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Education			
Training	Name of School / Institution	Year	Area of Specialization
Postdoctoral Fellow	Massachusetts General Hospital and Harvard Medical School, Harvard University, Boston, MA <i>(With Professor Xandra Owen Breakefield)</i>	2017-2021	Molecular Neurogenetics, Gene therapy, Extracellular vesicle
Postdoctoral Fellow	Massachusetts General Hospital and Harvard Medical School, Harvard University, Boston, MA <i>(With Professor Eng Lo)</i>	2016-2017	Stroke
Postdoctoral Fellow	Centre for Cancer Biology, Australia <i>(With Dr. Hayley Ramshaw)</i>	2009-2010	Cancer Biology
Postdoctoral Fellow	University of Adelaide, Australia <i>(With Professor Paul Q. Thomas)</i>	2008-2009	Developmental Neurobiology
Ph.D.	University Kebangsaan Malaysia / National University of Malaysia <i>(With Professor Azian Abdul Latif, Professor Norhani Mohidin, Professor Bahariah Mohd Ali)</i>	2003-2008	Medical Science (Anatomy)
S*Cert.	S* Life Science Informatics Alliance <i>Hosted by the National University of Singapore, Singapore.</i>	2003	Bioinformatics
B.Sc. (Hons) 1 st Class Honours CGPA = 3.829	Universiti Putra Malaysia, Malaysia <i>(With Prof. Rozita Rosli)</i>	1999-2002	Biomedical Sciences

Areas of Interest

1. Molecular neurogenetics and genomics
2. Developmental Neurobiology
3. Cancer Biology
4. Gene therapy

Professional Qualification/ Membership/ Affiliation

Membership type / Position	Society	Date (Duration)
Chair	IBRO Regional Committee Council Member of the International Brain Research Organisation (IBRO)-APRC (Asia Pacific Research Committee)	2021-2023 (3 years)
Representative Member	ISN-NCDC (International Society for Neurochemistry- ISN) – New Career Development Committee	Jan 2020-Dec 2021 (2 years)
Representative Member	ISN-CAEN (International Society for Neurochemistry-ISN) – Committee for Aids and Education in Neurochemistry (CAEN)	Jan 2018-Dec 2019 (2 years)
Member	ASCGT (American Society of Gene and Cell Therapy)	Jan 2012 – Dec 2020
Member	ISEV (International Society of Extracellular Vesicles)	Jan 2012 – Dec 2020
Council Member	IBRO Regional Committee Council Member of the International Brain Research Organisation (IBRO)-APRC (Asia Pacific Research Committee)	2016-2020
Member	Asian-Pacific Society for Neurochemistry (APSN)	Jan 2014 – Dec 2021
Member	ISN (International Society for Neurochemistry)	Jan 2014 – Dec 2021
Council Member	Council of the Asian-Pacific Society for Neurochemistry (APSN)	2014-2018
Vice President	Malaysian Society of Neurosciences (MSN)	2014 – 2016
Advisor	Putra Medical Club (PMC), Faculty of Medicine and Health Sciences, University Putra Malaysia	01.01.2015-01.01.2016
Editorial Board Member	Neuroscience Research Notes (Journal)	01.01.2017-Present
Chair	Basic Neuroscience Chapter, Malaysian Society of Neurosciences (MSN)	12.06.2013-11.06.2015
Editorial Board Member	Editorial Board Member for Neuroscience Reports	13.10.2016-12.10.2019
Editorial Board Member	Editorial Board Member for Archives of Anatomy and Physiology	03.05.2016-Present
Member	Young Scientists Network – Academy of Sciences, Malaysia (YSN-ASM)	2012 – present

Publications

Journals (in 5 years)

1. **Cheah PS**, Prabhakar S, Yellen D, Beauchamp RL, Zhang X, Kasamatsu S, Bronson RT, Kwiatkowski DJ, Anat Stemmer-Rachamimov, György B, Ling KH, Kaneki M, Tannous B, Ramesh V, Maguire CA and Breakefield XO. (2020) Gene therapy for tuberous sclerosis complex type 2 in a mouse model by delivery of AAV9 encoding a condensed form of tuberin. *Science Advances*. 7(2): eabb1703. <https://doi.org/10.1126/sciadv.abb1703>
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9. Damodaran T, **Cheah PS**, Murugaiyah V., Hassan Z. The nootropic and anticholinesterase activities of *Clitoria ternatea* Linn. root extract : potential treatment for cognitive decline. *Neurochemistry International*. 139, page 1-12. Article no. 104785. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.neuint.2020.104785>
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Research Grants

