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(NAPPSA)**

**2010 Annual Scientific Conference and Exposition**

**September 16 - 19, 2010**

*Conference Theme*

*Building a Global Pharmaceutical Reach: Emerging Strategies and  
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## THURSDAY SEPTEMBER 16, 2010

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12:00 Noon – 5:00 pm      Registration

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### GENERAL SESSION

4:00 pm – 7:00 pm      Session # 990: Pharmacy Practice Open Forum (3 hours CE) (Venue TBD)

**Topic: State of Pharmacy Practice and Education in Nigeria**

**Session Panelists:**

*All Speakers*

*Cyril Usifoh; Ph.D., Dean, Faculty of Pharmacy, University of Benin, Benin, Nigeria*

*Elijah Sokomba, Ph.D. FPSN, ---Chairman, Pharmacists Council of Nigeria (PCN), Abuja, Nigeria*

*John Nwaiwu, Ph.D, FPSN –Chairman, Board of Fellows and President & CEO, JB Pharmaceuticals, Lagos, Nigeria*

*Ifeanyi Atueyi, FPSN, Publisher, Pharma News, Lagos, Nigeria*

*Pharm. J.E.B. Adagadzu, FPSN, FPCPHARM, Director, Department of Food and Drug Services, Federal Ministry of Health, Abuja - Nigeria.*

*Bolade Oduntan, Acting Registrar, Pharmacists Council of Nigeria (PCN), Abuja, Nigeria*

**Session Moderators** – *Emelia Orubele, R.Ph., President & CEO, American Nigerian International Chamber of Commerce, Norcross, GA., USA and Nkere K. Ebube, Ph.D., Director, Technical Operations, Alpha Pharmaceuticals, Piscataway, NJ., USA.*

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7:15 pm                      Moderators' Meeting

7:30 pm                      Welcome Reception & Networking - *Emmanuel Omehe, RPh, President, Heritage Pharmacy, Inc., Garland, Texas*

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## FRIDAY SEPTEMBER 17, 2010

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7:00 am – 7:45 am      Breakfast

7:00 am – 5:00 pm      Registration

**8:00 am - 5:00 pm**      **Consular Services (Provided by the Nigerian Consulate, Atlanta)**

7:45 am                      Opening Ceremony (Venue: TBD)

**Welcome Remarks:** *Nnodum Iheme, R.Ph., President, Nigerian Association of Pharmacists and Pharmaceutical Scientists in the Americas (NAPPSA) Inc., Cincinnati, OH, USA.*

8:00 am – 9:00 am      **Session # 100: Keynote Presentation** (1 hour CE) (Venue: TBD)

**The Evolving Pharmaceutical Landscape - Challenges and Opportunities** – *Linus N. Igwemezie, PhD., MBA, Vice President and Global Head, New Products Strategy, Novartis Pharmaceutical Corporation, Florham Park, NJ, USA.*

8:50 am – 9:00 am Q&A and Audience Interaction

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9:00 am – 9:15 am Break

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### GENERAL SESSION

**9:15 am – 12:15 pm** **Session # 200: Strategies for Transforming the Nigerian Pharmaceutical Sector** (3 hours CE)

9:15 am #201: **NAPPSA Implementation Committee Roadmap** – *Yetunde Taiwo, Ph.D., Director, Global External Research & Development, Lilly Research Laboratories, Indianapolis, IN., USA.*

9:45 am #202: **Review of Global Pharmaceutical Trends** – *Oluwole O. Odujinrin, MD., MPH, FACP., President & Chief Medical Officer, Customized Therapeutics, Altadena, CA, USA*

10:15 am #203: **Nigerian Pharmaceutical Industry Update** – *Joseph I. Odumodu MFR, Managing Director and Chief Executive, May & Baker Nigeria Plc, Ikeja, Lagos, Nigeria*

10:45 am #204: **Strengthening Developing Countries to Detect Counterfeit and Sub-standard Medicines** - *Patrick Lukulay, Ph.D., Director, Drug Quality and Information, United States Pharmacopeia, Rockville, MD., USA.*

11:15 am #205: **Overcoming the Challenges of Regulatory Filing and Pharmaceutical Supply in Nigeria** – *Ariz Madukwe, B. Pharm, Director, Registration and Regulatory Affairs, National Agency for Food and Drug Administration and Control (NAFDAC), Abuja, Nigeria.*

