

BIOGRAPHICAL DATA

Name: Shun-ichi Yamada

Born: August 13, 1915

Died: April 21, 1996.

Education:

1936-1940 Pharmaceutical Institute, Faculty of Medicine, Tokyo Imperial University (now the Graduate School of Pharmaceutical Sciences, University of Tokyo) (Bachelor's degree in 1940)

1951 Received Ph. D. degree

Professional:

1940-1945 Military service

1946-1957 Research chemist at Tanabe Seiyaku Co., Ltd.

1957-1959 Director of Tokyo Research Laboratory, Tanabe Seiyaku Co., Ltd.

1960-1976 Professor, Faculty of Pharmaceutical Sciences, University of Tokyo

1968 Dean, Faculty of Pharmaceutical Sciences, University of Tokyo

1971-1972 Vice-President, Pharmaceutical Society of Japan

1976- Professor Emeritus, University of Tokyo

1976-1986 Professor, Faculty of Pharmaceutical Sciences, Josai University

Awards:

1975 Academic Prize of the Pharmaceutical Society of Japan

1978 Naito Foundation Research Prize

1980- Honorary member of the Pharmaceutical Society of Japan

1988 The Order of the Rising Sun, Gold Rays with Neck Ribbon

1995 Japan Academy Prize

1996 Fourth Grade, Junior of the Court Rank

Activities in Scientific Communities:

1971-1972 Vice-President, Pharmaceutical Society of Japan

1983 Founded the Japan Research Foundation for Optically Active Compounds.

1995 Founded the Yamada Prize.