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Kagari Fujita

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

Big Island Wisteria, LLC

2004-

President

- Translation of medical, pharmaceutical, and chemical documents between Japanese and English.
- For details, see www.ohanaguide.com/web_resume.pdf and www.ohanaguide.com/Web_Database.xls.

Banyu Pharmaceutical Co. Ltd., a Member of Merck & Co. (Currently, MSD KK)

1996 -2004

Medical Information Center, Manager

- Devised, created and managed the Banyu Internet homepage (<http://www.banyu.co.jp/>), The Merck Manual Medical Information Home Edition in Japanese (<http://mmh.banyu.co.jp/>) and The Merck Manual 17th Edition in Japanese (<http://merckmanual.banyu.co.jp/>)
- Led a team of 5 to create, maintain and continuously develop webpage
- Active member of the Merck Asia Pacific Country Homepage e-Team

Banyu Pharmaceutical Co. Ltd., a Member of Merck & Co. (Currently, MSD KK)

1995 -1996

Research and Development Activity Monitoring, Manager

Overseeing and monitoring of R & D activities including:

- Evaluation of research projects
- Time and personnel schedules
- Quality control

Banyu Pharmaceutical Co. Ltd., a Member of Merck & Co. (Currently, MSD KK)
1992 -1995

Patent Department, Manager

Managing the general administration of patents including:

- Preparing and writing patent applications for domestic and international use
- Acting as a liaison between patent attorneys and R&D
- Overseeing literature and structural searches related to patents

Banyu Pharmaceutical Co. Ltd., a Member of Merck & Co. (Currently, MSD KK)
1989 -1992

Associate Research Chemist

Conducted research on:

- The synthetic study of novel *cdc-2* and tyrosine kinase inhibitors as antitumor drugs
- The design and synthesis of novel anticholesterolemia
- The synthetic study on receptor antagonists for endothelins

Chemistry Department at the University of Illinois at Chicago **1986 -1989**
Postdoctoral Research Associate

Conducted research on the design and the synthesis of the non-peptide mimetics of biologically active peptides

Nippon Soda Co. Ltd. **1977 -1986**

Associate Research Chemist

Involved in the research and development of:

- Novel antihypertensives based on PAF.
- Novel herbicides, and in particular, the generation of a novel herbicide, Sethoxydim Sodium, whose maximum sales reached 10 billion yen per annum.

Education

The University of Illinois, Chicago, Illinois
Post Doctoral Research Associate at the Department of Chemistry (with Prof. Michael Kahn) **1986-1989**

The University of Tokyo, Japan
Ph.D. in Pharmaceutical Chemistry (with Prof. Masaji Ohno) **1983**

Title of Thesis: The synthetic study toward the Platelet Activating Factors, PAFs

Waseda University, Tokyo, Japan

M.Sc in Biochemistry

1977

B.Sc. in Applied Chemistry

1975

Languages

Japanese—native

English—fluent, TOEIC 890 (1999)

List of publications, transcripts and references are available upon request.