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IOCB PRAGUE

Meeting with Group Leaders

Zdenek Hostomsky | April 30, 2018

Agenda

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- IOCB Research Group Output 2015-2017 (modified)
- IOCB Most significant publications 2017
- New rules with advent of OP VVV (Iva Pichová)
- Miscellanea

Evaluation of research output 2018



Directive S2018-01

- Group performance index (GPI) quantitative aspect of group evaluation

$$\mathbf{GPI} = \mathbf{J+B+C+D+P+T+S+L}$$

J – journal articles x IF

B - books

C – book chapters

D – article in proceedings

P – awarded patents

T – verified technology

S – industrial prototype or software

L – income from licenses and IP

The Quantitative Group Evaluation 2015-2017



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Hobza	362 324	137,07	26,706		Nencka	47 795	18,08	9,392
Hocek	325 919	123,30	37,512		Rosenberg	47 180	17,85	6,299
Jungwirth	266 664	100,88	23,961		Starý	46 215	17,48	6,002
Bouř	257 543	97,43	38,095		Jiráček	44 061	16,67	10,362
Michl	158 578	59,99	15,815		Majer	39 441	14,92	13,786
Šaman	152 264	57,60	45,015		Vondrášek	39 203	14,83	16,057
Janeba	98 314	37,19	21,270		Hanus	36 971	13,99	8,096
Řezáčová	97 623	36,93	24,081		Weiss	33 057	12,51	10,056
Konvalinka	94 964	35,93	10,241		Stříšovský	29 337	11,10	7,464
Cígler	91 538	34,63	20,908		Havlas	27 694	10,48	4,894
Jahn	78 424	29,67	10,962		Mareš	26 675	10,09	6,626
Pichová	76 919	29,10	15,305		Bouřa	24 721	9,35	5,152
Valterová	70 653	26,73	10,967		Mertlíková Kaiserová	23 601	8,93	15,023
Kašička	70 182	26,55	12,823		Macíčková Cahová	17 149	6,49	45,69
Teplý	58 442	22,11	12,608		Vrábel	15 602	5,90	4,609
Cvačka	56 617	21,42	19,147		Weber	12 574	4,76	4,685
Beier	54 390	20,58	9,046		Yushchenko	9 540	3,61	2,172
Rulíšek	51 433	19,46	12,409		Curtis	8 108	3,07	2,341
Maletínská	48 284	18,27	9,514			3 000 000	1134,96	

Comparison
with last year

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Junior
Research
Groups
highlighted

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Research -
Service
Groups
highlighted

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Targeted
Research
and Service
Groups
highlighted

Most significant publications in 2017



- **PHYS** Physical and Theoretical Chemistry
- **CHEM** Medicinal and Organic Chemistry
- **BIO** Biochemistry and Molecular Biology

Each group may submit 1 most significant paper published in 2017 per category, but no more than 2 papers total. Semi-autonomous units within larger groups may submit their own paper if the group leader is not listed as co-author. The papers will be pre-screened internally before they are sent to the external panel (IAB members, *ad hoc* reviewers) as well as to an internal IOCB panel (group leaders and management). 3 to 5 papers in each category will be awarded prizes in the form of group money.

Most significant publications 2017



- **PHYS** (8 for 2016) **5** submissions → **3** awards
- **CHEM** (8 for 2016) **10** submissions → **5** awards
- **BIO** (7 for 2016) **8** submissions → **4** awards

Most Significant Publications 2017

PHYS

part 1



Listed alphabetically by first author

Rendler T, Neburkova J, Zemek O, Kotek J, Zappe A, Chu* Zhiqin, Cigler* P, and Wrachtrup J

Optical imaging of localized chemical events using programmable diamond quantum nanosensors

Nat Commun 2017, 8, 1-8

Tesei G, Vazdar M, Jensen MR, Cragnell C, Mason PE, Heyda J, Skepö M, Jungwirth* P, and Lund* M

Self-association of a highly charged arginine-rich cell-penetrating peptide

Proc Natl Acad Sci USA 2017, 114, 11428-11433



Director's Award

Šebera J, Hattori Y, Sato D, Řeha D, Nencka, Kohno T, Kojima* C, Tanaka* Y, and Sychrovský* V

The mechanism of the glycosylase reaction with hOGG1 base-excision repair enzyme: concerted effect of Lys249 and Asp268 during excision of 8-oxoguanine

Nucl Acids Res 2017, 45, 5231-5242



Listed alphabetically by first author

Kaleta* J, Chen J, Bastien G, Dračinský M, Mašát M, Rogers C T, Feringa* B L, and Michl J

Surface Inclusion of Unidirectional Molecular Motors in Hexagonal Tris(o-phenylene)cyclotriphosphazene

J Am Chem Soc 2017, 139, 10486-10498

Tichá A, Stanchev S, Vinothkumar KR, Mikles DC, Pachi P, Began J, Škerle J, Švehlová K, Nguyen MTN, Verhelst SHL, Johnson DC, Bachovchin DA, Lepšík M, Majer P, and Stríšovský* K

General and Modular Strategy for Designing Potent, Selective, and Pharmacologically Compliant Inhibitors of Rhomboid Proteases

