

# THE PHARMACEUTICAL SOCIETY OF JAPAN

## Announcement of 2025 Academic Journals' Awards

Chemical and Pharmaceutical Bulletin (CPB)  
Biological and Pharmaceutical Bulletin (BPB)  
YAKUGAKU ZASSHI

We now announce the awards of our journals that were recognized at the meetings of the section editors-in-chief, who are dedicating to Editorial Committee of Academic Journals, the Pharmaceutical Society of Japan.

### 2025 Top Reviewer Award for CPB

**Kenjirou Higashi**      **Chiba University**

### 2025 Top Reviewer Award for BPB

**Hikaru Tanaka**      **Toho University**

### 2025 Top Reviewer Award for YAKUGAKU ZASSHI

**Makoto Anraku**      **Sojo University**

### 2025 Highly Cited Review Award for CPB\*

**Recent Advances in Drug–Antibody Ratio Determination  
of Antibody–Drug Conjugates.**

**Yutaka Matsuda and Brian A. Mendelsohn**

**Vol. 69, No. 10, pp. 976-983, 2021**

<https://doi.org/10.1248/cpb.c21-00258>

### 2025 Highly Cited Review Award for BPB\*

**TGF- $\beta$  and Cancer Immunotherapy.**

**Takashi MaruYama, WanJun Chen, and Hiroyuki Shibata**

**Vol. 45, No. 2, pp. 155-161, 2022**

<https://doi.org/10.1248/bpb.b21-00966>

2025 Highly Cited Article Award for CPB\*

**Arctigenin Triggers Apoptosis and Autophagy Arctigenin  
via PI3K/Akt/mTOR Inhibition in PC-3M Cells.**

**Bai-ling Sun, En-bo Cai, Yan Zhao, Yu Wang, Li-min Yang,  
and Jing-Yao Wang**

**Vol. 69, No. 5, pp. 472-480, 2021**

<https://doi.org/10.1248/cpb.c21-00021>

2025 Highly Cited Article Award for BPB\*

**Norisoboldine Attenuates Sepsis-Induced Acute Lung Injury by  
Modulating Macrophage Polarization via PKM2/HIF-1 $\alpha$ /PGC-1 $\alpha$  Pathway.**

**Qi Chen, Xuebo Shao, Yanyan He, Enkui Lu, Lijun Zhu, and Weidong Tang**

**Vol. 44, No. 10, pp. 1536-1547, 2021**

<https://doi.org/10.1248/bpb.b21-00457>

\* According to Scopus® data, this paper is recognized as a highly cited paper  
in CPB/BPB during the 2021 to 2025 period.

The Most Published Author Award 2021–2025 in CPB

**Naohito Kawasaki      Kindai University**

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**Akira Takahara      Toho University**

**Kenji Momo      Showa Medical University**

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