

14th ISN Advanced School of Neurochemistry and 26th ISN – ESN Biennial Meeting Participation report

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I was fortunately got the ISN Advanced School award and since I participated the 14th ISN Advanced School of Neurochemistry and 26th ISN – ESN Biennial Meeting of the International Society for Neurochemistry and the European Society for Neurochemistry in France, which were hold from 16 to 24 August, 2017. This is my great pleasure to send you a participation report of the ISN-ESN Meeting.

Paris, wow, one of the most famous city in the world. This is a greatly present for me this year. I'm really so excited to read the acceptable email from the conference secretaries. First of all, I attended the Advanced School from 16-20 in Varennes Jarcy, France. This is an amazing time for me to meet and have a relationship with other young students from everywhere in the world. We have some classes about neurochemistry during 3 days, which were taught by expert Professors. They not only taught us about science, but also about some basic skill in research such as how to publish the high quality papers, how to write the papers in the professional way...They gave us a chance to express ourself in many different roles : poster presenter, master of ceremonies, I received a lot of constructive feedbacks and advices for my study. I also enjoyed the sightseeing, we went to the Chateau of Louis XIV in the Ile-de-France region and enjoy their cultures.

After that I went to the main meeting which was hold in Paris from 20-24 in Paris. This meeting is out of my imaging. This is really a surprise huge meeting for me. There were many sessions in four halls during these days. I had a chance to listen directly some of presenters whom I always read their papers. The poster sessions also much larger in many topics. It really took time to go around all the poster presentations. I found some topics which is helpful for my research. I discussed with them and got many informative ideas which helps further progress of my project. My poster session was neurodegenerative disease and the topic was Association between mitochondria and endoplasmic reticulum in dysmyelinated axons. I had meaning time to introduce my research with other



young scientists and expert neuroscientists. I met more friends at this meeting as well as my old Japanese coauthors. I understood more about Nigerian, Australian, Indian, Malaysian, Belarusian...cultures. I also had a time to enjoy the city view. Paris at night is romantic, charming. We had a farewell party at the last day, people enjoyed together in the friendly and informal atmosphere.

And the last but not least, I would like to express my deep gratitude to all Japanese neurochemical members who gave me such a valuable opportunity.