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PRESENT

INTERNATIONAL POSTGRADUATE RESEARCH AWARDS

SEMINAR (InPRAS2016)

7th – 8th March 2016
UNIVERSITY OF MALAYA
KUALA LUMPUR, MALAYSIA

CATEGORIES AND AWARDS:

Molecular Biology (Masters & Ph.D)
Biotechnology (Masters & Ph.D)

CASH PRIZES will be awarded

Registration fee: RM120

ABSTRACT SUBMISSION AND
REGISTRATION DEADLINE:
29th JANUARY 2016

For further information:
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Instructions for Participation

- 1) All currently registered postgraduate students are eligible to participate.
- 2) Students may choose to make an oral presentation or a poster presentation. Only those doing **oral presentations** are eligible for the competition.
- 3) The oral presentation competition will be held in two categories: Molecular Biology and Biotechnology, at two levels: Masters and Ph.D. levels.
- 4) Up to ten oral presentations will be selected from each category to compete at the seminar.
- 5) There are four monetary awards available for the best oral presentation, one for Masters students and one for PhD students in each category, i.e., 2 (1 Masters and 1 PhD level) for Molecular Biology and 2 (1 Masters and 1 PhD) for Biotechnology.
- 6) Each entry must be accompanied by an extended abstract of 3 - 6 pages, including, title, author(s), abstract, introduction, objectives, methodology, results, figures & tables, discussion, conclusion and references. The extended abstract should be in Times New Roman, font size 12, with a line spacing of 1.5 and saved in **Word (.doc) format**. Selected abstracts will be presented either orally or as poster presentations.

Oral Presentation Instructions: Students will be given 10 minutes to make their presentations and 10 minutes for questions and answers.

Poster Presentation Instructions: Posters should be a maximum of 59.4Wx 84.1H cm (A1 size), and will be placed on easels in the viewing areas.

- 7) A soft copy of the extended abstract together with the registration form must be emailed to inpras2016@gmail.com.
- 8) The closing date for submission of extended abstracts is extended to **29th January 2016**, 5pm.
- 9) Registration fee
 - (i) A registration fee of RM120 must be paid before **29th January 2016**. Fees are inclusive of programme materials, coffee breaks and lunches.
 - (ii) Full refund will be given if abstract is not accepted.
 - (iii) Cancellations and refund requests will not be entertained.
 - (iii) The payment must be made before **29th January 2016** to the following account and **email the receipt of payment to the Secretariat:**

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Payee: Malaysian Society for
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- (iv) Costs for travelling to and from the seminar, accommodation, preparation of the paper, leave application, etc., are the responsibility of the candidates. The Organizing Committee bears no responsibility for entries lost in the mail.

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Extended Abstract Template

General format information: Use Times New Roman, font size 12, with a line spacing of 1.5; All headings must be in bold and in uppercase; Sub-headings of the sections must be in bold and in sentence case.

TITLE

Last Name, Initial (s)¹, Last Name, Initial (s)² (Name of presenter should be underlined)

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ABSTRACT

INTRODUCTION

OBJECTIVES

METHODOLOGY

RESULTS

Tables and figures are placed within the body of the results section. All figures and tables must be numbered, accompanied by a suitable caption, and be mentioned in the text in the correct numerical order. Figure number and caption must be placed **below** the figure; table number and caption must be placed **above** the table.

Use Times New Roman, font size 12 with single line spacing for figure/ table captions.

DISCUSSION

CONCLUSION