Role / Quantum of funding	Title	Awarding authority (Duration)	Status / Outcome
Innovation Grants to Nurture Initial Translational Efforts (IGNITE Program), by National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke (NINDS) – R61; 1 R61 NS108232-01A1 (Research Associate)	Gene therapy for tuberous sclerosis (Principal Investigator: Professor Xandra Breakefield, Associate Professor Casey Maguire and Professor Vijaya Ramesh, from Massachusetts General Hospital, MGH, USA)	NINDS IGNITE PROGRAM, USA	On-going
Gilbert Gene Therapy Initiative (GGTI) (Research Associate)	Multipronged approach to development of NF1 gene therapeutics (Principal Investigators: Miguel Sena-Estevés from University of Massachusetts & Professor Xandra Breakefield, MGH, HMS, USA)	Gilbert Family Foundation, USA	On-going
FRGS (Co-investigator) RM 185,200 FRGS/1/2020/SKK06/UPM/02/2	Molecular mechanism of <i>Centella asiatica</i> -enriched Exosomes in Mediating Neural Stem Cell activity in vitro: A fundamental understanding	Ministry of Higher Education (24 months, 2021-2023)	On-going

	towards cell free therapy for brain diseases		
Journal Publication Empowerment Initiatives Year 2020 (Principal investigator) RM 6,844.36	Journal Publication Strengthening Initiative offered by Office of the Deputy Vice Chancellor (Research & Innovation), Universiti Putra Malaysia	Universiti Putra Malaysia (1 year, March 2021-2022)	On-going
Congressionally Directed Medical Research Programs (CDMRP) Award number : W81XWH-16-1-0134 (Research Associate) USD 243,037.00	Systemic gene therapy for Tuberous Sclerosis Exploration-Hypothesis Development Award (Principal Investigator : Professor Xandra Breakefield, MGH, HMS, USA)	Department of Defense, USA. Fiscal Year 2015	Completed
FRGS (Co-investigator) RM 50,000	Molecular, metabolomics and cellular characterization of kidney development in alpha and beta thalassaemia transgenic mouse	Ministry of Higher Education (24 months, 2018-2020)	Completed
Geran Putra IPS UPM/700-2/1/GP-IPS/2017/9540800 (Co-investigator) RM20,000	Identification and validation of a novel human orthologue for <i>miR-3099</i> known as mds21	Universiti Putra Malaysia (July, 2017-2018)	Completed
Sciencefund 02-01-04-SF2336 (Co-investigator) RM293,523	Targeting JAK-STAT signalling pathway to revert neurogenic-to-gliogenic shift in the brain of Ts1Cje mouse model for Down syndrome	Ministry of Science, Technology and Innovation (MOSTI) (Nov, 2015-Mac, 2018)	Completed
FRGS FRGS/1/2015/SKK08/UPM/02/1 (Principal investigator) RM139,000	Role of the JAK-STAT signaling pathway during neurogenic-to-gliogenic shift in the brain of Ts1Cje Mouse Model for Down syndrome.	Ministry of Higher Education (Nov, 2015-2018)	Completed
Geran Putra IPS UPM/700-2/1/GP-IPS/2014/9448800 (Principal investigator) RM15,000	Protein and gene expression profile of skeletal muscles in Ts1Cje Mouse Model of Down Syndrome: an insight to muscle weakness	Universiti Putra Malaysia (Mac, 2015-2016)	Completed
Geran Putra (Grant Research University – IPB - Berkumpulan) (Co-investigator) RM470,000	Protein and gene expression profile of skeletal muscles in Ts1Cje Mouse Model of Down Syndrome: an insight to muscle weakness	Universiti Putra Malaysia (36 months, 2014-2017)	Completed
Geran Putra IBT UPM/700/2/1/GP-IBT/2013/9409500 (Principal investigator) RM198,963	Molecular, metabolic and functional characterization of adult skeletal muscle in Down syndrome mouse model: insights into the muscle weakness seen in human condition	Universiti Putra Malaysia (Nov, 2013-2015)	Completed
Geran Putra IPS UPM/700/2/1/GP-IPS/2013/9398900 (Principal investigator) RM15,000	Validation of defective neurogenesis and neuronal morphogenesis in the adult Ts1Cje mouse model of Down syndrome	Universiti Putra Malaysia (Nov, 2013-Feb 2015)	Completed
RUGS 04-02-12-2102RU (Co-investigator) RM176,944	Identification of molecular mechanism responsible for hypotonia in adult Ts1Cje mouse model of Down syndrome	Universiti Putra Malaysia (Nov, 2012-June 2015)	Completed
RUGS 04-02-12-2120RU (Co-investigator) RM10,000	Expression profiling of a novel microRNA, miR-3099, during neuronal development using an in vitro system	Universiti Putra Malaysia (Nov, 2012-2014)	Completed
FRGS 04-01-12-1126FR (Co-investigator) RM81,100	A mouse embryonic stem cell culture system with stable and regulatable expression for a novel microRNA, miR3099: An <i>in vitro</i> approach towards functional genomic study	Ministry of Higher Education, MOHE (2012-2015)	Completed
Science Fund (Principal investigator)	Establishment of the first "super electroporator" platform in Malaysia for	Ministry of Science,	Completed

