



AASP Newsletter

June, 2025

From the Executive Committee

To improve communication and foster a spirit of community among all members of AASP, the Executive Committee has decided to revive the publication of a newsletter outlining important events organized by AASP and other pharmacy organizations in the Asia-Pacific region. The newsletter will be issued periodically to inform and update our members and encourage their active participation. All AASP members are encouraged to provide their opinions and feedback on AASP events and functions, news items from their countries, such as pharmacy-related conferences or forums. All information can be sent to the AASP Executive Director through the AASP Secretariat (email: aasp.sec@outlook.com).

Message from the President

The AASP Newsletter has not been published for a long time. To revive more intense communication from AASP to members, as well as sharing information between members, this newsletter needs to be revitalized. By reissuing the AASP newsletter, it is expected that many important information can be obtained by members. For the next publication, profiles of AASP members will be displayed, including information and opportunities for collaboration between members in education and research.

Appointment of Executive Director

To improve the daily operation of ASP, the Executive Committee decided to appoint an Executive Director to oversee the daily operation of AASP and, together with the Executive Committee, to provide strategic direction to advance the vision and mission of AASP. Dr. Shu Chuen Li from Australia was appointed and took up this role since 1 July 2024. Dr. Li has extensive experience in various fields of pharmacy, including hospital and community pharmacy, government drug policy and regulation, and pharmacy education in Australia and the Asia-Pacific region. For details of Dr. Li's background, please visit our AASP website (<https://www.aaspnet.org/executive-directors-profile>).

The 12th AASP Conference and AASP 25th Anniversary Celebration

An important event organised by AASP in 2025 is the 12th AASP Bi-Annual Conference. The conference will

be hosted by Nihon Pharmaceutical University, Saitama, Japan, from 2-4 August 2025. The theme for the conference is "Pharmacy Education for Global Health: Shaping Leaders for Another 25 Years".

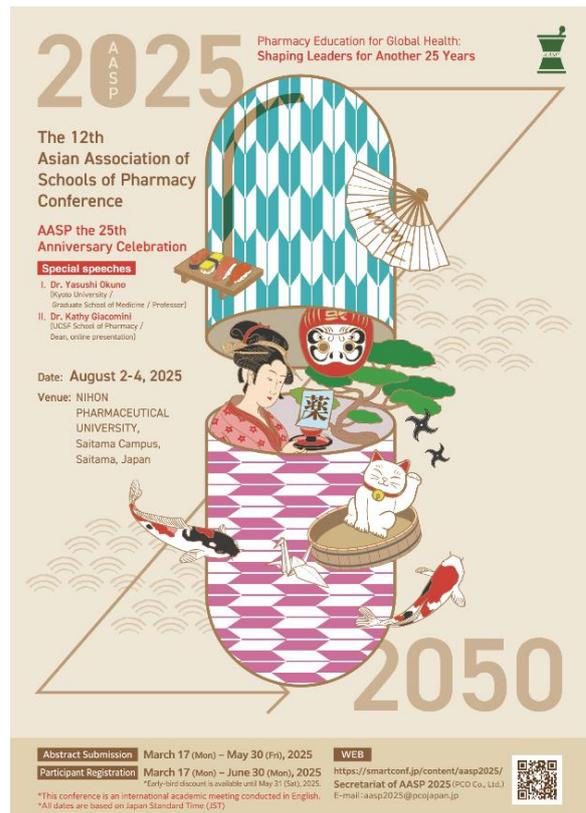


Figure: Official flyer of the 12th AASP Conference and 25th Anniversary Celebration, to be held on August 2-4, 2025, at Nihon Pharmaceutical University, Saitama, Japan

Furthermore, this year will also mark the 25th Anniversary of the formation of AASP, and a celebration will be held concurrently at the conference. This is a milestone event for AASP as an organization, and we hope all AASP members can join us for the celebration.

Information and Registration for the Conference and Celebration are available at the conference website (<https://smartconf.jp/content/aasp2025/>).

AASP members can enjoy a discounted registration fee, and the deadline for early bird registration is 31 May 2025.

All members are strongly encouraged to participate and are invited colleagues and interested parties from their countries to join the conference and celebration.

The 2nd AASP-PECT Summer School

After the success of the 1st AASP-PECT Summer School held in 2024 at Chulalongkorn University in Bangkok, Thailand, AASP-PECT will be holding the 2nd AASP-PECT Summer School from 15 to 28 July 2025. The host will be again be Chulalongkorn University in Bangkok, Thailand. Pharmacy students from various years of study will have a wonderful opportunity to experience pharmacy teaching from international experts in a different environment and a good opportunity to network with pharmacy students from other countries. Feedbacks from students who participated in the 1st Summer School were very positive, and they considered the experience gained from the Summer School valuable in their pursue of pharmacy as their profession.

Accommodation will be available at a subsidised rate by Chulalongkorn University, and the number of participants is capped at 80. Information and application for the Summer School are available from: aasp-pect@chula.ac.th (see flyer below).

Members are urged to disseminate the information and encourage their students to apply for the Summer School as soon as possible.

Call for Manuscript Submission to Journal of AASP (JAASP)

You may already know that AASP has an official journal that aims to document and advance pharmacy research work that significantly contributes to pharmacy education, pharmacy practice, and biopharmaceutical science etc. In addition to full research papers, JAASP also publishes invited articles, reviews and short communications dealing with the said fields.

AASP members are encouraged to submit manuscripts for publication in JAASP, and encouraged to act as reviewers for the journal whenever invited by the editor. Information for submission of manuscripts can be obtained from: jaasp@aaspnet.org.

Further AASP Events planned beyond 2025

In addition to the events for 2025, we have two events planned for 2026. One is the AASP Education Forum that will be held in later part of 2026 in Kuala Lumpur, and will be hosted by Monash University Malaysia.

The other will be the 2nd AASP Young Scientists Conference, and it will be hosted by Wenzhou Medical University in China.

More details of these events, when available, will be announced in future newsletters.

Call for Host for 13th AASP Conference in 2027

Besides events for 2026, we also need to plan for the 13th AASP Conference in 2027. Therefore, we would like to invite all AASP members and their institutions to consider applying to host the event in 2027.

To assist interested parties in applying to host the 13th AASP Conference in 2027, the Executive Committee has prepared a Standard Operating Procedure document explaining the detailed requirements for the host. The document is available upon request from the AASP Secretariat (aasp.sec@outlook.com).

AASP-PECT SUMMER SCHOOL 2025
Elevate Your Pharmacy Education in Thailand!
on July 15 - 28, 2025
at Faculty of Pharmaceutical Sciences,
Chulalongkorn University, Bangkok, Thailand

Join us!

- Gain valuable insights from leading experts
- Expand your global network in the field of pharmacy
- Explore the rich culture of Thailand

Apply now!
Open until June 6, 2025
Limited to 80 participants!

PROGRAM PACKAGE

01 STANDARD PACKAGE 20,000 THB
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(Limited to 70 participants)

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(Limited to 10 participants)

Scan the QR code (using Gmail account) for course information, registration details, and to upload your payment confirmation.

Remarks :
1. Airfare, transportation, additional accommodation, insurance, and personal expenses are not included.

For More Information, Please Contact:
International Affairs Office,
Faculty of Pharmaceutical Sciences,
Chulalongkorn University, Bangkok, Thailand

at email :
aasp-pect2025@pharm.chula.ac.th

Figure: Flyer of the 2nd AASP-PECT Summer School, which will be held on July 15–28, 2025, at the Chulalongkorn University, Bangkok, Thailand

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