National Seminar on:
“Ethnopharmacology: Perspectives for Development of Ayurveda”

March 19, 2016

Venue:
National Research Institute of Ayurvedic Drug Development (NRIADD) Auditorium Bidhannagar, Kolkata

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In association with
Society for Ethnopharmacology (SFE)

We would like to invite you to join the seminar on:

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Registration form:
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Registration charge Rs 200/- should be paid in Cash/DD/ Cheque drawn in favour of Society for Ethnopharmacology payable at Kolkata along with duly filled application form

* Registration includes seminar kit, Tea, Lunch & participation Certificate.
* No TA/DA will be provided to the participants

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About the Seminar:

Traditional Medicines (TM) are practiced in an ancient manner mostly indigenous to a country or region. This system has evolved by several indigenous peoples on the basis of religious beliefs and social edifies for the maintenance of their own healthcare system through exploring the natural resources. Traditional Medicine includes Ayurveda, Unani Siddha, and Homeopathy (AYUSH) from Indian systems of medicine (ISM), traditional Chinese medicine (TCM) from China and several other systems derived from different cultural perspectives. It is quite popular among people due to their health benefits, traditional beliefs, economical advantage, easily available and religious and social consciousness. TM systems lack proper scientific validated data and improper regulatory basis which are the major challenges for the development and promotion. Scientific validation and quality control of TMs are a critical and essential for assuring the therapeutic efficacy, safety and to rationalize their use in the healthcare. Thus TM requires the confluence of modern techniques and integrated approaches for the validation of botanicals.

The Ethnopharmacology based study deals with the exchange of traditional information and understandings about the Ayurveda and their biological as well as pharmacological activities based on the principles established worldwide. Many valuable drugs (e.g., aspirin, atropine, curcumin, catechin, ephedrine, tubocurarine, digoxin, reserpine, taxol etc.) have been explored from TMs.

This multi-disciplinary conference will provide an ideal platform for interaction, debate, fusion and dissemination of ideas between emerging young researchers, students and professionals. We cordially invite you to participate in the seminar to make the deliberation a great success. We wish you all a very effective scientific interaction and hope to have a meaningful meeting.

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Targeted audience:

We welcome all the academicians, students, teachers and researchers from university, institutes, health-care practitioners, NGOs, cultivators of medicinal plants and all other who are interested in the promotion and development of medicinal plants to join in this event to share their views and expertise.

Call for Abstract:

We welcome scientific oral and poster presentations from the young researchers in the area of Ethnopharmacology & Ayurveda. All the abstracts should be submitted by e-mail as attachment at sfeindian@gmail.com within March 15, 2016. The abstracts should be written by Microsoft word in “.doc” or “.docx” (250 words).

All accepted abstracts will be published in the e-proceedings of the seminar.