RM263,600	the delivery of bicistronic expression vectors with shRNA and GFP open reading frames into the cerebral cortex of mouse model for Down syndrome.	Technology and Innovation (MOSTI) (May, 2012-2014)	
ERGS ERGS/1/11/SKK/UPM/03/1 (Principal investigator) RM119,000	<i>In vivo</i> analysis of a novel miRNA, 1181, during mouse cerebral corticogenesis using <i>in utero</i> electroporation (IUE) approach	Ministry of Higher Education, MOHE (2011-2014)	Completed
RUGS 04-01-11-1163RU (Principal investigator) RM160,000	The identification of disrupted molecular networks involved in brain maturation and function in the Ts1Cje mouse model of Down Syndrome.	Universiti Putra Malaysia (2011-2013)	Completed

Awards/ Recognition (Current)

Name of awards (Descriptions)	Awarding authority	Type / Significance	Year
First Runner Up <i>Best Practices of Teaching and Learning Innovation Competition 2016, UPM.</i>	Center for Academic Development (CADE), UPM	Academic/ University	2016
First Prize - Best Oral Presentation <i>(Tan KL, Lee HC, Ling KH, Scott H, Lai MI, Vidyadaran S, and Cheah PS. Disrupted interferon-related molecular networks and the over-expressed Ifnar1 in the brain of adult Ts1Cje mouse model of Down syndrome. 18-21, August, 2016, Asian & Oceanian Congress of Neurology (AOCN 2016), at Kuala Lumpur Convention Center, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia)</i>	Asian & Oceanian Association of Neurology (AOCN) & Malaysian Society of Neurosciences (MSN)	Research / International	2016
Travel Award – BNC-MSN Education Grant Award <i>(Tan KL, Lee HC, Ling KH, Scott H, Lai MI, Vidyadaran S, and Cheah PS. Disrupted interferon-related molecular networks and the over-expressed Ifnar1 in the brain of adult Ts1Cje mouse model of Down syndrome. 14th Meeting of Asian Pacific Society of Neurochemistry. 27-30 August 2016, at Hotel Istana, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia)</i>	Malaysian Society of Neurosciences (MSN)	Research / National	2016
Travel Award – BNC-MSN Education Grant Award <i>(Tan KL, Lee HC, Ling KH, Scott H, Lai MI, Vidyadaran S, and Cheah PS. Disrupted interferon-related molecular networks and the over-expressed Ifnar1 in the brain of adult Ts1Cje mouse model of Down syndrome. 2-6 July 2016, 10th FENS, Copenhagen, Denmark)</i>	Malaysian Society of Neurosciences (MSN)	Research / National	2016
Travel Award – BNC-MSN Education Grant Award <i>(Shahidee ZA, Leong JW, Nordin N, Abdullah S, Cheah PS dan Ling KH. Embryonic Stem Cell Culture System with Stable and Regulatable Expression miR-3099: An In Vitro Approach Towards Functional Genomics Study. 2-6 July 2016, 10th FENS, Copenhagen, Denmark)</i>	Malaysian Society of Neurosciences (MSN)	Research / National	2016
Postgraduate Travel Grant – APSN <i>(Lee HC, Nordin N, Vidyadaran S, Cheah PS dan Ling KH. The Potential Role of JAK-STAT Signalling Pathway Promotes Neurogenic-to-Gliogenic Shift In the Brain of Ts1Cje Mouse Model for Down syndrome, 14th Meeting of Asian Pacific Society of Neurochemistry. 27-30 August 2016, at Hotel Istana, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia)</i>	Asian-Pacific Society for Neurochemistry (APSN)	Research / International	2016
Postgraduate Travel Grant – APSN <i>(Shahidee ZA, Leong JW, Nordin N, Abdullah S, Cheah PS dan Ling KH. A Mouse Embryonic Stem Cell Culture System with Stable and Regulatable Expression miR-3099: An In Vitro Approach Towards Functional Genomics Study, 14th Meeting of Asian Pacific Society of Neurochemistry. 27-30 August 2016, at Hotel Istana, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia)</i>	Asian-Pacific Society for Neurochemistry (APSN)	Research / International	2016

