## Regional Report

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## The 6th Annual Meeting of Good Practice in Traditional Chinese Medicine Research Association



The meeting addressed the current challenges and opportunities that face the global development of TCM:

- Availability and quality of the genetic resources used in TCM
- Regulatory environment associated with modern drug development
- Advances in analytical technique that further our understanding of the complex mixtures used in TCM
- Standardization quality and safety of TCM
- New guidelines of, and evidence from clinical studies
- Integration of acupuncture

#### Aims of conference:

- 1. To provide an overview of new methods that can be used to enhance our knowledge about plants and fungi used in TCM.
- 2. To identify what evidence is needed to further the development of TCM in the West.
- 3. To identify key issues associated with the supply and quality of plants and fungi used in TCM and how this could be improved.
- 4. What are the regulatory challenges that TCM faces in the East and West and how could these be addressed?
- 5. What are the commercial opportunities for quality TCM products in China and the West: how can scientists help?



All activities are published in the

## **Newsletters**

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#### The June 2018 Newsletter of The GP-TCM Research Association



Editorials

1. Honoring the 500<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Li Shizhen (李村市): A Season of Celebration



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On May 26°, a group of over 800 scholars, scientists and leaders from around the world came together in Li Shizhen's hometown of Qichun to honor the man behind the Ming dynasty masterpiece, the Ben Cao Gang Mv (本時期日) (Compendium of Materia Medica). While enthusiasm for the 500° anniversary celebration of Li Shizhen had been building for years among experts in the field of Chinese materia medica, none were prepared for the pinnacle event that was to come. Beyond the sights and ceremony itself, it felt as though the celebration marked a moment in history, an event that we will one day look back on as the pivotal moment when Li Shizhen moved into the mainstream.





The name of Li Shizhen and his Ben Cao Gang Mu have been wellknown for centuries among scholars and medical scientists in both the East and West, but recent years have seen a spike in interest in LL, and his profound contributions are attracting more and more attention worldwide. For example, the Ben Cao Gang Mu was listed in UNESCO's Memory of the World Register in 2011, and LI Shizhen was honored at the UNESCO Center in Paris to mark the 500° anniversary just before the main event in Ochsun (\$2.80).



Why all the passion for a doctor that lived 500 years ago? In many ways, Li Shizhen embodies the

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## Elaboration of Monographs for TCM herbs by the European Pharmacopoeia (since 2008)

**TCM-Working Party** 

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# Elaboration of Monographs for TCM herbs for the European Pharmacopoeia 欧洲药典的中草药专著的确立和发展

• >70 Monographs adopted by the Eur. Pharmacopoeia Commission

欧洲药典委员会已接纳>70篇专著

• Ca. 30 attributed to Specialists 约30人取得专家资格认证

- Monographs published as drafts in *PHARMEUROPA* 篇论文作为草案在欧洲药典官网上发表
- Monographs for General Methods 通用方法论著:
- -Chapter on processing: published 加工制作: 已发表
- -Test for asristolochic acids: published 马兜铃酸的检测: 已发表
- -Test for pyrrolizidine alkaloids: pending 咯烷类生物碱的测试: 待定

## | Knowledge Database



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Monograph Number

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**English Name** 

Chinese lovage (root and rhizoma)

French Name Livèche de Chine (racine et rhizome de)

**Latin Name** Angelicae sinensis radix

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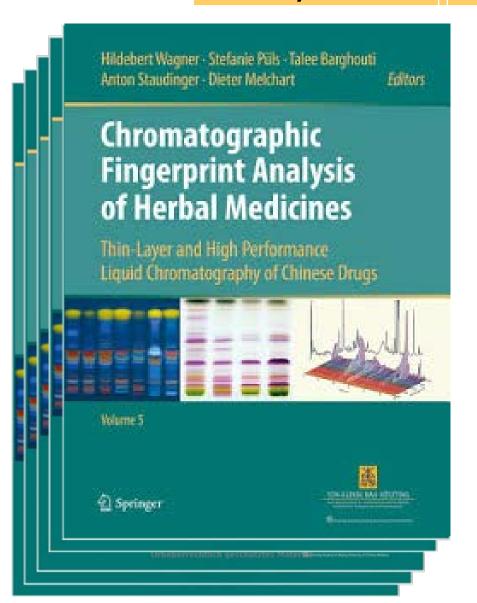
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## **TLC and HPLC methods** for quality control of **Chinese herbs**

