

Tampere, 15<sup>th</sup> December, 2009

Dear Members of EPHAR Societies,

The 16<sup>th</sup> World Congress of Basic and Clinical Pharmacology (**WorldPharma2010**), Copenhagen, 17-23 July, 2010.

In year 2010, the most important event in European pharmacology will be the 16<sup>th</sup> World Congress of Basic and Clinical Pharmacology – WorldPharma2010 - which will be held in Copenhagen in July, in the same congress centre currently hosting the World Climate Change Conference. WorldPharma2010 is a unique congress in two ways. Firstly, it bridges basic and clinical pharmacology and provides updated information about the hottest topics in the field. Secondly, the congress combines the benefits of a specialized and broad spectrum scientific meeting. The scientific program is organized in 18 focused conferences which will last 2-3 days and cover the most important areas of basic and clinical pharmacology. In addition, there will be 26 plenary lectures, 25 workshops, poster sessions, satellite symposia and much more. The full program with 500 invited top international speakers may be viewed on [www.worldpharma2010.org](http://www.worldpharma2010.org).

EPHAR will celebrate its 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary in WorldPharma2010. The EPHAR Lecture on Thursday afternoon will be given by Thomas Lönngren, Director of European Medicines Agency EMEA, and it will be followed by the prize presentations to the winners of EPHAR Young Investigator Awards, as well as a wine reception. In addition, EPHAR will arrange a workshop “New opportunities in the pharmacology of neuro-immune interactions”.

The WorldPharma2010 homepage [www.worldpharma2010.org](http://www.worldpharma2010.org) is now open for the registration, abstract submission and hotel booking.

**Deadline for submission of abstracts is 15<sup>th</sup> January, 2010.**

Don't miss out on World Pharma 2010! It will be a scientifically stimulating and rewarding experience, and an opportunity to meet old friends and make new acquaintances and to savour the atmosphere of Copenhagen.

Looking forward to seeing you in Copenhagen,



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