11:45 am – 12:15 pm Panel Discussion and Audience Interaction

**Session Panelists:**

*All speakers*

*Uford Inyang, Ph.D., Former Director-General and CEO, National Institute for Pharmaceutical Research and Development (NIPRD), Abuja, Nigeria.*

*Ngozi Erundu, M.D., Ph.D., Senior Director, Clinical Development, TB Alliance, New York, NY., USA.*

**Session Moderator** – *Henrietta Ukwu, M.D., Senior Vice President and Head, Global Regulatory Affairs, Pharmaceutical Product Development (PPD) Inc., Wilmington, NC, USA.*

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12:15 pm Lunch Break

12:15 pm – 3:00 pm Exhibition and Poster Session

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### PARALLEL SESSION (Pharmaceutical Science)

**3:00 pm – 5:00 pm** **Session #300: Creating a Regulatory Environment for Pharmaceutical Innovation** (2 hours CE)

- 3:00 pm #301: **Regulatory Update on Conducting Clinical Trials in Nigeria** – *Paul B. Orhii, MD., Ph.D., J.D., Director-General, National Agency for Food and Drug Administration and Control (NAFDAC), Abuja, Nigeria.*
- 3:30 pm #302: **Creating a National Health Innovation System in Nigeria** – *Kevin C Urama, Ph.D., Executive Director, African Technology Policy Studies (ATPS), Nairobi, Kenya.*
- 4:00 pm #303: **African Network for Drugs and Diagnostics Innovation (ANDI) Initiative: Opportunities and Challenges** – *Solomon Nwaka., Ph.D., Leader, Drug Discovery & Innovation Research, TDR, World Health Organization, Geneva, Switzerland.*
- 4:25 pm #304: **US Regulatory and Scientific Considerations for Approval of Dermatological Products** – *April Braddy, Ph.D., Lead Pharmacologist, DBE I, Center for Drug Evaluation and Research, U.S. FDA, Rockville, MD., USA*
- 4:50 pm – 5:00 pm Q&A and Audience Interaction
- Session Moderator** – *Sam Yonren, MD, Vice President, Global Medical Safety, Alcon Laboratories, Inc., Fort Worth, TX., USA*

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**PARALLEL SESSION (Pharmaceutical Care/Practice)**

- 3:00 pm – 5:00 pm** **Session #350: Pharmacy Business 101** (2 hour CE)
- 3:00 pm #351: **Pharmacy Transition – Considerations for Buying and Selling a Pharmacy in Today's Economy** - *Jimmy Neil, BA, MBA, Vice President, Pharmacy Transition & Strategy Cardinal Pharmaceutical Distribution, Sacramento, CA, USA*
- 3:25 pm #352: **Pharmacy Reimbursement: Managed Care and Healthcare Reform** – *Dino J. Dibella, Vice President, Managed Care, H.D. Smith, Springfield, IL, USA*
- 3:50 pm #353: **DMEPOS Accreditation for Pharmacies: What, Why, and How?** – *Geoff Krueger, RRT, RCP, President Proactive Solutions HME Consulting LLC, Toledo, OH, USA*
- 4:15 pm #354: **Niche Pharmacy Services** – *Greg O. Imoohi, PharmD., R.Ph., President, OB International Inc., San Bernadino, CA, USA and Winston Tinubu, R.Ph, Pharmacy Manager, Careplus/CVS Specialty Pharmacy, Miami, Fl, USA.*
- 4:40 pm – 5:00 pm Q&A and Audience Interaction
- Session Moderator** – *Emmanuel Ezirim, R.Ph, President, Central Point Pharmacy, Columbus, OH., USA.*
- 7.00 pm – 2am Young Professionals Reception

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**SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 18, 2010**

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- 6:30 am – 7:45 am Breakfast

7:00 am – 5:00 pm Registration

8:00 am - 5:00 pm Consular Services (provided by the Nigerian Consulate, Atlanta)

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### GENERAL SESSION

**8:00 am – 10:15 am** Session #400: Herbal Medicine and Botanicals (2 hours CE)

8:00 am #401: **Vernonia Amygdalina Leaf Extract Anti-Cancer Research: Preclinical, Translational, and Commercialistic Activities.**- Ernest B. Izevbigie, Ph.D., Professor of Biology/Biochemistry, Laboratories of Phytochemicals, Cancer Prevention & Therapies, Jackson State University, Jackson, MS, USA

8:30 am #402: **Ongoing Research on Phytomedicines: An Overview from NIPRD** - Prof. Karniyus Gamaniel, Ph.D., Director-General, Nigerian Institute for Pharmaceutical Research and Development, Abuja, Nigeria.