<p>IBRO/PERC International Travel Grant</p> <p>(Lee HC; Nordin N., Vidyadaran S; Cheah PS, Ling KH. The potential role of Jak-Stat signalling pathway promotes gliogenesis in the brain of Ts1Cje mouse model for Down syndrome, 39th Annual Meeting of the Japan Neuroscience Society in Japan, 20th to 22nd July 2016, Japan)</p>	<p>International Brain Research Organisation (IBRO)</p>	<p>Research / International</p>	<p>2016</p>
<p>IBRO/PERC International Travel Grant</p> <p>(Tan KL, Lee HC, Ling KH, Scott H, Lai MI, Vidyadaran S, and Cheah PS. Disrupted interferon-related molecular networks and the over-expressed Ifnar1 in the brain of adult Ts1Cje mouse model of Down syndrome. 2-6 July 2016, 10th FENS, Copenhagen, Denmark)</p>	<p>International Brain Research Organisation (IBRO)</p>	<p>Research / International</p>	<p>2016</p>
<p>Best Young Lecturer Award</p> <p>An award by the Faculty of Medicine & Health Sciences (FMHS), Universiti Putra Malaysia in conjunction with the Faculty Excellence Month 2015, 26-27th August 2015</p>	<p>Faculty of Medicine and Health Sciences, UPM</p>	<p>Academic/ University</p>	<p>2015</p>
<p>First Prize - Best Poster Presentation</p> <p>(M.P.Y.Leong, U. Bala, R. Rosli, Cheah PS & Ling KH. Targeted differential gene expression profiling of skeletal muscles isolated from Ts1Cje mouse model for Down Syndrome". 26th Annual Scientific Meeting of Malaysian Society of Neurosciences. 5th – 7th June 2015, at the Weil Hotel, Ipoh, Perak.)</p>	<p>Malaysian Society of Neurosciences</p>	<p>Research / National</p>	<p>2015</p>
<p>Third Prize - Best Poster Presentation</p> <p>(Leong J.W., S. Abdullah, Ling KH & Cheah PS. Spatiotemporal expression profiling and molecular characterisation of miR-344b and miR-344c in the developing mouse brain. 26th Annual Scientific Meeting of Malaysian Society of Neurosciences. 5th – 7th June 2015, at the Weil Hotel, Ipoh, Perak.)</p>	<p>Malaysian Society of Neurosciences (MSN)</p>	<p>Research / National</p>	<p>2015</p>
<p>First Prize - Best Poster Presentation (PhD – Integrative and Clinical Sciences)</p> <p>(U.Bala, O. Fauziah, M.I. Lai, Ling KH & Cheah PS. Ts1Cje mouse model for Down syndrome exhibits motor function deficit, the potential role of skeletal muscles and peripheral nervous system. Faculty Excellence Month 2015, 26-27th August 2015, Faculty of Medicine & Health Sciences (FMHS), Universiti Putra Malaysia.)</p>	<p>Faculty of Medicine and Health Sciences, UPM</p>	<p>Research / Institute</p>	<p>2015</p>
<p>First Prize - Best Poster Presentation (MSc –Clinical Sciences)</p> <p>(C.L. Lim, Ramasamy, R., J.Stanslas., Ling KH & Cheah PS. Evaluation of satellite cells number in Down Syndrome skeletal muscle. Faculty Excellence Month 2015, 26-27th August 2015, Faculty of Medicine & Health Sciences (FMHS), Universiti Putra Malaysia.)</p>	<p>Faculty of Medicine and Health Sciences, UPM</p>	<p>Research / Institute</p>	<p>2015</p>
<p>First Prize - Best Poster Presentation (MSc – Integrated Sciences)</p> <p>(M.P.Y. Leong, U.Bala, R. Rosli, Cheah PS & Ling KH. Targeted differential gene expression profiling of skeletal muscles isolated from Ts1Cje mouse model for Down Syndrome. Faculty Excellence Month 2015, 26-27th August 2015, Faculty of Medicine & Health Sciences (FMHS), Universiti Putra Malaysia.)</p>	<p>Faculty of Medicine and Health Sciences, UPM</p>	<p>Research / Institute</p>	<p>2015</p>
<p>First Prize - Best Poster Presentation (MSc – Integrated Sciences)</p> <p>(M.P.Y. Leong, U.Bala, R. Rosli, Cheah PS & Ling KH. Targeted differential gene expression profiling of skeletal muscles isolated from Ts1Cje mouse model for Down Syndrome. 26th Annual Scientific Meeting of Malaysian Society of Neurosciences. 5th – 7th June 2015, at the Weil Hotel, Ipoh, Perak, Malaysia.)</p>	<p>Malaysian Society of Neurosciences (MSN)</p>	<p>Research / National</p>	<p>2015</p>

