



31st Philippine Chemistry Congress

Chemistry Beyond Borders: Blurring Traditional Boundaries

13-15 April 2016 | Iloilo City



Invitation

We are pleased to invite you to the 31st Philippine Chemistry Congress (31PCC), which will be held in Iloilo City on 13-15 April 2016.

The congress has been one of the largest, if not the largest, annual gathering of chemists and researchers from different parts of the country. It provides an avenue to highlight recent developments in research and innovation in the field of chemistry. It presents an opportunity for chemists from the academe, industry and government to share and exchange knowledge and experience, and to cooperate and collaborate in solving national problems.

The 31PCC highlights the theme **Chemistry Beyond Borders: Blurring Traditional Boundaries**. Chemistry, as a central science, has expanded in several directions, going beyond the classical limits of the discipline. Strong interaction with other fields of science broadened the scope of research and innovation in chemistry, expanding into the life sciences, materials and engineering sciences, mathematical and statistical sciences, and even the social sciences.

We look forward to welcoming you to Iloilo City, whose local culture and history can enrich our scientific and social interactions.

Congress Venue

The 31PCC will be held in The Iloilo Grand Hotel, Iloilo City.

Scientific Disciplines

Analytical Chemistry • Biochemistry and Molecular Biology • Natural Products Chemistry
Organic Chemistry • Polymer Chemistry • Physical Chemistry • Computational Chemistry
Inorganic Chemistry • Nanotechnology • Materials Science • Chemistry Education
Environmental Chemistry • Food Chemistry • Forensic Chemistry

Programme

The conference will feature plenary and keynote lectures by invited speakers. It will also involve concurrent symposia and poster presentations on the various areas of chemistry research and innovation.

Call for Papers

Participants are welcome to submit original unpublished papers on any conference-related topic for oral or poster presentation not later than **10 February 2016**. Oral presentations will be allotted a 20-minute period, while poster presentations will be exhibited for at least a one-day period. A registered participant may submit a maximum of 2 papers (one oral and one poster).

Please refer to **pcc.philippinechem.org** for guidelines and submission. Submission of abstracts is only through the conference website using the abstract submission form. Abstracts submitted through email or facsimile transmission will not be considered.

The submitted abstracts will be reviewed by a panel of evaluators, and the authors of accepted papers will be notified not later than **24 February 2016**. Presenting author must be officially registered not later than **10 March 2016**. Non-registration of presenting author, would mean non-inclusion of the paper in the Programme and Book of Abstracts.

Conference Registration

The registration fee entitles the participants to attendance at all scientific sessions, refreshments and lunch during the conference. Each registered participant will receive a set of conference materials including the Souvenir Programme and the Book of Abstracts.

	Pre-Registered (10 March 2016)		On-Site	
PFCS Members*	PHP	5,000.00	PHP	6,000.00
Non-PFCS Members	PHP	6,000.00	PHP	7,000.00
Students (Undergraduate)*	PHP	4,000.00	PHP	4,500.00
Foreign	USD	200.00	USD	250.00

*Proof of membership or student status must be uploaded together with the scanned copy of the machine-validated deposit slip during online registration.

Payments may be settled through bank deposit/wire transfer. Upload a scanned copy of the machine-validated deposit slip with your printed name during online registration. Please bring the original deposit slip to claim the Official Receipt (O.R.). Send the payment to:

Bank: Philippine National Bank (UP Campus Branch)
Account Name: KAPISANANG KIMIKA NG PILIPINAS
Account No: 002758302973

Cancellation of registration may be done in writing before **20 March 2016**. In this case, 50% of the conference fee may be refunded. No refund will be made if the cancellation notice is received after **20 March 2016**.

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The 31PCC is organized by Kapisanang Kimika ng Pilipinas (KKP) in cooperation with the KKP/ICP Panay Chapter and the Philippine Federation of Chemistry Societies (PFCS).

Important Dates

10 February 2016

Last Day for the Submission of Abstracts

24 February 2016

Notification of Acceptance of Paper

10 March 2016

Last Day of Registration of Presenting Authors
Last Day of Early Registration Discount

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