

# AAPS Update

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## AAPS Membership Offers Numerous Benefits

AAPS can help you stay informed and connected, as you move your career forward and save money.

### Stay Informed

- ▶ Sections
- ▶ Focus Groups
- ▶ Discussion Groups
- ▶ Student Center
- ▶ AAPS Meetings, Workshops, and Short Courses
- ▶ AAPS Press and Publications
- ▶ A Portfolio of Scientific Journals
- ▶ *AAPS Newsmagazine*
- ▶ Key Links
- ▶ AAPS 101

### Networking Opportunities

- ▶ Make new professional contacts
- ▶ Interact with your scientific peers
- ▶ AAPS Member Net
- ▶ Mentoring Program

### Career Advancement

- ▶ Awards Programs/Peer Recognition
- ▶ Scholarships/Grants/Travelships
- ▶ AAPS Career Center
- ▶ AAPS Online Job Listings

### Money Saving Opportunities

- ▶ Registration discounts at AAPS Scientific Workshops, Short Courses, and Meetings
- ▶ Enjoy special savings on journal subscriptions and AAPS Press Publications
- ▶ AAPS Job Listings
- ▶ Twenty-five percent off all Springer book purchases

## 2007 AAPS National Biotechnology Conference

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**June 24–27, 2007**

San Diego Convention Center  
San Diego, CA

The week begins with a repeat of the very popular two-day AAPS Training Course: Development and Validation of Quantitative Ligand Binding Assays. Also, three separate Open Forums will be conducted. The week proceeds through the full 2007 AAPS National Biotechnology Conference programming, then, concludes with three short courses; an additional short course will also be held before the conference begins.

The 2007 programming consists of a Plenary Session, Symposia, Roundtables, Posters, and Hot Topics. This conference will also feature a fully operational, and complimentary, Career Center, which will include job postings, a resume database, and interview facilities. Additionally, a full Exposition Hall will be hosting major companies.

The 2007 AAPS National Biotechnology Conference is designed to provide a complete educational event allowing each and every attendee the ability to customize their experience with the goal of advancing health through innovations in biotherapeutics.

For more information, please visit  
<http://www.aapspharmaceutica.com/nationalbiotech>



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## AAPS Ligand Binding Assay Training Course: Development and Validation of Ligand Binding Assays to Support Pharmacokinetic Assessments of Biopharmaceuticals

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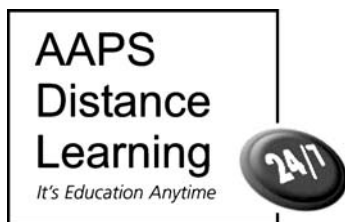
### Goals and Objectives:

- ▶ Even though this training course will include LBA theory, it will emphasize practical aspects of LBAs to enable attendees to apply learning immediately following course completion. We will provide an intensive learning experience for the basic principles and regulatory (GLP) considerations of LBAs to support the bioanalysis of biopharmaceuticals.
- ▶ The course spans all LBA stages from method conception, through design/optimization, validation, and implementation with test samples (preclinical through clinical) and statistical considerations.
- ▶ We will cover important aspects of LBAs for quantitative determination of therapeutic proteins and monoclonal antibodies in biological matrices.
- ▶ This course is intended for current pharma./biotec BS/MS lab scientists who perform or have an interest in developing/performing LBAs, recent graduates/new hires who wish to perform LBAs, non-lab scientists and professionals who want in-depth LBA training, pharmacokineticists who utilize LBA data, and regulatory professionals in the biotec field.

For more information and to register, please visit <http://www.aapspharmaceutica.com/lbatc>

## AAPS Offers Distance Learning Opportunities

AAPS offers a series of distance learning programs that innovate and manage distance learning opportunities for AAPS members and the scientific community.



Visit <http://www.aapspharmaceutica.com/dl> for complete details on all Distance Learning programs.

## Upcoming AAPS Meetings

Log onto [www.aapspharmaceutica.com/meetings](http://www.aapspharmaceutica.com/meetings) for details.

### ▶ May 21-23, 2007

AAPS Workshop on BE, BCS, and Beyond  
Bethesda North Marriott Hotel & Conference Center  
North Bethesda, MD

### ▶ June 23-24, 2007

AAPS LBA Training Course  
San Diego Marriott Hotel & Marina, San Diego, CA

### ▶ June 24-27, 2007

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San Diego Convention Center, San Diego, CA



### ▶ November 10, 2007

AAPS Workshop on Stress Testing and Degradation Chemistry  
San Diego, CA

### ▶ November 12-16, 2007

2007 AAPS Annual Meeting and Exposition  
San Diego Convention Center, San Diego, CA

## Have an Idea for a Meeting?

To submit a proposal for a workshop or themed meeting, use the submission form at [www.aapspharmaceutica.com/meetings/meeting\\_proposal.asp](http://www.aapspharmaceutica.com/meetings/meeting_proposal.asp).

