

2nd ASPET/Chinese Pharmacological Society (CNPHARS) Joint Meeting

November 2 – 5, 2017

ASPET is pleased to announce the 2nd ASPET/Chinese Pharmacological Society (CNPHARS) Joint Meeting taking place in Hangzhou, China from November 2 – 5, 2017. The first joint meeting took place at the **ASPET Annual Meeting at Experimental Biology 2014** in San Diego, CA.

The key themes of the meeting include molecular pharmacology on new drug discovery and traditional medicines and natural products in treating disease. A delegation from ASPET will be attending in an effort to foster an exchange of scientific knowledge and collaboration between Chinese and American pharmacologists.

To obtain additional information or to register for the meeting, please visit the [official meeting website](#) for detailed program information.



ASPET Delegation



Keynote Speaker: Paul Insel, *University of California San Diego*
G Protein-Coupled Receptors (GPCRs): New Therapeutic Opportunities Revealed by Unbiased GPCRomic Approaches

Traditional Chinese Medicines and Natural Products in Treating Disease Symposium



Keynote Speaker: Yongxiang Zhang, *Beijing Institute of Pharmacology and Toxicology*
Pharmacological Study on Traditional Chinese Medicine and Natural Product in China



ASPET Chair
Ben Green, *Poisonous Plant Research Laboratory ARS/USDA*

Drugs and Natural Products: From Plants and Livestock to Human Therapeutics



Jiandong Jiang, *Institute of Materia Medica, Chinese Academy of Medical Sciences*

Berberine Is New Mechanism Drug against Energy Metabolic Disorders



Mary Paine, *Washington State University College of Pharmacy*

A Systematic Approach to Select and Evaluate Natural Products as Precipitants of Pharmacokinetic Natural Product-Drug Interactions



Zhenhua Jia, *Yiling Hospital Affiliated to Hebei Medical University*

Study of Collateral Disease and Translational Medicine



Nadja Cech, *University of North Carolina at Greensboro*

New Approaches for Identifying the Biologically Active Components of Botanical Natural Products



Haiping Hao, *China Pharmaceutical University*

Reverse Pharmacokinetics Guided Target Identification and Mechanistic Understanding of Chinese Medicines

Molecular Pharmacology and Drug Discovery Symposium



David Sibley, *ASPET Chair*



Xin Xie, *Shanghai Institute of Materia Medica, Chinese Academy of Sciences*

Targeting G Protein-Coupled Receptors for the Treatment of Autoimmune Diseases



Mary-Ann Bjornsti, *University of Alabama at Birmingham*

SUMO Conjugation-A Therapeutic Target



Rick Neubig, *Michigan State University*

Identification of a Novel Target for Cancer and Anti-fibrotic Therapy



Jinpeng Sun, *Shandong University*

Arrestin Mediated GPCR Biased Signaling and Its Application in New Drug Discovery



John Tesmer, *Purdue University*

Rational Design of GRK2 Inhibitors for the Treatment of Heart Failure



Wei Wei, *Anhui Medical University*

The Direction of New Drug Research: Soft Regulation of Inflammatory Immune Responses

ASPET Leadership



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Young Scientists Travel Award Winners



Brenda Gannon,
Postdoctoral
Fellow

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Joshua Lorenz-
Guertin, Graduate
Student

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Kenneth
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Amy Moritz,
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