing competition based on biotechnology motifs, Interschool Debate Competition, Intervarsity Debate Competition, Interschool quiz competition, Pop quizzes, Interschool spelling bee competition, Biotechnology Business Plan writing competition, Interactive biotechnology related games, Poster drawing Drawing Competition, Writing Competition Exhibition by Research Institutes, Research Universities and Industry, Biotechnology demonstrations, Science communication seminar and career talks by well known biotech personalities
Location: National Science Centre, Kuala Lumpur

Contact: Website: http://www.bic.org.my/?action=events&do=body92.

**Date: 26-28 September 2010**

Event: InCoB 2010 - 9th International Conference on Bioinformatics of the Asia-Pacific Bioinformatics Network

Topics: Bioinformatics and computational biology: including computer science, biology, biotechnology, genomics, proteomics, transcriptomics, immunomics, mathematics and statistics

Location: International Conference Center, Waseda University, Tokyo

Deadlines: Full paper submission - 14 May, Poster abstracts – 7 June, Early-bird Registration - 15 August, Regular and On-Site Registrations – 28 September

Contact: Tin Wee Tan, Email: tinwee@bic.nus.edu.sg, Website: http://incob10.hgc.jp/.

**Date: 1-3 October 2010**

Event: International Conference on Frontiers in Biological Sciences (InCoFiBS- 2010)

Topics: Cancer Biology, Epigenetics & Molecular Biology, Bioinformatics and RNAi, Structural Biology, Membrane Dynamics and Cell Signaling, Stem Cell and Tissue Regeneration, Drug Delivery and Vaccine Approaches, Genomics and Proteomics, Aquatic Biology and Marine Biotechnology, Tropical Diseases and Medicine, Agricultural Biotechnology, Environmental Science & Evolutionary biology, Innovations in teaching Biology

Location: Rourkela, Orissa, India

Deadlines: Last Date for Abstract Submission – 15 June, Last Date for Abstract Acceptance – 1 September, Last Date for Full Paper Submission – 15 August, Last Date for Paper Acceptance – 1 September, Camera Ready Paper Submission Deadline – 1 September

Contact: Dr. S.K. Patra, Website: http://nitrkl.ac.in/conference/conference_welcome.asp?cid=22

**Date: 5 - 7 October 2010**


Topics: The construction, engineering and maintenance of process plants
Location: Marina Bay Sands Expo & Convention Centre Singapore

Contact: Ms Chantal Quek / Ms Jaime Goh, Tel: 65 6560 5051/ 65 6294 1929, Fax: 65 6560 9692/ 65 6392 3687, Email: processcem@aspri.com.sg / jaimegoh@mpinetwork.com, Website: www.processcemasia.com.

Date: 13-15 October 2010

Event: ICCMB 2010 : "International Conference on Cellular and Molecular Bioengineering"

Topics: ‘all aspects of Cellular and Molecular Bioengineering’

Location: Port Louis, Mauritius

Deadlines: Paper submission – 30 June, Notification of acceptance – 31 July, Final paper submission and authors’ registration – 31 August


Date: 19-22 October 2010

Event: Ausbiotech

Topics: The solutions that biotechnology is developing to deliver a brighter future: new therapies, diagnostics, medical devices, agricultural, industrial, climate change etc.

Location: Melbourne Convention and Exhibition Centre

Deadlines: Early bird registration 30 June

Contact: WALDRONSMITH Management, 61 Danks Street West, Port Melbourne Vic 3207, Tel: +61 3 9645 6311, Email: ausbiotech2010@wsm.com.au, Website: http://www.ausbiotech2010.com.au.

Date: 31 October – 2 November 2010

Event: 3rd Annual BioPartnering China

Topics: Pharma, Biotech, Investors

Location: Shanghai, China
Date: 2-4 November 2010

Event: Biomalaysia 2010 Conference & Exhibition

Topics: Agriculture Biotechnology, Healthcare Biotechnology, Industrial Biotechnology, Bio-Informatics

Location: Kuala Lumpur Convention Centre, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia

Contact: 38-3, (2nd Floor) Jalan PJU 5/9, Dataran Sunway Kota Damansara 47810 Petaling Jaya, Selangor Malaysia, Email: malinda@protempgroup.com / karendass@protempgroup, Website: www.biomalaysia.com.my.

Date: 6-8 November 2010

Event: International Conference on Advances in Materials and Manufacturing Processes (ICAMMP 2010)

Topics: Topics of interest for submission include, but are not limited to: New Materials and Advanced Materials, Manufacturing Processes and Systems, Materials/Mechanical/Multi-Disciplinary Engineering Education, Other related topics (see website for full details)

Location: Shenzhen, Guangdong, China

Deadlines: Deadline for full paper submission - July 1, 2010, Camera-ready due - August 1, 2010

Contact: Tel: +86-13826049112, Fax: +8620-28819702-18833, Email: icammp@vip.188.com, Website: WWW.ICAMMP.ORG

Date: 29 November - 1 December 2010

Event: 1st Asian Regional Conference on Systems Biology (ARCSB)

Topics: Functional genomics and biological networks, Computational methods and tools, Proteomics and systems biology, Metabolomics and systems biology

Location: Hotel Nikko, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia

Date: 1-4 December 2010

Event: BIT’s 4th Annual World Congress of Gene 2010


Location: Sanshui, Foshan, China

Deadlines: Early Bird registrations – 15 April, Abstract submissions – 30 October, On-site Registration – 30 November

Contact: Ms. Joyce Lee, Organizing Committee of WCG-2010, 26 Gaoneng St., R401, Dalian Hightech Zone, Dalian, LN 116025, China, Tel: 0086-411-84799609 EXT 801, Fax: 0086-411-84799629, Email: joyce@genecongress.com, Website: http://www.bitlifesciences.com/wcg2010/default.asp.

Date: 7-10 December 2010

Event: Biochemistry and Molecular Biology 2010: 33rd Annual meeting of the Molecular Biology Society of Japan and 83rd Annual meeting of the Japanese Biochemical Society

Topics: Lipid, Protein, Glucose, Metabolism; Cell Biology; Genomics and Genetics; Neuroscience; Development and Regeneration; Biology of Diseases; Plant Biology; Signal Transduction

Location: Kobe Port Island

Contact: BMB2010 Secretariat (A&E Planning CO.,LTD), 9th Flr., Shin-osaka Chiyoda Bldg. (Annex), 4-4-63 Miyahara, Yodogawa-ku, Osaka 532-0003, Tel: 81-6-6350-7247, Fax: 81-6-6350-7248, Email: bmb2010@aeplan.co.jp, Website: http://www.aeplan.co.jp/bmb2010/.