#### WHO SHOULD ATTEND?

Both academic staff, postgraduate students and industry members are highly encouraged to attend and to share their research findings and experience.

#### PRESENTATION FORMAT

You will be given 15 minutes to present your presentation and 5 minutes for Q and A session.

# **EVENT SUBJECT(S)**

Agriculture Waste, Biological Science, Environmental, Medical, Pharmaceutical, Food Science, and Chemistry.

## REGISTRATION

Open registration to all researchers from local and international universities and industries. Also, the Postgraduate students, alumni from universities are invited. The international participants interested in joining our event are welcomed.

## **PAYMENT**

The cheque must be made payable to "Monash University Malaysia Sdn Bhd". Please do not send cash.

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#### Dr Pushpamalar Janarthanan

Symposium Chairperson,

Deputy Director.

Monash-Industry Palm Oil Education and Research Platform (MIPO).

Monash University Malaysia.

#### REGISTRATION FEE

Participant		Fee Amount
Student	Local	RM 50
	International	USD 50
Academic Staff	Local	RM 100
	International	USD 60
Industry member	Local	RM 100
	International	USD 60

Registration fee includes the 6% service tax, admission to scientific sessions, and E-abstract and program book welcomed.

For registration, please register at

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or scan this QR code



#### Contact for event information

Name: Dr Pushpamalar Janarthanan (Event chairperson) Address: MIPO, Monash University, Subang Jaya, Selangor,

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Important date: Abstract submission is to be made by

5pm, 31 January 2022.

Registration closing date: 5pm, 23 February 2022.

2nd E-Symposium on **Sustainable Transformation of** Plant-based Oils and Wastes: **Towards Circular Economy, Health & Well Being** 



Main organiser:



MONASH-INDUSTRY PALM OIL EDUCATION AND RESEARCH

Co-Organisers:





## **EVENT DETAILS**

Monash-Industry Palm Oil Research Platform (MIPO) of Monash University Malaysia is pleased to invite you to the 2nd E-Symposium on Sustainable Transformation of Plant-based Oils and Wastes: Towards Circular Economy, Health & Well Being (2nd E-SSTPOW), which will be held on 22-23 February 2022. Given the COVID-19 situation, E-SSTPOW 2022 will be an entirely virtual event. This symposium is organized in collaboration with the Malaysian Institute of Chemistry and the University of Malaya.

Malaysia is endowed with natural resources such as agricultural lands and forests that provide plant oils and biomass wastes. A small percentage of agricultural waste is recycled, with the remainder ending up in landfills or aquatic life. So, there is much room to work with agricultural waste management. The primary objective is to develop value-added products from agricultural wastes. In Malaysia, the central portion of agricultural waste comes from the palm oil sector, which lacks sustainability because of inadequate waste management. The industrial use of agricultural wastes and plant oils aligns perfectly with the principles of Responsible Care and is an important part of green chemistry and sustainability. Plant-oil-based products have been used for decades because of their beneficial properties. Plant oils such as palm oil, sunflower oil, soybean oil, and rapeseed oil are used in various industries, regularly developing new uses. They are mass-produced industrially in large quantities for different applications, such as surfactant, oleochemicals, emollients, spray adjuvants and solvents, bio-lubricants.

The successful development of environmentally compatible and powerful products in sustainable development has been demonstrated by various recent product innovations from plant oils and agro-wastes.

### The symposium objectives are

- To provide a platform for engagement and collaboration between university researchers, industry, and government agencies.
- To identify the challenges and opportunities in plant oils and biomass wastes research and technology developments.
- To promote the plant oils industry and the biomass wastes research at domestic and international levels.

### **OUR SPECIAL SPEAKERS**



Emeritus Prof Tan Sri Datuk Dr Augustine Ong Soon Hock President, Malaysian Oil Scientists' and Technologists' Society (MOSTA)



Professor Chan Eng Seng
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Mr Robert Hii Founder of Certified Sustainable Palm Oil (CSPO) Watch



Associate Professor Poon Wai Ching Management and Humanities Department, Universiti Teknologi Petronas, Perak



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