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Letter from Editor



Dear TBI readers,

While it is not the first time for me to write the editor's letter for TBI, I feel a particular sense of honor to introduce to you this very special issue of TBI journal, Issue 4 of Volume 4. A broad range of articles are published in this issue, but there two things I'd like to say a few more words.

We are pleased to have a few articles congratulating Dr. Roger Tsien for sharing the 2008 Nobel Prize in Chemistry. In addition to his joining the Hall of Fame of Nobel laureates with Chinese heritage, Dr. Tsien's pioneering works have helped those of us in the biotech and pharmaceutical fields with our work. The "A Glowing Nobel Prize" by John Wang gives a snapshot of the work that helped crown Dr. Tsien the Nobel Prize in chemistry. I have to point out that before his work was recognized by Nobel Prize committee, Dr Tsien accepted the prestige award from one of our Alliance organization, SABPA. That is now a part of our proud history.

This year also marks the ten years anniversary of the Chinese American Bio-Pharmaceutical Society. To mark this occasion in CABS' history, a celebration reception was held on December 9th 2008. Over hundred distinguish guests attended the reception, many of them attended our first annual conference in 1998. Our Alliance sister organizations also expressed their congratulations and best wishes. An account of our significant milestones achieved in the past 10 years has been captured in the session of Society Event.

Looking back, when this society was established 10 years ago, the biotech industry was right in the midst of unprecedented booming, with the San Francisco bay area being right in the center of actions. Ten years later, biotechs are largely merged with traditional pharmaceutical industry and are facing historical hardship. "For better or for worse", the Society will also be here to support our members.

Finally, this issue of TBI was planned to reach you just in time to greet you the arrival of the Year of Ox. While we are slightly behind schedule, I still feel very proper to take this opportunity to wish you a very Happy New Year. May the year of Ox bring us good health and prosperity!

Leping Li
Editor and President of CABS