- Monographs for analytical investigation of >140 Chinese herbs (in 5 Volumes)
- TLC, HPLC and GC analytical methods
- TLC results are shown in numerous colour figures.
- Bioactive constituents, pharmacological and biological activities as well as their therapeutic applications are outlined



University of Cagliari Prof. Enzo Tramontano



Pathogens and Disease, 75, 2017, ftx065

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Lupeol from *Hemidesmus* indicus inhibits HIV-1 Ribonuclease H activity binding to a novel RT binding site

SHORT COMMUNICATION

#### Multi-target activity of Hemidesmus indicus decoction against innovative HIV-1 drug targets and characterization of Lupeol mode of action

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One sentence summary: This article describes a promising approach to treat HIV-1 with a multi-pronged mechanism, targeting both the RT associated RNase H and RNA dependent DNA polymerase activities and the a-glucosidase.

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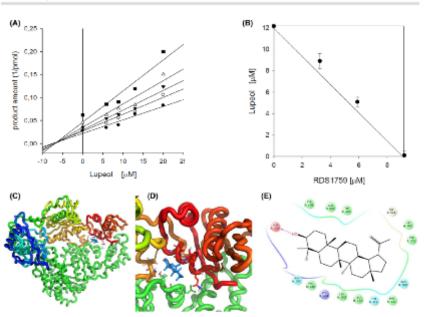


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**University of Cagliari Prof. Enzo Tramontano** 





RESEARCH ARTICLE

Prenylated phloroglucinols from *Hypericum* scruglii, an endemic species of Sardinia (Italy), as new dual HIV-1 inhibitors effective on HIV-1 replication

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scruglii inhibit HIV-1 replication Targeting both Ribonuclease H and Integrase activities

Compounds from *Hypericum* 

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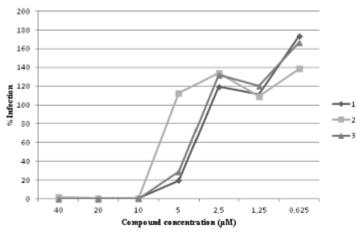


Fig 4. Antiviral activity of compounds 1, 2 and 3 on HIV AD8 laboratory strain in TZM-bl cells. Cells were infected with 300 TCID50/ml, and treated with compounds isolated from H. sarughi at seven different concentration. EC<sub>10</sub> values ranged from 3.5 to 8 µM. Only active compounds were shown.

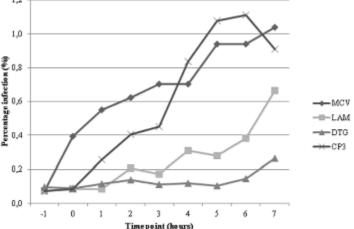


Fig. 5. Time-of-addition assay. The target of the antiviral compound 3 (Cp3) was identified by comparing its activity in the time scale to those of reference drugs: Maraviroc (MCV, entry inhibitor), Lamivudine (LAM, RT inhibitor), Dolutegravir (DTG, IN inhibitor). Cp3 was ineffective once the virus retrotranscribed its genome.



**University of Cagliari Prof. Enzo Tramontano** 

Communications





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#### Natural Product Kuwanon-L Inhibits HIV-1 Replication through Multiple Target Binding

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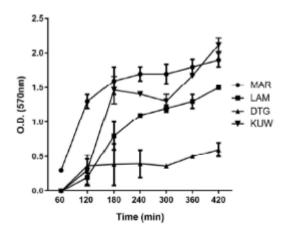


Figure 1. TOA assay. MAR: maraviroc. LAM: lamivudine. DTG: dolutegravir. KUW: kuwanon-L. O.D: optical density measured on TZM-bl indicator cell lines 48 h post-infection by use of the CPRG assay. Means ± SEMs of two independent experiments. Each compound was tested in quadruplicate in each experiment.