<p>Second Prize - Best Poster Presentation</p> <p>(<u>C.L. Lim</u>, Ramasamy, R., J.Stanslas., Ling KH & Cheah PS. Evaluation of satellite cells number in Down Syndrome skeletal muscle. 26th Annual Scientific Meeting of Malaysian Society of Neurosciences. 5th – 7th June 2015, at the Weil Hotel, Ipoh, Perak, Malaysia).</p>	<p>Malaysian Society of Neurosciences (MSN)</p>	<p>Research / National</p>	<p>2015</p>
<p>Third Prize - Best Poster Presentation</p> <p>(<u>Leong J.W.</u>, S. Abdullah, Ling KH & Cheah PS. Spatiotemporal expression profiling and molecular characterisation of miR-344b and miR-344c in the developing mouse brain. 26th Annual Scientific Meeting of Malaysian Society of Neurosciences. 5th – 7th June 2015, at the Weil Hotel, Ipoh, Perak, Malaysia).</p>	<p>Malaysian Society of Neurosciences (MSN)</p>	<p>Research / National</p>	<p>2015</p>
<p>IBRO Travel Sponsorship (Travel Award to attend the 1st IBRO-APRC Global Advocacy at the Tata Fundamental Research Institute (TFRI), Mumbai, India from 2-4th Feb. 2015)</p>	<p>International Brain Research Organisation (IBRO)</p>	<p>Research / International</p>	<p>2015</p>
<p>Best Pre-clinical Lecturer Award</p> <p>An award by the students of Doctor of Medicine Programme for Year 2014/2015.</p>	<p>Putra Medical Club</p>	<p>Academic / Institute</p>	<p>2015</p>
<p>Silver medal award - PRPI UPPM 2014 (Invention, Research and Innovation Exhibition)</p> <p>(<u>Kura AU</u>, Hussein MZ, Arulselvan P, Cheah PS, Mohd'ain N, Fakurazi S. Efficient controlled released anti parkinsonian nanodrug delivery system intercalated with levodopa)</p>	<p>Universiti Putra Malaysia</p>	<p>Research / University</p>	<p>2014</p>
<p>Gold Award – The Tokuji Ikenaka Prize for Best Poster Presentation</p> <p>(<u>Tan KL</u>, HC Lee, K-H Ling, CA Hewitt, HS Scott, MI Lai, V Sharmili, Cheah PS. Overexpressed interferon alpha or beta receptors in the brain of adult Ts1Cje mouse model of Down syndrome, 13th Meeting of Asian Pacific Society of Neurochemistry. 22-26 August 2014, Howard Plaza Hotel, Kaohsiung, Taiwan)</p>	<p>Asian-Pacific Society for Neurochemistry (APSN)</p>	<p>Research / International</p>	<p>2014</p>
<p>First Prize - Best Poster Presentation</p> <p>(<u>Shahidee ZA</u>, J. Ameerah, SC Chan, AX Lee, MH Noor, SY LIM, AA Azlina, Cheah PS, KH Ling & MI Norlinah. Analysis of DRDS & GRIN2B genes polymorphisms and their association with the development of impulse control disorder among Malaysian Parkinson's disease patients. Neuroscience Conference 2014. 20-22 June 2014, at the Berjaya Times Square Hotel, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia).</p>	<p>Malaysian Society of Neurosciences (MSN)</p>	<p>Research / National</p>	<p>2014</p>
<p>First Prize - Best Poster Presentation (Special Neuroscience Awards)</p> <p>(<u>Leong J.W.</u>, S. Abdullah, Ling KH & Cheah PS. Spatiotemporal expression profiling and molecular characterisation of miR-344b in the developing mouse brain. Research Week, Faculty of Medicine & Health Sciences, UPM. 25th – 26th June 2014, at the Faculty of Medicine & Health Sciences, UPM</p>	<p>Faculty of Medicine and Health Sciences, UPM</p>	<p>Research / Institute</p>	<p>2014</p>
<p>Third Prize - Best Poster Presentation (Special Neuroscience Awards)</p> <p>(<u>HC Lee</u>, Cheah PS, N Nordin, S Vidyadaran & KH Ling. Expression patterns of Jak-Stat signalling pathway in the developing brain of Ts1Cje mouse model. Research Week, Faculty of Medicine & Health Sciences, UPM. 25th – 26th June 2014, at the Faculty of Medicine & Health Sciences, UPM</p>	<p>Faculty of Medicine and Health Sciences, UPM</p>	<p>Research / Institute</p>	<p>2014</p>
<p>Second Prize - Best Poster Presentation (Health Sciences Category)</p>	<p>Faculty of Medicine and</p>	<p>Research / Institute</p>	<p>2014</p>