9:00 am #403: **Nigerian Herbal Products and their Place in Evidence-based Medicine** - O. Orafidiya, Ph.D., Prof of Pharmaceutical Sciences, Obafemi Awolowo University, Ile-Ife, Nigeria

9:30 am #404: **US Regulatory Approaches to Marketing Botanical Products** - Rajiv Agarwal, Ph.D., Senior Chemist, Office of New Drug Quality Assessment, OPS/CDER, US FDA, Rockville, MD, USA

10:00 am – 10:15 am Q&A and Audience Interaction

**Session Moderator** – Theo J. Gana, MD, Ph.D., President, Biopharmatech Consulting, Inc., Leesburg, VA., USA

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### PARALLEL SESSION (Pharmaceutical Science)

**10:15 am – 12:15 pm** Session #450: Pharmaceutical Excipients and Product Stability (2 hours CE)

10:15 am #451: **Pharmaceutical Excipients and Case Studies** – Carmen Popescu, Ph.D., Project Coordinator, Pharmaceutical Applications, Roquette America, Inc., Geneva, IL., USA.

11:15 am #452: **Trash to Treasure: Generation of Pharmaceutical Inactive Ingredients from Organic Agricultural Wastes** - Augustine O. Okhamafe, BPharm, Ph.D., Professor of Pharmaceutics & Pharmaceutical Technology, Faculty of Pharmacy, University of Benin, Nigeria

12:00 noon – 12:15 pm Q&A and Audience Interaction

**Session Moderator** – Olu Aloba, Ph.D., Director, Pharmaceutical Development, Warner Chilcott, Rockaway, NJ., USA.

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### PARALLEL SESSION (Pharmaceutical Care/Practice)

<b>10:15 am – 12:15 pm</b>	<b>Session #500: Pharmacy Practice (2 hours CE)</b>
10:15 am	#501: <b>Over-the-Counter (OTC) Update</b> - <i>Deetra Craddock, Pharm.D., Assistant Professor, Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center, Dallas, TX., USA.</i>
10:50 am	#502: <b>Skill-Set Requirements for Effective Healthcare Delivery in Nigeria</b> – <i>Julius Kpaduwa, MD, President, Association of Nigerian Physicians in America (ANPA), Diamond Bar, CA, USA.</i>
11:25 am	#503: - <b>Overcoming the Challenges of Distributing High Quality Products through The Nigerian Pharmaceutical Supply Chain</b> - <i>Azubuike Okwor, FPSN, FPCPharm, President, Pharmaceutical Society of Nigeria (PSN), Lagos, Nigeria.</i>
12:00 noon– 12:15 pm	Q&A and Audience Interaction  <b>Session Moderator</b> – <i>Eucharia Nnadi, Ph.D., J.D., VP, Academic Affairs and Program Planning, University of Southern Nevada, Henderson, NV., USA</i>
12:15 pm	Lunch Break
12:15 pm – 3:00 pm	Exhibition and Poster Session

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## GENERAL SESSION

<b>3:00 pm – 4:00 pm</b>	<b>Session #650: Biosimilars and Therapeutic Updates (1 hour CE)</b>
3:00 pm	#651: <b>Biosimilars and Follow-on Biologics: A Global Perspective</b> – <i>Simon Agwale, Ph.D., CEO, Innovative Biotech Inc., Frederick, MD., USA.</i>
3:25 pm	#652: <b>Approaches to Demonstrate Bioequivalence of Narrow Therapeutic Index Drugs</b> - <i>Barbara Davit, Ph.D., JD, Acting Director, Division of Bioequivalence II, Center for Drug Evaluation and Research, U.S. FDA, Rockville, MD., USA</i>
3:50 pm – 4:00 pm	Q&A and Audience Interaction  <b>Session Moderator</b> – <i>Eddy Agbo, D.V.M., Ph.D., Chairman &amp; CEO, Fyodor Biotechnologies, Inc., Baltimore, MD., USA.</i>
<b>4:10 pm – 7:30 pm</b>	<b>NAPPSA General Meeting and Elections</b>
<b>8:00 pm</b>	<b>Conference Banquet</b>

