

2 March, 2015

Dear Members,

HKSMS has been organizing yearly workshops or lecture series since 2002 with the objective to promote the understanding and applications of mass spectrometry among professionals in related disciplines. The target audiences are professionals from governmental institutions, hospitals, universities and industries. Previous workshops and lecture series have always been well received by our members.

The theme for this year's HKSMS workshop is '**Theory & Practice in Shotgun Proteomics**'. The major aim of this workshop is to provide practical tips for people who are planning to perform shotgun proteomic profiling by themselves, as well as who are acquiring shotgun proteomic profiling services. These practical tips cover both wet laboratory work (e.g. sample preparation procedure and trouble shooting) and computation analysis of the massive datasets.

The workshop will be held on **28 March 2015 from 2:00 pm to 5:05 pm at LT-9, Blue Zone, Podium Floor, Academic 1, The City University of Hong Kong**. We are extremely privileged to have *Prof. Andy Siu from The City University of Hong Kong, Prof. Henry Lam* and *Dr. Pei-Jing Pai from The University of Science and Technology* as our guest speakers. Details of the lectures can be found in the enclosed information sheet together with the registration form.

You are cordially invited to join the HKSMS Workshop. Non-members can register for the workshop upon joining HKSMS. A certificate of attendance will be issued to all registered participants after completion.

If you have any enquiries, please feel free to call our membership administration officer - Ms Rebecca Chau, at 3568 3581 during office hours. Alternatively, you can send your enquiries via email to info@hksms.org.

Best regards,

April Wong
President, HKSMS

Registration for HKSMS Workshop (2014-2015):
Theory & Practice in Shotgun Proteomics

Name of Member: _____

Contact Telephone No. : _____

Email / Fax No.*: _____ (* for notification of acceptance)

Address: _____

Membership category:

- Full Member
 Student Member

Corporate Member

Remark: Registration for the Workshop is free of charge, however a cheque deposit of HK\$100 is required which will be returned upon attendance but charged for non-attendance.

Cheque should be made payable to "Hong Kong Society of Mass Spectrometry"

Notes:

- i) The registration is on a "first come first served" basis.
- ii) Cheque will be returned to participants upon attendance of the workshop.
- iii) Non-members can join the workshop upon joining HKSMS.
- iv) Please register ASAP by fax, following by sending the original registration form and cheque before 20th March 2015.

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Please send the completed registration form and cheque by post attention to **Dr Melody Y M Wong** HKSMS, c/o HOS Membership and Conference Management Co. Ltd., Block B, 5th Floor, Lead On Building, 18 Ng Fong Street, San Po Kong, Hong Kong before 20th March 2015.

<p>Internal Use Only</p> <p align="center">Registration for HKSMS Workshop 2013-2014 (28th March 2015)</p> <p align="center"><input type="checkbox"/> accepted / <input type="checkbox"/> not accepted</p>

HKSMS Workshop (2014-2015)

Theme:	Theory & Practice in Shotgun Proteomics
Venue:	LT-9, Blue Zone, Podium Floor, Academic 1, The City University of Hong Kong
Time:	28 March 2015 (Saturday), 2:00 p.m. – 5:05 p.m.
Fee:	FREE for HKSMS members Non-members can register upon joining HKSMS
Registration Deadline:	20 March 2015 (Friday)

Details are as followed:

Schedule	Topics	Speaker
2:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.	Registration at LT-9, Blue Zone, Podium Floor, Academic 1, The City University of Hong Kong	
2:30 p.m. – 3:15 p.m.	“Fundamental of MS-based Protein Analyses: Fragmentation of Peptide Ions”	Dr. Andy C.K. Siu <i>Department of Biology and Chemistry, The City University of Hong Kong</i>
3:15 p.m. – 3:35 p.m.	Coffee break	
3:35 p.m. – 4:20 p.m.	“A pragmatic perspective on shotgun proteomics: a guide to a successful experiment”	Dr. Pei-Jing Pai <i>Department of Chemical and Biomolecular Engineering, The University of Science and Technology</i>
4:20 p.m. – 5:05 p.m.	“Data analysis in shotgun proteomics : practical tips from an insider”	Dr. Henry Lam <i>Department of Chemical and Biomolecular Engineering, The University of Science and Technology</i>

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