<p>(<u>U.Bala</u>, O. Fauziah, M.I. Lai, Ling KH & Cheah PS. Ts1Cje mouse model for Down syndrome exhibits motor function deficit, an implication of the peripheral nervous system. Research Week, Faculty of Medicine & Health Sciences, UPM. 25th – 26th June 2014, at the Faculty of Medicine & Health Sciences, UPM</p>	<p>Health Sciences, UPM</p>		
Third Prize - Best Poster Presentation (Health Sciences Category)			
<p>(<u>Lim CL</u>, Ramasamy R, Ling KH & Cheah PS. Isolation and Culture of Single Myofibers - An Approach to Analyze Satellite Cells. Research Week, Faculty of Medicine & Health Sciences, UPM. 25th – 26th June 2014, at the Faculty of Medicine & Health Sciences, UPM</p>	<p>Faculty of Medicine and Health Sciences, UPM</p>	<p>Research / Institute</p>	<p>2014</p>
Third Prize - Best Poster Presentation (Clinical/Medical Sciences Category)			
<p>(<u>Shahidee ZA</u>, J. Ameerah, SC Chan, AX Lee, MH Noor, SY LIM, AA Azlina, Cheah PS, KH Ling & MI Norlinah. Analysis of DRDs and GRIN2B genes polymorphisms and their association with the development of impulse control disorder among Malaysian Parkinson's disease patients. Research Week, Faculty of Medicine & Health Sciences, UPM. 25th – 26th June 2014, at the Faculty of Medicine & Health Sciences, UPM</p>	<p>Faculty of Medicine and Health Sciences, UPM</p>	<p>Research / Institute</p>	<p>2014</p>
BNC-MSN (Education Grant Awards)			
<p>(Travel Award to attend the Visit to National Neuroscience Institute, Singapore and National University Singapore, scheduled for June 12-14th, 2014)</p>	<p>Malaysian Society of Neurosciences (MSN)</p>	<p>Research / National</p>	<p>2014</p>
Champion for Clinical Presentation			
<p>National Anatomy & Pathology Summit (NAPS), 17th May 2014, For the presentation of "Circle of Willis"(Advisor)</p>	<p>AMSA (Asian Medical Student Association)</p>	<p>Academic / National</p>	<p>2014</p>
Excellence Service Certification			
<p>(For excellence service provided in the year 2013 at the Faculty of Medicine and Health Sciences, Universiti Putra Malaysia)</p>	<p>Universiti Putra Malaysia</p>	<p>Profession / University</p>	<p>2014</p>
1st runner up - Best 10 Researchers Award			
<p>(For excellence research publications for the year 2013, in conjunction with 2nd Research Week of the Faculty of Medicine and Health Sciences (FMHS), UPM. 18th – 19th June 2013.)</p>	<p>Faculty of Medicine and Health Sciences, UPM</p>	<p>Research / Faculty</p>	<p>2013</p>
First Prize - Best Poster Presentation Award (Postgraduate Category)			
<p>(<u>Hoo ME</u>, Ferdaos N, Cheah PS, Abdullah S, Ramasamy R & Nordin N. Unravelling the Neurogenic Capacity of Rat Full Term Amniotic Fluid Stem Cells (AFSCs). 2nd Research Week of the Faculty of Medicine and Health Sciences (FMHS), UPM. 18th – 19th June 2013.</p>	<p>Faculty of Medicine and Health Sciences, UPM</p>	<p>Research / Faculty</p>	<p>2013</p>
Best Publication Award			
<p>(24th Annual Scientific Meeting of Malaysian Society of Neurosciences. 14th - 16th June 2013, Pullman Kuching Hotel, Sarawak)</p>	<p>Malaysian Society of Neurosciences (MSN)</p>	<p>Research / National</p>	<p>2013</p>
First Prize - Best Poster Presentation Award			
<p>(<u>Tan KL</u>, Ling KH, Hewitt CA, Scott H, Cheah PS. Disrupted interferon-induced Jak-Stat signaling pathway in postnatal brain of Ts1Cje mouse model of Down syndrome. 24th Annual Scientific Meeting of Malaysian Society of Neurosciences. 14th - 16th June 2013, Pullman Kuching Hotel, Sarawak)</p>	<p>Malaysian Society of Neurosciences (MSN)</p>	<p>Research / National</p>	<p>2013</p>
Best Poster Presentation Award (Neuroscience Student Award 2013)			
<p>(<u>Hoo ME</u>, Ferdaos N, Cheah PS, Abdullah S, Ramasamy R & Nordin N. Unravelling the Neurogenic Capacity of Rat Full Term Amniotic Fluid Stem Cells (AFSCs). 3rd Annual Neuroscience Seminar. 11th June 2013. Faculty of Medicine and Health Sciences (FMHS), UPM.</p>	<p>Malaysian Society of Neurosciences (MSN)</p>	<p>Research / National</p>	<p>2013</p>

