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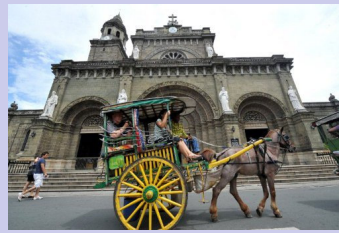
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Asian Federation of Biotechnology (AFOB) REGIONAL SYMPOSIUM 2017

(ARS 2017)

in conjunction with

**DOST East Asia 4th National
Workshop 2017**

**1st ANNOUNCEMENT and
CALL FOR PAPERS**

**“New Innovations and Emerging
Technologies in Asian Biotechnology”**



**4th Floor, Henry Sy Building,
De La Salle University
Manila, Philippines
(February 9-11, 2017)**

The 8th AFOB Regional Symposium 2017 (8th ARS 2017) is an annual event of Asian Federation of Biotechnology (AFOB). This time, the ARS 2017 will be hosted by the Chemical Engineering Department, Gokongwei College of Engineering, De La Salle University in coordination with DOST-PCIEERD and Asian Federation of Biotechnology from February 09-11, 2017.



Scope of the Symposium

Scope covers all areas of research within the emerging technologies in Biochemical, Biotechnology, Biosciences and Biological Engineering. The topics cover the fields of Biochemical Engineering, Biotechnology, Biosciences and Chemical Engineering topics related to Bioprocesses and Bioreactor Engineering. Contributions for oral and poster presentations in the following areas are welcome:

- Biochemical and Bioprocess Engineering
- Materials and Nanotechnology
- Agricultural Biotechnology
- Applied Microbiology
- Biopharmaceutical and Medical Biotechnology
- Biocatalysis and Protein Engineering
- Environmental Biotechnology
- Renewable Bioenergy

DEADLINES

- **October 15, 2016:** First Announcement
- **December 10, 2016:** Second Announcement
- **December 15, 2016:** Abstract Submission
- **December 30, 2016:** Full Manuscript Submission
- **February 9-11, 2017:** Symposium

Registration fee*

Foreign participants

Regular fee	US\$300
Student fee	US\$150

Philippine-based participants

Regular fee	P3,500
Student fee	P1000

Submission of abstracts

Interested authors are requested to submit via email extended abstracts of maximum 300 words not later than **15th December, 2016**. The official language of the conference is English. The abstract should state clearly the objectives, results and conclusions to properly assess the scope and nature of the paper.

Submission of Full Paper

For the accepted Abstracts, a full paper should be submitted online by **30th December, 2016**. Final acceptance will be based on the complete manuscript. Selected paper submission maybe published in the **Biotechnology Journal** supported by AFOB.

Submission of Poster

Poster executive summary should be emailed to the ARS 2017 Secretariat: jurex_gallo@yahoo.com on or before **December 15, 2016**.

For **guidelines** and **format**, please refer to the conference website:
<http://www.dlsu.edu.ph/conferences/Asian-Federation-Biotechnology>

All submissions should be emailed to
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The Objectives of the Symposium:

1. To provide a venue where best practices in Biotechnology are shared;
2. To serve as springboard for new areas of research in Biotechnology;
3. To sustain the strong partnership and linkages among AFOB members and collaboration with non-members institutions, industry and government.
4. To present the recent advanced research results among scientists of universities, institutes, companies in the Philippines and other countries under AFOB's partnership.