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## SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 19, 2010

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7:00 am – 8:00 am	Breakfast
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## GENERAL SESSION

<b>8:00 am – 9:00 am</b>	<b>Session #700: Women’s Health (1 hour CE)</b>
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8:00 am **The Basics of Women's Health** - *Lori Gore-Green, D.O., P.A., Founder, Obstetrics and Gynecology, Denton, TX., USA*

8:50 am – 9:00 am Q&A and Audience Interaction

**Moderator** – *Faustina Ohakwe, PharmD, Walgreens Garland, TX., USA*

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### PARALLEL SESSION (Pharmaceutical Science)

**9:00 am – 11:00 am** **Session #750: Pharmaceutical Science Research Updates** (2 hours CE)

9:00 am #751: **Application of Pharmacogenetics in Medicine** - *Majid Moridani, Pharm.D., Ph.D, Professor, Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center, Amarillo, TX., USA.*

9:35 am #752: **Does Overencapsulation Affect Disintegration and Dissolution?** - *Moji Christiana Adeyeye, Ph.D., Professor and Chair, Biopharmaceutical Sciences, College of Pharmacy, Roosevelt University, Schaumburg, IL, USA*

10:10 am #753: **Optimization of a Process for Extraction of a pH Sensitive Drug Substance from Complex Enteric-coated Tablet Systems.** - *Nonye Onyewuenyi, Ph.D., Senior Research Scientist, Center for Analytical Research, Pharmaceutical Products, Research & Development, Covidien, White Groves, MO., USA.*

10:45 am – 11:00 am Q&A and Audience Interaction

**Session Moderator** – *Richard Somiari, Ph.D., President & Chief Scientific Officer, ITSI-Biosciences, Johnstown, PA, USA.*

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### PARALLEL SESSION (Pharmaceutical Care/Practice)

**9:00 am – 11:00 am** **Session #800: Pharmacy Law and Regulations** (2 hours CE)

9:00 am #801: **REMS: New Tools for Managing the Risks and Benefits of Medications**– *Anthony G. Oladipo, PharmD, MPH, BCPS, Vice President, Global Drug Safety & Risk Management, ProStrakan, Inc, Bedminster, NJ, USA.*

9:35 am #802: **DEA Update on Regulations and Enforcement** - *Speaker TBD.*

10:15 am #803: **Legislative and Regulatory Updates** – *Greg Braylock, R.Ph., Former Board Member, Ohio Board of Pharmacy, and Board Member, NABP, Cleveland, OH., USA*

10:50 am – 11:00 am Q&A and Audience Interaction

**Moderator** – *Gbenga Olajide, RPh., President, Westside Pharmacy, Baltimore, MD., USA*

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### GENERAL SESSION

**11:00 am – 12:00 noon:** **Session #900: Cardiovascular Disease** (1 hour CE)

11:00 am #901: **Dyslipidemia, Atherosclerosis and Coronary Heart Disease** – *Sara Brouse, Pharm.D, BCPS, AQ-C, Associate Professor. Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center, Dallas, TX., USA.*

11:20 am #902: **Interventional Cardiology Update** – - *Leo Egbujiobi, R.Ph., M.D., Chief of Cardiology & Cardiac Surgery, Beloit Memorial Hospital, Beloit, WI, Clinical Professor of Medicine, University of Wisconsin School of Medicine and Public Health, Madison, WI., USA.*

11:50 am – 12:00 Noon Q&A and Audience Interaction

**Moderator** – *Nonye Nwaneri, PharmD., Clinical Pharmacy Specialist, Franklin Square Medical Center, Baltimore, MD., USA.*

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12:30 pm Closing Ceremony

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<b>Conference Registration Categories</b>	<b>ADVANCE By August 15, 2010</b>	<b>LATE From August 16 to On-Site</b>
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Student Member	\$100	\$125
Student Non-Member	\$150	\$175
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