1st Prize - Best Poster Presentation Award (Life Science Category)			
<p><i>(Hoo ME, Ferdaos N, Cheah PS, Abdullah S, Ramasamy R & Nordin N. Differentiation of High Potency Rat Full Term Amniotic Fluid Stem Cells (AFSCs) into Ectodermal and Mesodermal Lineages. 22nd Scientific Conference Microscopy Society of Malaysia (MSM2013). Primula Beach Resort Kuala Terengganu, 26-28th Nov 2013.</i></p>	Microscopy Society of Malaysia (MSM)	Research / National	2013
Best Photo Micrograph (Light and Confocal Microscope)			
<p><i>(Hoo ME, Cheah PS, Abdullah S, Ramasamy R & Nordin N. Colorful Dancing Ribbons: A savior to Parkinson's Disease. 22nd Scientific Conference Microscopy Society of Malaysia (MSM2013). Primula Beach Resort Kuala Terengganu, 26-28th Nov 2013.</i></p>	Microscopy Society of Malaysia (MSM)	Research / National	2013
BNC-MSN Education Grant Award			
<p><i>(Travel Award to attend the 24th Annual Scientific Meeting of Malaysian Society of Neurosciences. 14th - 16th June 2013, Pullman Kuching Hotel, Sarawak)</i></p>	Malaysian Society of Neurosciences (MSN)	Research / National	2013
FAONS 2013 – Student Travel Award)			
<p><i>(Hoo ME, Ferdaos N, Cheah PS, Abdullah S, Ramasamy R & Nordin N. Neurogenic Differentiation of Rat Full Term Amniotic Fluid Stem Cells (AFSCs)". FAONS Symposium & ANS 2013. Melbourne Convention and Exhibition Centre, Australia, 3rd to 6th February 2013.</i></p>	FAONS (Federation of Asia Oceania Neuroscience Societies)	Research / International	2013
Best Pre-clinical Lecturer Award			
<p>An award by the students of Doctor of Medicine Programme for Year 2012/2013.</p>	Putra Medical Club	Academic / Institute	2013
Excellence Service Certification			
<p><i>(For excellence service provided in the year 2012 at the Faculty of Medicine and Health Sciences, Universiti Putra Malaysia)</i></p>	Universiti Putra Malaysia	Profession / University	2013
Best Poster Presentation Award			
<p><i>(Ling KH, Brautigan PJ, Moore S, Fraser S, Cheah PS, Raison JM, Stankovic M, Lee YK, Daish T, Mattiske DM, Mann JR, Adelson DL, Thomas PQ, Hahn CN and Scott HS. Characterisation of molecular roles of novel long non-coding RNAs at Sox4 gene locus during mouse brain development. 4th Malaysian Tissue Engineering & Regenerative Medicine Meeting (MTERMS) 2012 at Langkawi, Malaysia)</i></p>	Tissue Engineering Society of Malaysia	Research / National	2012
IBRO-SfN Travel Grant			
<p><i>(One of the 29 recipients in Asia selected for the grant to attend SfN AGM 2012 in New Orleans, USA)</i></p>	International Brain Research Organisation	Research / International	2012
2nd Runner-up – Best Research Paper Award	AMSA (Asian		
<p><i>(Lim, HW; Teh, JL; Ho, SY; Wong, WQ; Ng, HM; Goo, ZQ; Elayne Kuek K Wan, JK Assessing Disaster Preparedness Knowledge, Attitudes and Practices Among Medical Students. (Principal Project Supervisor). 26th East Asian Medical Student Conference 2012 Scientific Paper Competition, Tokyo, Japan, 26-30, December, 2012)</i></p>	Medical Student Association)	Research / International	2012
2nd Runner-up for Best Poster Presentation			
<p><i>(W.H. Siew, S. Abdullah, Cheah PS & K.H.Ling.. Construction and validation of an expression vector for miR-3099 for in utero electroporation into the developing mouse cerebral cortex. International Neuroscience Symposium 2012. 23rd – 25th June 2012 held in University Malaysia Sabah, Sabah.</i></p>	University Malaysia Sabah, Brain Research Institute Monash Sunway and NeuroMalaysia Society.	Research / International	2012
Best 10 Researchers Award			
	Faculty of Medicine and Health Sciences, UPM	Research / Faculty	2012