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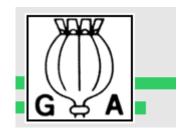
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## PHYTOLAB Some International Involvements



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**TCM Research** Cluster Austria





Anti-inflammatory potential of TCM drugs - new bioactive compounds and quality issues

Theory, Methodology, and Structure of TCM in Respect to Lifestyle Related **Diseases** 

Sino-Austrian TCM Research on Lifestyle-Related Diseases -Innovative Acupuncture Research



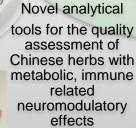
Life Style Associated Diseases - the Potential of TCM and MM for the treatment of colorectal cancer

Sino-Austrian TCM research on lifestyle related diseases

Interaction of Chinese herbal medicine with the human intestinal microbiome in order to treat and prevent lifestyle related diseases



**Evaluation of Chinese** herbal medicine therapy of lifestyle related diseases: Myocardial infarction. prostate cancer and depression - from biomedical research to translational medicine



Identification of natural products from Paridis rhizoma (Chonglou) as liver X receptor (LXR) and farnesoid X receptor (FXR) ligands















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#### Sino-Austrian TCM research on lifestyle related diseases

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	04	Assoc. UnivProf. Dr. Adelheid H.  Brantner, Institute of Pharmaceutical Sciences / Pharmacognosy, University of Graz	Prof. Baolin Bian, Institute of Chinese Materia Medica, CACMS	Sino-Austrian TCM research on lifestyle related diseases: Research on the ancient Chinese medicinal formula Fang Feng Tong Sheng as modern therapeutic against gout
	05	UnivProf. Dr. Verena Dirsch, Department of Pharmacognosy, University of Vianna	Prof Dr. Huimin Gao, Institute of Chinese Material Medica, CACMS	Identification of natural products from Paridis rhizoma (Chonglou) as liver X receptor (LXR) and farnesoid X







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#### Sino-Austrian TCM research on lifestyle related diseases

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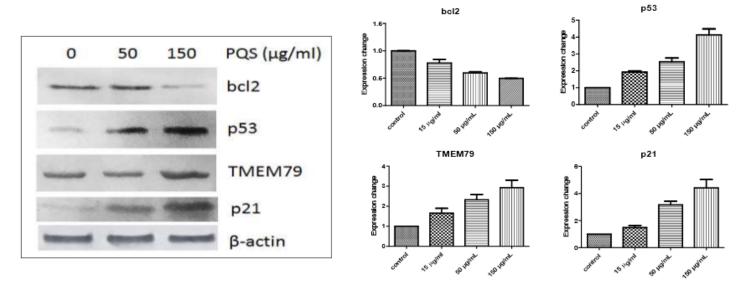
## TCM at the Medical University of Vienna

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#### TCM herbal medicine research

Anti-tumor effects of *Panax quinquefolius* saponins (PQS) on prostate cancer cells DU145.



PQS treatment regulated the expression level of multiple cancer-related genes: bcl2, p53, TMEM79 and p21.





## TCM Education at the Medical University of Vienna School of TCM (MSc) since 2010



### TCM Education at the Vienna Children University

- We gave two lectures for the young students at the Vienna Children University with the topic "What are Chinese medicine and Chinese culture?" in summer 2018.
- Around 120 children aged from 7 to 12 years visited the lectures.



## Exchange of TCM knowledge between Universities

The Delegation of China Academia of Chinese Medicine Sciences with Vice President Longhui Yang and his team visited the Vienna General Hospital, Medical University of Vienna in July 2018 for cooperation in education, research and clinical studies.



