Special Interest Group (SIG)
on New Generation of Pharmaceutical Scientists (NGPS)
Annual Report 2022

SIG accomplishments during the 2022 calendar year

> ➢ During 2022, SIG NGPS presented a joint webinar with SIG New Medicines. The webinar "Combatting Malaria: New horizon of vaccines and drug discovery by young pharmaceutical scientists" was an exciting event highlighting the recent scientific advances to combat malaria and was an opportunity for young researchers to showcase their work alongside an established researcher. This webinar aligns well with the FIP goal to provide science-based knowledge on new and existing medicines.

> ➢ SIG NGPS have further collaborated with the Early Career Pharmaceutical Scientist Group (ECPG) to deliver a social event at the Seville Congress. The successful event was visited by young pharmacists that were able to network and listen to inspirational talks. This aligns well with the FIP goal of continued professional development, assisting young pharmacists and pharmaceutical scientists with opportunities to build and expand their professional networks.

> ➢ SIG NGPS have continued to actively engage on social media and promote FIP events and content relevant to young pharmaceutical scientists. In addition, throughout the webinar "Combatting Malaria: New horizon of vaccines and drug discovery by young pharmaceutical scientists" the SIGs Twitter platform was used to provide highlights live during the event. The NGPS Twitter account has now grown to 425 followers.

> ➢ The leadership team of SIG NGPS have continued to work on report to present the soft skill mapping survey. This work will continue in 2023.

SIG goals for the 2023 calendar year

- Goal #1: In collaboration with ECPG, launch a Social Media Series showcasing young pharmaceutical scientists, aiming to highlight what a pharmaceutical scientist is and do.

- Goal #2: Continue to contribute to scientific content through a webinar focused on AMR in collaboration with SIG New Medicines.

- Goal #3: Publication of the YPG-NGPS soft skill mapping survey results.