



## BRITISH SOCIETY FOR PROTEOME RESEARCH

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### **NEWSLETTER – January 2014**

#### **BSPR – Functional Proteomics - Nottingham December 2013.**

The meeting held at the beginning of December at the East Midlands Conference Centre was extremely successful and well attended. The venue was excellent, the scientific programme superb, and the food probably the best ever at a conference. We thank the trade sponsors for their support; their logos will remain on our website in the coming year. A photographic record of the meeting will shortly appear on our website. And there are a few spare copies of the Conference Programme book available for any member unable to attend the meeting (contact the Hon Treasurer).

Award winners at the meeting were:

Early Career Investigator Award: Hanqing Liao (Manchester)

Poster Prize Winner: Lauri Peil (Edinburgh)

Highly Commended: Debbie Cunningham (Birmingham) & Rebecca MacKenzie (Manchester)

M J Dunn Travel Award winners: Brian Flatley and Lisa Staunton (Dublin).

#### **ProteoMMX : Strictly Quantitative, March 25 – 27, 2014**

In 2014, our meeting will be in association with ProteoMMX which will be held at the Queen Hotel, Chester from Tuesday 25 March (afternoon) through Thursday March 27 (morning). BSPR will be sponsoring the keynote speaker and prize awards at this meeting and will also be awarding some student bursaries (see below). For further information and registration: [www.proteommx.org](http://www.proteommx.org).

#### **Student Bursaries for ProteoMMX 2014.**

The Society is pleased to be able to announce that it will be awarding a number of bursaries of £200 to student members to assist them in attending this conference. Further information together with an application is available on our website. Closing date for applications: Mon 20<sup>th</sup> January 2014.

#### **New Directors**

At the AGM in Nottingham on 3<sup>rd</sup> December, 2013, we welcomed Peter Wolstenholme and Karl Burgess to the Board of Directors and the Management Committee. A complete list of directors and management committee members, together with their contact details, is on our website.

#### **EuPA Summer School, July 2013, Italy.**

Two of our members, Bogusia Pesko and Snezhana Akpunarilieva (Glasgow) were given awards by the Society to enable them to attend the EuPA Summer School on Advanced Proteomics. The reports of our awardees are now on our website.

#### **BSPR Lecturer – Juri Rappsilber**

Juri Rappsilber (Edinburgh) has been appointed the BSPR Lecturer for 2014. BSPR will be funding Juri to attend various institutions throughout the UK to give lectures on proteomics. If your institution would like to include Juri in your forthcoming seminar programme, contact the BSPR Secretary, ([secretary@bspr.org](mailto:secretary@bspr.org))

#### **Annual General Meeting 2014.**

The 2014 AGM will be held at the Queen Hotel, Chester in March at the same time as the ProteoMMX. Calls for nominations and further details will be circulated to members in good standing shortly.

#### **Membership Renewal 2014.**

Subscriptions for 2014 are due on 1<sup>st</sup> January 2014. If your sub is not paid by Standing Order, our membership secretary will be contacting you early in the New Year.