

Trip Report for International Conference

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Purpose: This travel was intended to attend the 15th Asian Congress on Biotechnology in conjunction with 7th International Symposium on Biomedical Engineering in Bali, Indonesia. This conference was organized by Asian Federation of Biotechnology, Indonesian Consortium on Biotechnology, and Research Center for Biomedical Engineering, University of Indonesia.

Report:

From 2 October until 5 October 2022, I attended 15th Asian Congress on Biotechnology which was done in Bali, Indonesia. This conference gathered many biotechnology scientists and students from mainly Asian countries. More than 20 invited speakers and 100 papers, both poster and oral, were presented in this conference. The conference was done in hybrid mode.

The conference was officially opened on 3 October by the President of University of Indonesia. Poster and oral presentation were mainly done on 4 and 5 October. There were 13 parallel sessions in this conference. I was assigned to present my oral presentation with the title “Rapid Screening of Monoclonal Antibodies against G Protein-coupled Receptor: Case Studies with Kisspeptin Receptor (GPR54)” on the 4 October under Biopharmaceutical and Medical Biotechnology session. I got several questions after presentation which showed great interest of my research. During the conference, I had many chances to talk with other researchers and students and shared interests about each other research. On the last day, there was awarding session. Although I did not become the winner, I am very grateful to have new connection with new colleagues whom I hope I could collaborate with in the future. Finally, I would like to thank Prof. Hideo Nakano for giving me the opportunity and GTR Program for the support for attending international conference.