TCM activities and achievements 2017 - 2018











互补医学及激光综合医学科研中心

## Sino-Austrian TCM Research on Lifestyle-Related Diseases – Innovative Acupuncture Research

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#### Traditional Chinese Medicine

#### G. Litscher et al.: Clinical Acupuncture Studies – Lifestyle-related Diseases - 2018



Post-Stroke Patients
Laser vs. Needle Acup.

2018 Dr. Zhang Xiaoning Prof. Jing Xianghong



## Burnout Syndrome – Acup. & Moxib.

2018 Study Protocol; 2016 Study



Prof. Liang Fengxia
Prof. Wang Hua



Low Back Pain & Acup.

2018 Review (Tiaw-Kee Lim)

Prof. Ma Yan



#### Tinnitus – Acup.

2018 Dr. Jian-Feng Tu Prof. Liu Cun-Zhi Beijing Hosp. TCM, Dongfang Hosp.

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Lifestyle Myopia – Acup. & Moxib.

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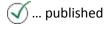
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# Sino-Austrian TCM research on lifestyle related diseases

**Project Part 3** 

Interaction of Chinese herbal medicine with the human intestinal microbiome in order to treat and prevent lifestyle related diseases



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#### ORIGINAL ARTICLE

#### Structural modulation of gut microbiota during alleviation of type 2 diabetes with a Chinese herbal formula

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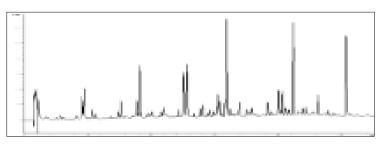


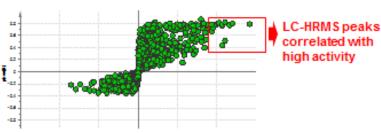
Gegen Qinglian Decoction (GQD): Gegen 葛根 (Radix Puerariae), Huangqin 黄芩 (Radix Scutellariae), Huanglian 黄连 (Rhizoma Coptidis), and Zhi Gancao 炙甘草 (Honey-fried Licorice Root)

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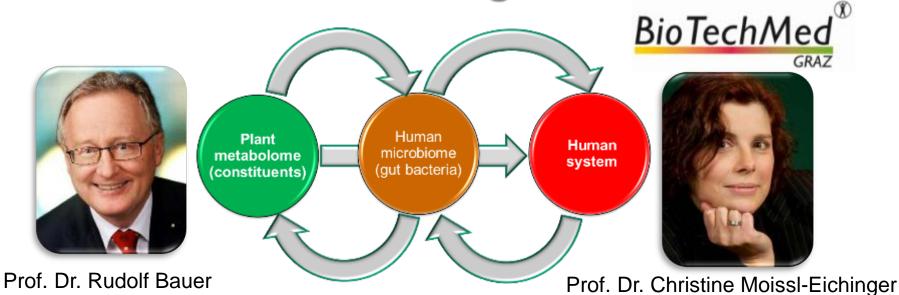








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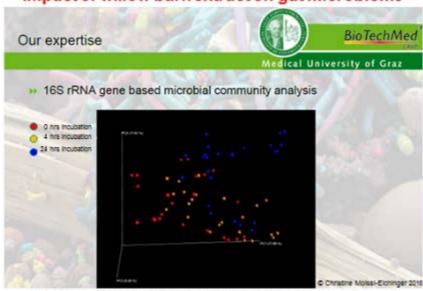


#### Metabolic transformation of Salix extract by fecal suspension



Salix 70% ethanol extract 2 mg/ml fecal suspension; background subtracted LC-HRMS chromatograms; Overlay 0h (blue), 4h (red), 24h (green)

#### Impact of willow bark extract on gut microbiome



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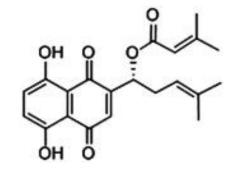
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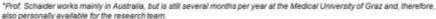
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