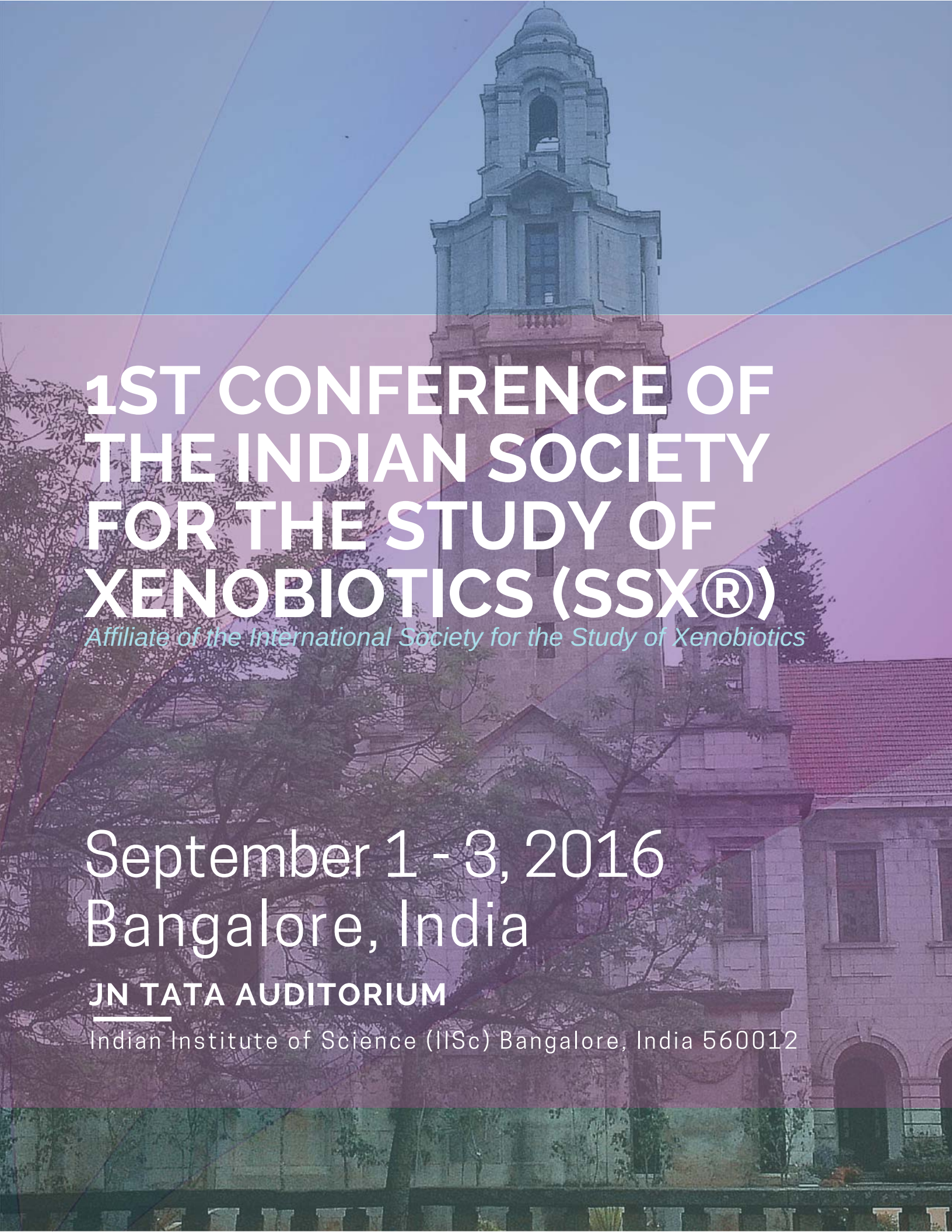




1ST CONFERENCE OF THE INDIAN SOCIETY FOR THE STUDY OF XENOBIOTICS (SSX®)

Affiliate of the International Society for the Study of Xenobiotics

September 1 - 3, 2016
Bangalore, India

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Indian Institute of Science (IISc) Bangalore, India 560012

The Indian Society for Study of Xenobiotics (SSX®) is pleased to announce its inaugural conference in Bangalore, September 1-3, 2016. The program will feature renowned speakers in drug metabolism, pharmacokinetics and toxicology, short courses, poster sessions, round-table discussions, mentoring sessions for students and young scientists, a vendor exhibition and numerous networking opportunities. SSX anticipates more than 200 attendees for this conference, with representation from academia, industry, CROs, government research institutes and vendors.

Themes and Speakers

Four main themes have been finalized:

- Transporters
- Drug induced liver injury/mechanisms of drug-induced toxicity
- Pharmacokinetics/pharmacodynamics relationships, Modeling and Simulation
- Drug-drug interactions/Personalized Medicine

