

# Pharmacogenetics in Context



A joint symposium of the Academy of Pharmaceutical Sciences and  
the Royal Pharmaceutical Society of Great Britain

Wednesday 4 June 2008 at the  
**Royal Pharmaceutical Society of Great Britain, London**

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Understanding the impact of genetic variability in drug response is an important component of the implementation of personalised medicine. However, rapid and widespread introduction of robust and acceptable genetic tests is yet to happen. This symposium will review the reasons for this and the current state of play with regard to the translation of research findings into clinical practice.

#### OUTLINE PROGRAMME

- **Conference Chair: Geoff Tucker, University of Sheffield**  
Co-Chair: Sanober Shaikh, Royal Pharmaceutical Society of Great Britain (RPSGB)
- **Introduction to personalised medicines**  
Geoff Tucker, University of Sheffield
- **New developments in methods of genetic analysis**  
Ian Craig, King's College London
- **Statistical issues in pharmacogenetics**  
Anke-Hilse Maitland-van-der Zee, University of Utrecht
- **You have found a genetic association - now what?**  
Clive Bowman, GlaxoSmithKline
- **Does genetic testing have a role in current drug therapy - Cardiovascular drugs**  
Munir Pirmohammed, University of Liverpool
- **Does genetic testing have a role in current drug therapy – Anticancer drugs**  
Matthias Schwab, Institute of Clinical Pharmacology, Stuttgart
- **Does genetic testing have a role in current drug therapy – CNS drugs**  
Kathy Aitchison, King's College London
- **Pharmacogenetics - A view from industry**  
Duncan McHale, Pfizer
- **Regulatory implications of pharmacogenetics**  
Krishna Prasad, Medicines and Healthcare products Regulatory Agency (MHRA)
- **Concluding remarks**  
Sanober Shaikh, RPSGB

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#### WHO SHOULD ATTEND

The symposium will be of interest to academics, industrial scientists and regulatory professionals, as well as clinical practitioners and those concerned about patient and physician acceptance of genetic testing of drug response.

#### VENUE

The Royal Pharmaceutical Society is conveniently located in central London with easy access from Waterloo, Vauxhall and Victoria rail and tube stations. Delegates should expect to register from approximately 09.15 and the meeting will close by approximately 17.00.

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