

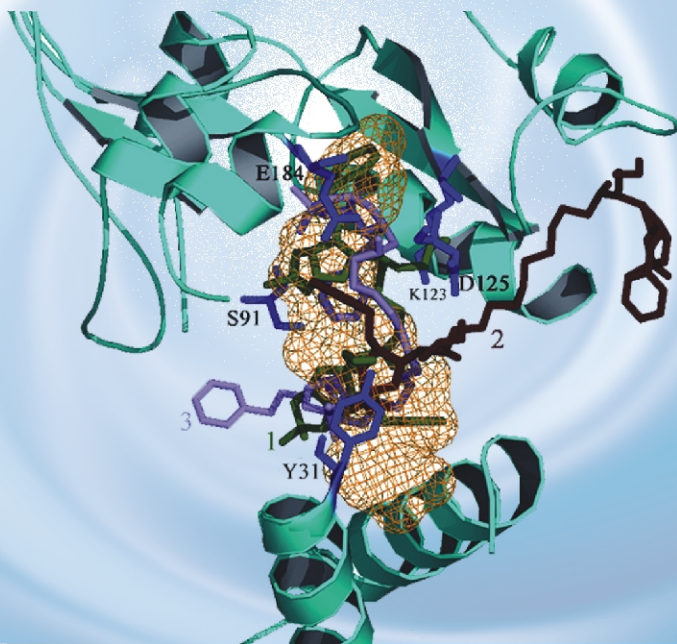
First Announcement

# CTDDR-2007

3rd International Symposium on

## Current Trends in Drug Discovery Research

17<sup>th</sup>-21<sup>st</sup> February 2007



**Central Drug Research Institute**

Chattar Manzil, Post Box No. 173, Lucknow-226001 (INDIA)

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The 3<sup>rd</sup> International symposium titled “Current Trends in Drug Discovery Research” (CTDDR-2007) is being organized in the spirit of the 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> CTDDR (2001, 2004) symposia from 17<sup>th</sup> through 21<sup>st</sup> February 2007. Contributions are solicited from researchers who have experiences in the field of drug discovery & development using classical, novel, or emerging techniques. The deliberations shall be divided into three broad areas: **Concepts, Methods and Issues**. A preliminary classification of sub-areas for discussions is proposed as follows.

### ● Concepts

- Diversity of Drug-Like Molecules
- The Nature of Drug Targets
- Drugs and Targets in the Bio-phase

### ● Methods

#### ● *In silico* and Computational Approaches

- Systems Biology
- Macromolecular Structure
- Drug Design and SAR

#### ● Generating Chemical Diversity

- Chiral Catalysis
- Asymmetric Synthesis
- Isolation of Natural Products

#### ● Discovering New Drug Targets

- Cellular and Molecular Approaches
- Gene and Protein Arrays
- Multiplex Assays
- Throughput Scales

#### ● Evaluating Drug Targets

- Solitary Biomolecules and Physiological Networks: Genomics, Proteomics and Metabonomics
- Whole organisms and in vitro systems: Organs, Tissues and Cells

#### ● Candidate Drugs

- Screening Methodologies
- Modes and Mechanisms of Action
- Drug Action at the Molecular Level
- Pre-clinical Evaluation
- Safety and Toxicity
- Drug Delivery
- Clinical Trials: Design and Data Interpretation

### ● Issues

- Profitability and Public Good
- Ethics: Attitudes towards Animals and Humans
- Regulation and Governance

## Lucknow

A sprawling historical city on the banks of river Gomti, Lucknow is the capital of Uttar Pradesh. A beautiful city of gardens, once noted for its Nawabi culture and famous for its handicrafts and mangoes is now an important education center in northern India with several biomedical R&D institutions and academic centers.

## Venue

Central Drug Research Institute a constituent laboratory of CSIR is a premier center for drug research in India.

## Climate

Lucknow is moderately cold in mid February and participants are advised to bring warm clothing. Day Temp. 15-22C° and Night Temp. 8-15C°

## Accommodation

Hotel accommodation in Lucknow is available in the range of Rs. 900/- to 5500/- per day. Limited guesthouse accommodation is also available for invited Indian participants, on first come first served basis.

## Official Language

English would be the official language of the symposium.

## Correspondence

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*Organizing Secretary*

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## Registration Fee

Interested persons are requested to complete the enclosed registration form, which should reach us before 30<sup>th</sup> Oct. 2006.

### **Foreign participants**

Private organization & industry	US\$ 500
Comprehensive for 5 participants*	US\$ 2000
Academic	US\$ 400
Student & Post-Doc.	US\$ 250
Accompanying person	US\$ 250

### **Participants from SAARC region**

Private organization & industry	(INR) Rs. 7000
Comprehensive for 5 participants*	(INR) Rs. 30000
Academic	(INR) Rs. 3000
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Accompanying person	(INR) Rs. 1500

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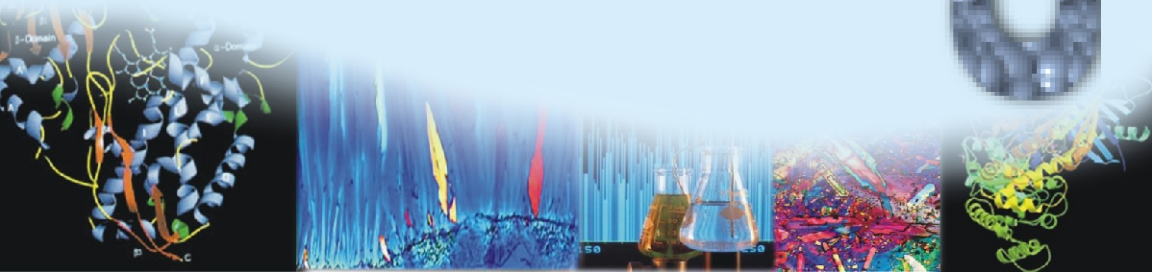
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## Registration Form

### Current Trends in Drug Discovery Research

February 17-20, 2007

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Ms./Mr./Prof./Dr.

**Full Name**

**Address**

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I intend to make a poster/oral presentation

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I am enclosing the registration amount

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