Cell Chem Biol 2017, 24, 1-24



Listed alphabetically by first author

Vázquez A, Dzijak R, Dračinský M, Rampmaier R, Siegl SJ, and Vrábel* M

Mechanism-Based Fluorogenic *trans*-Cyclooctene-Tetrazine Cycloaddition

Angew Chem Int Ed 2017, 56, 1334-1337



Mejdrová I, Chalupská D, Plačková P, Müller C, Šála M, Klíma M, Bäumlová A, Hřebabecký H, Procházková, Dejmek M, Strunin D, Weber J, Lee G, Matoušová M, Mertlíková-Kaiserová H, Ziebuhr J, Birkus G, Bouřa* E, and Nencka* R

Rational Design of Novel Highly Potent and Selective Phosphatidylinositol 4-Kinase IIIb (PI4KB) Inhibitors as Broad-Spectrum Antiviral Agents and Tools for Chemical Biology

J Med Chem 2017, 60, 100-118

Špaček P, Keough DT, Chavchich M, Dračínský M, Janeba Z, Naesens L, Edstein MD, Guddat* LW, and Hocková* D

Synthesis and Evaluation of Asymmetric Acyclic Nucleoside Bisphosphonates as Inhibitors of *Plasmodium falciparum* and Human Hypoxanthine-Guanine-(Xanthine) Phosphoribosyltransferase

J Med Chem 2017, 60, 7539-7554



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Johnson N, Březinová J, Stephens E, Burbridge E, Freeman M, Adrian C, and Stříšovský* K

Quantitative proteomics screen identifies a substrate repertoire of rhomboid protease RHBDL2 in human cells and implicates it in epithelial homeostasis

Sci Reports 2017, 7, 1-13

Klima* M, Chalupska D, Róžicki B, Humpolickova J, Rezabkova L, Silhan J, Baumlova A, Dubankova A, and Boura* E

Kobuviral Non-structural 3A Proteins Act as Molecular Harnesses to Hijack the Host ACBD3 Protein

Structure 2017, 25, 1-12



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Navrátil* V, Schimer J, Tykvart J, Knedlík, Vik V, Majer P, Konvalinka* J,
and Šácha* P

**DNA-linked Inhibitor Antibody Assay (DIANA) for
sensitive and selective enzyme detection and
inhibitor screening**

Nucl Acids Res 2017, 45, 1-13



Director's Award

Lubyova* B, Hodek J, Zabransky A, Prouzova H, Hubalek M, Hirsch I, and Weber* J

PRMT5: A novel regulator of Hepatitis B virus replication and an arginine methylase of HBV core

PLoS ONE 2017, 12, 1-28

Rationale behind Director's Awards



- Highly rated by some of the judges, usually the ones with the best understanding of the topic, but with not sufficient overall support to influence the composite vote
- Director's conviction that this is a high quality publication with an important impact for the field which may have been overlooked by others



Iva Pichová

New rules for purchasing material (chemicals, biochemical, plastics, glassware etc.)

- according to the law, all larger scale purchases paid from public money should undergo tender (open competition of suppliers)
- IOCB so far applied this only for expensive instruments (investment), solvents, gases, and stationery goods (Activa)
- all other material costs so far were purchased as “unique” items (and thus not subject to tender because of small scale) – however, in many cases, the same chemical/material has been purchased repeatedly and the total accumulated costs were often significant (subject to tender)!
- with the start of the OPVVV project (which is even stricter in terms of control of spending the budget), we had to look into this issue (which we would have to do anyway but the start of the OPVVV only catalyzed the process) and we made an analysis of the repeated material purchases and identified **ca. 200 items which were purchased >6x in the last 3 years** – these items will be defined as **repeatedly purchased** and will have to be competed in tender
- please note that the **vast majority (the other ca. 56,000)** of items which were not purchased repeatedly, will remain in the category of “random” or “unanticipated” purchases and will be purchased in the same way as we did it so far

New rules for purchasing material (chemicals, biochemical, plastics, glassware etc.)

- we are now getting data and sorting the items into categories for the planned tenders (the responsible person for **biochemicals** is **Pavel Šácha** and for **chemicals** **Michal Tichý**).
- When the categorization is finished, we will still send it to all group leaders to check which items are subject to tender and to check the definition of purity etc.
- after the tender, each category of the repeated items will be “won” by one supplier from which those items listed in that category must be purchased (nobody likes it but it is the law...). There will be a list of items subject to that.
- - still all other ca. 56 thousand “random” items (not listed there) you can freely buy from whoever you like.
- before the tenders are finished, you can purchase your materials freely (from all grants - **except for the OPV VV !!!**)
- **from OPV VV you can now purchase only the non-listed “random” chemicals (the “repeated” items must wait for the tender or be purchased from other grants)**

Important Reminders



- **Tony Holy Lecture – Prof. Klebe**
 - Fri May 11, 2018
- **PhD Science Club**
Wed May 16, 2018
- **Happy Hours**
Thu May 24, 2018
- **IOCB Retreat in Valeč**
May 28-31, 2018
- Next meeting with Group Leaders
Monday, May 21, 2018 10:00 a.m.

Mtgs w GLs - 2018 Schedule



- January 15
- February 19
- March 26
- April 30
- May 21
- June 25
- September 10
- October 15
- November 12
- December 17

Always on Mondays at 10:00 am in the Director's Boardroom



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