2\textsuperscript{nd} (Pro)renin Receptor Forum in Japan '09

—(pro)renin receptor and HRP—

Can scientists walk towards a common goal?
Similar story of "Blind Men and the Elephant?"

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Program

13:15  Opening remarks  Fumiaki Suzuki (Gifu University)

13:20  1st session  Chair: Hitomi (Kagawa University)
Takemasa Ichihara (Keio University)

1-1  \textit{In vitro} binding properties of prorenin to (pro)renin receptor
A.H.M. Nurun Nabi (Gifu University)

1-2  Role of (P)RR in chronic kidney disease
Takefumi Mori (Tohoku University)

Coffee Break

14:40  2nd session  Chair: Yamamoto (Hamamatsu University)
Kiyomoto (Kagawa University)

2-1  A novel function: PRR is secreted extracellular
Takaaki Senbonmatsu (Saitama Medical University)

2-2  Does prorenin and the (pro)renin receptor influence retinal development?
Jennifer L. Wilkinson-Berka (Monash University, Australia)

Coffee Break

16:00  3rd session  Chair: Senbonmatsu (Saitama Medical University)
Nakagawa (Gifu University)

3-1  The mysterious handle region peptide (HRP) does not block cellular (pro)renin receptor activation
Dominik N. Muller (Max-Delbrück-Center for Molecular Medicine, Germany)

3-2  Role of (P)RR in the vascular cell from the aspect of cellular signaling
Hirofumi Hitomi (Kagawa University)

3-3  Handle region peptide further inhibits the nephropathy occurred in hypertensive, diabetic rats treated with an ACE inhibitor
Atsuhiro Ichihara (Keio University)

17:45  Conclusion remarks  Fumiaki Suzuki (Gifu University)

18:00  Get together