



ImmuPhar Section Activity Report

January 2019 – October 22, 2019

- Young Investigators Committee (YIC) of ImmuPhar Section:
 - Establishment of Committee approved by ImmuPhar ExComm. Initial members Hong Yong Peh (Chair), Daniel Tan, Luciana Taveres, Hadas Pahima
 - Twitter page for ImmuPhar was set up and is running. It is accessible at: <https://twitter.com/immuphar> (Luciana Taveres is managing the page)
 - New IUPHAR website: Hong Yong Peh is managing the page for the Section.
 - Reviews to be prepared by YIC members on following topics in the order listed:
 1. Immunopharmacology of airways (to be submitted to *Pharmacological Research*)
 2. Natural products & immunopharmacology (Asking the Natural Products Section to collaborate) (Perhaps for submission to *Pharmacology & Therapeutics* if done in collaboration with Natural Products Section)
 - First teleconference call held by committee.
 - Instagram account set up and managed by Hadas Pahima
 - Facebook page of Section is now managed by Luciana Taveres
 - Long-term goal of the YIC Committee is to organize training seminars, conferences and summer schools on various topics of immunopharmacology
- ImmuPhar Chair F. Levi-Schaffer participated in and gave keynote lecture at European Histamine and Respiratory Society annual meeting in Krakow, Poland, May 2019
- ImmuPhar Chair F. Levi-Schaffer participated in and gave the opening lecture at the 39th Spanish Society of Pharmacology in Las Palmas, July 2019. She was invited as a representative of ImmuPhar Section/IUPHAR.
- ImmuPhar Chair F. Levi-Schaffer to participate and give a lecture at 5th IUPHAR World Conference on the Pharmacology of Natural Products in Hyderabad, India, December 5-7, 2019
- ExComm member M. Ishii submitted review article to *Pharmacology & Therapeutics* with acknowledgement to Section.
- Section's COST Action Proposal was not approved
- FLS agreed to coordinate better interactions among different IUPHAR sections. To carry out this task she agreed to coordinate a once every two months TC with Section chairs or their designated representatives.