Dear <<First Name>> <<Last Name>>

Attention all YPG members!

We've got to say this for you

If you are planning to attend the 2018 FIP Congress, register by 15 May 2018 (23.59 CET) and benefit from the early bird rate.

### FULL CONGRESS REGISTRATION

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**Are you a recent graduate or student? You get an extra special discount!**

In order to qualify for the student/recent graduate fee, **two conditions must be met**:

(1) You must still be a student or have graduated from your last pharmacy study after September 2013.

(2) You must attach to your online registration an **official document (.jpeg/.gif/.bmp/.png, max. 200Kb)** proving your student/recent graduate status.

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Unless the congress registration office has received satisfactory proof of your student status, the **regular registration fee will apply.** For any registration problems, please contact FIP@mci-group.com.
Interview with a YPG Member Co-chairing a Session at the FIP Congress: Dr. Prateek Jain tells us why we should attend the FIP Congress

Dr. Prateek Jain
- YPG member since 2011 -

Please, introduce yourself briefly to YPG members.

I received my PhD and Masters in Pharmaceutical Biotechnology from Manipal University, in the areas of cancer biology and formulation technology. During my doctoral studies, I published more than 10 peer reviewed papers and presented my work at many international conferences across the globe, with numerous fellowships and grants from the government of India. Presently, I live in New Delhi, India, where I work for a multi-national bio-pharma consultancy, on disease based high-value market analysis reports.

You were also a speaker during the YPG Session at the 2017 FIP Congress in Seoul. What motivates you to be actively involved with the FIP Congress?

I have been an active member of FIP since 2011, and so far, I have attended seven FIP world congresses. I was the project coordinator of FIP-YPG in 2014-15. I also served as the president of Manipal University Student’s Research Forum and chaired an international conference in collaboration with FIP and AAPS. I was a speaker at the FIP 2017 congress in Seoul, where I addressed the young pharmacists on the future vision of pharmacy and potential directions. What brings me back each year to the FIP congresses is my amazing pharmacy friends from around the world, the warm FIP staff, and my...
You will be a co-chair and will also speak during the session titled 'Breakthroughs in Pharmaceutical Nanotechnology for Oral Delivery of Anticancer Drugs' at the 2018 FIP Congress in Glasgow. Can you tell us about the session briefly?

This year at FIP Glasgow, the YPG has been given an opportunity to organize a big science and knowledge-based session on 'Breakthroughs in Pharmaceutical Nanotechnology for Oral Delivery of Anticancer Drugs'. I am honored to be a co-chairperson of the session alongside Dr. Linda Hakes. The session is on Wednesday September 5, 9AM-12PM. Hundreds of practicing pharmacists, pharmaceutical scientists, young researchers, students, academicians, and industrialists, will gather to exchange ideas and discuss the trends of the biopharma industry during this session. Speakers during the session will address the audience on the key challenges that can be overcome to make chemotherapy at home a reality for patients. The learnings can enlighten the researchers to innovate new strategies for oral drug delivery of anticancer drugs.

The session showcases the following topics:

- **Pharmacokinetic considerations and challenges in oral anticancer drug delivery**
  by Prof. Geoff Tucker (University of Sheffield, UK)

- **Novel materials in oral anticancer drug delivery, where are we?**
  by Dr. Prateek Jain (Biopharma Insights, Decision Resources Group, India)

- **Novel formulations and the biopharmaceutical challenges of oral cancer therapy**
  by Dr. Gavin Halbert (Strathclyde University, UK)

- **Socio-economic benefits of chemotherapy at home: The future**
  by Dr. Sandeep Parsad (PGY2 Oncology, University of Chicago Medicine, USA)

Click [here](#) for more information about this session.

**What do you think is the value of the FIP Congress to young pharmacists and pharmacy students?**

The FIP Congress is a great platform to get inspired by the great pharmacy professionals who have been practicing for decades. It is also an opportunity to connect with peers and learn about different cultures. The UK is one such destination. We highly encourage the young pharmacists and pharmaceutical scientists to attend the congress at FIP Glasgow and meet us at the session. Finally, I would like to convey to my colleagues that these are exciting times for our generation. Keep an open mind, broaden your learning horizon, attend conferences/workshops/webinars, use technology to increase efficiency, and utilize modern resources as much as possible. See you at Glasgow!
The Young Pharmacists Group (YPG) was officially established as a network of FIP in 2001, but young pharmacists have been a part of FIP for many years. The aim of the YPG is to encourage young pharmacists to get actively involved in international pharmacy and within the sections and organisation of FIP.