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Dear Friends,

It is our great pleasure to share with you the exciting information that the Asia Pacific Congress of Allergy, Asthma and Clinical Immunology 2013 (APCAACI 2013) will be held at the Taipei International Convention Center in Taiwan from November 14 to 17, 2013.

This tri-annual congress, with the major theme "Allergy, Infection, and Immunity in a Changing World", will be the most substantial congress among allergy, asthma and clinical immunology fields of our region this year. It will provide all participants an opportunity to exchange knowledge, share ideas and collaborate on new researches to strengthen and development the advancements we've achieved this far, thereby, improving clinical care and treatment of allergic diseases in our Asia Pacific region and throughout the world.

Taipei is an energetic city blended with modern technologies and historical cultures. We wish to invite each and every one of you to come and participate in this Congress and experience the warm hospitality and the rich cultural heritage of beautiful Island of Formosa. Please plan to attend and contribute to this important event in our APAAACI calendar. We wish you an enjoyable and valuable experience in Taipei!

Jiu-Yao Wang

Chair

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■ Important Dates

Abstract Submission Deadline: June 30, 2013

Acceptance Notification: August 30, 2013

Early Bird Registration Deadline: September 30, 2013

■ Best Paper Award

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1. Basic immunology 9. Immunotherapy

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All the interested participants are welcome to submit abstracts on-line at www.apcaaci2013.org

Plenary Speakers

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