



SIG on New Generation of Pharmaceutical Scientists Annual Report 2024

SIG accomplishments during the 2024 calendar year

- During 2024 NGPS collaborated with the Early Career Pharmaceutical Scientist Group (ECPG), FIP HaMIS, SAPS, IPS, FIP Technology Advisory Group, HPS, and New Medicines SIG for the 82nd FIP World Congress in Capetown, South Africa. Specifically, NGPS participated in the following sessions in Capetown: LSSU-01- First Timers Meeting, PSTU-11 – Pharmacovigilance: Redefining medicine and vaccine safety using technological innovations, and PSWE-04- Combatting Malaria: New horizon of drug discovery and treatment landscape in Africa.
- We also continued our social media program highlighting what is a pharmaceutical scientist and careers within pharmaceutical sciences around the world with interviews from early career pharmaceutical scientists that aired on the NGPS and FIP social media channels.
- The NGPS SIG has continued to actively engage on social media and promote FIP events and content relevant to young pharmaceutical scientists. The NGPS LinkedIn group has grown to 845 global members.
- The NGPS leadership team consisted of Dr Brian Cicali (interim chair), Dr Sifei Han (vice-chair), Dr Maria Virginia Giolito (vice-chair), Dr Clement Haeck, and Dr Khalid Garba Mohammed. We plan on recruiting 1-2 more steering committee members this upcoming year.
- We have continued to engage with ECPG and welcomed a new ECPG Liaison: Ms Sabita Rimal.

SIG goals for the 2025 calendar year

- Goal #1: Continue collaborations with ECPG activities: ECPG Virtual Summit, Pharmaceutical Sciences Career Toolkit, and Career highlights in Pharmaceutical Sciences Program.
- Goal #2: Significantly contribute to the new strategic development plan in collaboration with FIP and FIP's Board of Pharmaceutical Sciences. Specifically, with webinar development (1 planned) and 2025 World Congress proposals (4 submitted), among other opportunities.
- Goal #3: Continue to expand the NGPS community via LinkedIn and other outlets, including, establishing partnerships with other pharmaceutical sciences groups around the world.

Part B: Input into the 2022 FIP annual report

The FIP annual report covers activities from January to December 2022.

The provisional theme of the annual report this year is: **"One FIP: United for a healthier world"**.

FIP HQ would like to highlight selected SIG activities in its annual report. To facilitate effective integration of your accomplishments in this report, please fill in the box below.

As well as being a promotional tool, an annual report can be used as an internal document to record achievements as well as challenges. You may consider acknowledging substantial contributions of individuals who were instrumental in initiating/completing important tasks relevant to your SIG members. In addition, to recognising and thanking people, an annual report can also serve as a medium to motivate and inspire people to contribute to the goals of the Board of Pharmaceutical Science (BPS).

- In two or three sentences, please highlight one activity that relates to the provisional theme of the annual report **"One FIP: United for a healthier world"** and describe its impact/outcomes. We greatly appreciate quantitative information if available.
- For the above activity, please provide a positive quote that can be used in the annual report. This quote could be from a person within or external to FIP. It should say something good about FIP/the SIG and why the activity was beneficial. It should reflect well on FIP's work without being overly promotional.

Quote:

Person's name, including title (Prof, Dr, Mr, Mrs, Ms):

His or her job/role title:

Email address (so we can contact for a photo if needed):

(For example, in the 2014 annual report (p. 14), the signing of a memorandum of understanding between FIP and Monash University was mentioned. So for the activity (the signing of memorandum), the form would be as follows:

Quote: "Monash University is thrilled to partner with FIP as a means to broaden the reach and scope of the SABER platform to support pharmacy teaching and learning environments through the auspices of FIP."

Person's name, including title (Prof, Dr, Mr, Mrs, Ms): Prof Bill Charman

His or her job/role title: Dean of the Faculty of Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Sciences, Monash University, Melbourne, Australia

Email address (so we can contact for a photo if needed): Bill.Charman@.....)

Last year's annual report is accessible at

<https://www.fip.org/publications?publicationCategory=18&publicationYear=&publicationKeyword=>, should you wish to refer to it.