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American Association of Pharmaceutical Scientists

November 2013

2013 AAPS Annual Meeting and Exposition Career Fair



November 11–13, 2013

Henry B. Gonzalez Convention Center (exhibit hall)
San Antonio, TX

Don't miss this opportunity! At the AAPS Annual Meeting and Exposition Career Fair we will have on-site hiring representatives from many pharmaceutical companies sharing information about their organizations and available career opportunities and conducting on-site interviews with highly qualified candidates.

Attend the professional development sessions on:

- Résumé consultation
- Interview advice
- Biotech career choices
- Creating a mentor partnership
- Transitioning from industry professional to academia
- Résumé writing and interview strategies
- Marketing yourself
- NIH grantsmanship
- Using your creative traits
- Starting a consulting firm

Come to the AAPS Career Fair Reception on Monday, November 11, 2013 from: 4:30–5:30 pm. See you there!

For more information visit www.aaps.org/AMcareerfair.

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- Access the AAPS Sections mentoring program
- Find social media links
- Post your résumé on aaps.org
- Check for current job postings on the AAPS Online Career Center

For more information visit www.aaps.org/jobs or email Kevin Folk at FolkK@aaps.org.

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AAPS Members save \$355.00 at early registration. Discounts are available for group, students, government, and academic categories.

Register today!

2013 AAPS Annual Meeting and Exposition registration entitles attendees to full access to the scientific sessions, general sessions, poster sessions, Exposition Hall (including Career Center), and more.

For more information visit www.aaps.org/annualmeeting.

AAPS Workshop on Regulatory and Stability Control Strategies for Atypical Impurities, including Leachables/Extractables and Metal Impurities

November 9–10, 2013

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AAPS Regular Member SAVINGS

AAPS members save \$420.00 at early registration.

Summary/Description

The topics covered in this workshop will include:

- Special considerations for Biological Product Impurity control strategies.
- Discovering extractable and monitoring leachable impurities from container closure systems.
- Key considerations for testing metal impurities and satisfying USP requirements for metal impurities.
- Monitoring impurities in global submission.
- Extractables and leachables concerns from pharmaceutical packaging.
- Discovering and monitoring impurities from excipients and excipient interactions.

Goals and Objectives

Monitoring and controlling impurities have been major concerns in the pharmaceutical industry. Many scientific forums have discussed traditional impurities in drug substances and drug products. However, they do not normally include the atypical impurities that could potentially affect the quality and safety of drug products. These impurities are not necessarily caused by the manufacturing process or degradation. This workshop will discuss the impurities that originate from packaging components, container-closure systems, excipient interactions, or in biological products. In addition, we'll also discuss the current limits proposed by ICH Q3D and USP General Chapters regarding metal impurities. Innovative methodologies for development of effective stability control strategies will be presented. This workshop will provide participants a forum to discuss a comprehensive array of topics such as leachables, extractables, excipient impurities, impurities from biologics and non-NDA/ANDA products and metals impurities.

AAPS Workshop on Developing a Biopharmaceuticals Risk Assessment Road Map

November 9–10, 2013

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AAPS members save \$590.00 at early registration.

Goals and Objectives

A significant impact of implementing the Quality by Design (QbD) paradigm is that it enables a systems approach, a continuum throughout drug development

and lifecycle management. A biopharmaceuticals risk assessment road map developed according to the desired drug delivery patterns facilitates development and communication of such linkages between the desired clinical outcome and the necessary product quality attributes as described in the Quality Target Product Profile (QTPP).

- Illustrating integration of QbD/systems approach to drug development starts with patient needs, indication, mechanism of action of the API, and characteristics to build the target effect profile, which may incorporate PK characteristics. This approach will demonstrate application of QbD throughout the lifecycle and promote methods that support the link between the patient needs and the product, as well as increase awareness of the available tools and methods and advance novel approaches.
- The biopharmaceuticals risk assessment road map will provide information on "what's needed and how" and will provide guidance/direction depending on the level of complexity (less challenging development path *vs.* more challenging). Risk is considered as an integrated multidisciplinary risk.
- The biopharmaceuticals risk assessment road map and the supporting methodology for each scenario will be discussed in the breakout sessions.

For more information visit www.aaps.org/Biopharm.

AAPS Workshop on A New Vision for the Eye: Unmet Ocular Drug Delivery Needs

THE FIRST STRUCTURED OCULAR WORKSHOP TO EVER BE OFFERED IN THE UNITED STATES.

November 10, 2013

Henry B. Gonzalez Convention Center

San Antonio, TX



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Summary/Description

The purpose of the conference is to review the current landscape of ocular drugs, address existing clinical needs, as well as critical delivery challenges, and highlight the up-to-date development of ocular drug delivery with an ultimate goal of promoting the scientific understanding as well as clinical solutions for ocular diseases. The following topics will be included in this workshop:

- Clinical experience and gaps/challenges with existing ocular drugs and delivery systems;

- Current and emerging drug delivery solutions (nonbioerodible or bioerodible), current state and challenges, case studies; and
- Regulatory perspective on ocular drug delivery.

For more information visit www.aaps.org/Ocular.

AAPS Fellows Webinar

Save the date!

AAPS has a strong commitment to the recognition of select AAPS members through their designation as Fellow.

AAPS will host a 1-hour webinar on Wednesday, December 11, 2013 at 1:00 pm (Eastern Standard Time). The webinar will describe how to develop a nomination package according to the Fellows Process outlined by the Fellows Committee. The nominator is responsible for assembling and submitting the completed nomination package, which must be received by the AAPS Office on Friday, **March 14, 2014**.

For more information visit www.aaps.org/About_AAPS/Fellows.



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