Confirmed Speakers

- Pieter Annaert, Professor in Pharmaceutical Sciences at KU Leuven, Belgium
- Tom Baillie, Professor and Dean Emeritus, University of Washington
- Kenneth R. Brouwer, Chief Scientific Officer at Qualyst Transporter Solutions
- Bruce Car, Vice President, Bristol Myers Squibb
- Eric Chan, National University of Singapore
- Charles Crespi, Business Director Discovery Labware at Corning Life Sciences
- Subrata Deb, Assistant Professor, College of Pharmacy at Roosevelt University
- Peter Fan, Group Leader, Genentech
- Griff Humphreys, Executive Director, Bristol-Myers Squibb
- Masoud Jamei, Vice President, Research and Development, Simcyp/Certara
- Albert Li, President and CEO In Vitro ADMET
- Punit Marathe, Executive Director, Bristol-Myers Squibb
- Sonia de Moraes, Director, Drug Metabolism & Pharmacokinetics LC, AbbVie Inc.
- Sujit Nair, Professor of Pharmaceutical Sciences, Amrita University
- Sheila Peters, Head of Translational Quantitative Pharmacology at Merck Serono
- Jasminder Sahi, Senior Director DSAR AP at Sanofi
- Jae-Gook Shin, Professor of Pharmacology/Clinical Pharmacology, Inje University, Busan, South Korea
- Mike Sinz, Senior Research Fellow, Bristol-Myers Squibb
- Raju Subramanian, Research Director, Amgen
- Magnus Ingelman-Sundberg, Department of Physiology and Pharmacology, Karolinska Institutet
- Jash Unadkat, Professor, University of Washington
- Larry Weinkers, Vice President and global head of Amgen PKDM

View the meeting website at www.issx.org/ssx/meeting

Abstract Submission

Abstract authors for poster presentations are invited from diverse areas of drug metabolism and pharmacokinetics (DMPK) including in vitro/ in vivo/ in silico aspects of absorption, distribution, metabolism, excretion and toxicity (ADMET), drug-drug/drug-herb interactions, transporters, pharmacokinetics/pharmacodynamics and modelling, pharmacogenomics/personalized medicine, analytical methods in DMPK and regulatory aspects of DMPK. Best student abstract will be selected for oral presentations in the scientific sessions. Three posters will be selected for recognition in the Poster Award Competition.

Maximum Length and Format: 300 words with the subsections of title, affiliation, background and objectives, methods, results and discussion, conclusion. Abstracts due by July 15, 2016.

[Submit an abstract at www.issx.org/ssx/abstracts](http://www.issx.org/ssx/abstracts).

Mentorship Program

SSX is committed to helping students and young scientists understand and explore research and career options that could help achieve their full potential by providing them mentorship opportunities from senior drug metabolism and pharmacokinetics (DMPK) scientists from academia and industry. Graduate students and young scientists will be paired with senior DMPK researchers so that they can get the opportunity to network, get research and career advice, and establish relationships that could help them in many aspects of their career. Participants in the mentorship program will be chosen on the basis of the submitted abstract and a short questionnaire.

[Complete a mentorship form at www.issx.org/ssx/mentor](http://www.issx.org/ssx/mentor).

Parallel Short Courses

- Course 1: Basics and Applications DMPK Principles (biotransformation, transporters, clinical pharmacokinetics, and biosimilars)
- Course 2: Full Day Workshop by SIMCYP

Registration Fees (all prices in Indian Rupees - INR)

Short Courses: September 1

- Industry: 5,000
- Academia: 2,500
- Student: 1,000

Meeting Registration: September 2 - 3

	Early Registration April - July 15	Regular Registration after July 15
• Industry:	11,000	15,000
• Academia:	7,500	10,000
• Student:	2,000	4,000

[Register now at www.issx.org/ssx/register](http://www.issx.org/ssx/register).

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About SSX®

The Indian Society for the Study of Xenobiotics (SSX) is an affiliate society of the International Society for the Study of Xenobiotics (ISSX). It shares the same charter as ISSX and was created to share knowledge and training information related to ADMET sciences. SSX also functions to provide a forum for Indian DMPK/ADMET scientists to meet and exchange ideas. In addition to hosting an annual conference, SSX will hold local discussion group meetings and will offer e-learning opportunities. It is the goal of SSX to build collaboration between scientists in academia and industry by providing a common platform. SSX will also attempt to foster DMPK/ADMET education in Indian universities by providing opportunities, exposure, and funding in these allied fields.

Important Dates

- Abstracts due: July 15, 2016
- Early bird registration ends: July 15, 2016
- Conference short course: September 1, 2016
- Conference main course: September 2 and 3, 2016

About Bangalore

Bangalore is the capital of the Indian state of Karnataka. It has a population of about 8.42 million making it the third most populous city in India. Located in southern India on the Deccan Plateau at a height of over 900 m above sea level, Bangalore is known for its pleasant climate throughout the year. Bangalore is famous for fast paced life, delicious food, wonderful people, beautiful gardens, fun nightlife and amazing shopping. It is also being the biggest hub for information technology and biotechnology companies in India and is hence an extremely multicultural city. Bangalore is well connected with an international airport and numerous rail and bus stations. There is a lot to see and do, so you might want to plan staying for an extra day or so. If you can stay longer, there are a number of trips within a short drive or flight from Bangalore.

Bangalore is a short 3-4 hr drive from several places of cultural and historic significance such as Mysore, Belur and Halebid which are famous for their ancient temples, palaces and forts. Bangalore is a short 3-5 hour drive from several national parks, forests and mountains with one of the highest densities of tigers, leopards and elephants in the world (Coorg, Kabini, Bandipur, Nagarhole, Mudumalai, Chikmagalur, Wayanad). The Western Ghats is a UNESCO world heritage site and has been designated as a biodiversity hotspot. Hampi, a UNESCO world heritage site, famous for its ancient palaces and forts is an 8 hour drive. Bangalore is equidistant from the east and west coast of India (1 hour flight or 8 hour drive) where lovely beaches and luxury resorts are popular with Indian and western tourists (Kovalam, Kochi, Chennai, Pondicherry).