(For excellence research publications for the year 2012, in conjunction with Research Week of the Faculty of Medicine and Health Sciences (FMHS), UPM. June 2012.)

Best Poster Presentation (Life Sciences)

<i>(Nordin N., Hoo MF, Cheah PS, Ramasamy R, & Abdullah S. The essentiality of leukemia inhibitory factor (LIF) in maintaining the pluripotency of full term rat amniotic fluid stem cells. 20th Scientific Conference of Microscopy Society of Malaysia (EMSM 2011)</i>	Electron Microscopy Society of Malaysia (EMSM)	Research / National	2011
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20-22 December 2011.

1st Prize - Pre-EAMSC2012 Scientific Poster Competition

Lim, HW; Cheah YJ & Sip, PC. Pandemic Influenza A (H1N1) in 2009 (as advisor)	AMSA (Asian Medical Student Association)	Academic / National	2011
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1st Prize - World Breastfeeding Week Essay Competition

Lim, HW (as advisor)	AMSA (Asian Medical Student Association)	Academic / National	2011
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Silver medal award - UKM Research & Innovation Expo

<i>(Norhani Mohidin, Bariah Mohd Ali, Zainora Mohammed, Haliza Abd. Mutalib, Azian Abd. Latiff, Cheah PS & A.S. Santhana Raj. Control myopia with orthokeratology (OK) lenses.</i>	University Kebangsaan Malaysia (UKM)	Research / University	2006
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UPM Scholarship

<i>(For pursuing PhD degree at the University Kebangsaan Malaysia & National University of Malaysia, Selangor, Malaysia)</i>	Universiti Putra Malaysia	Academic / University	2003 - 2008
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National Fund for Higher Education Scholarship

<i>(National Fund for Higher Education Scholarship in recognition of first class honours achievement)</i>	National Higher Education Fund Corporation, Malaysia	Academic / National	2003
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Academic Excellence Award

<i>(Academic Excellence Award Year 2003 In recognition of outstanding scholastic achievement & excellence, KOJADI (Koperasi Jayadiri Malaysia Berhad), The Premier Education Loan Provider)</i>	KOJADI (Koperasi Jayadiri Malaysia Berhad)	Academic / National	2003
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Bronze medal award - UPM 2002 R&D Exhibition

<i>(Rozita R, Cheah PS, Shaban A, Nurawati S, Norshariza N, Karen C and Peter P. The effect of elected compounds on the expression of oncogenes in human breast cancer and human malignant glioma cell lines in vitro. UPM)</i>	University Putra Malaysia (UPM)	Research / University	2002
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Student Supervision

As Main Supervisor (or Chairman of the Supervisory Committee) in UPM

Degree	Name of candidates	Research / Thesis title	Candidature (Status)
Ph.D. <i>(Guidance committee)</i>	Thomas van Solinge [The Leiden University Medical Centre (LUMC), the Netherlands]	The effect if brain tumor-derived extracellular vesicles on the tumor microenvironment	2020- (ongoing)
Ph.D. <i>(Guidance committee)</i>	Erik Abels	Intercellular communication between glioma and innate immune cells.	2015-2020 (Graduated)

	[The Leiden University Medical Centre (LUMC), the Netherlands]		
M.Sc.	Eryse Seth (GS47594 – Neuroscience)	Metabolic profiling of neurospheres derived from embryonic cerebral cortex of Ts1Cje mouse model for Down syndrome	2015-2019 (Graduated)
M.Sc.	Lim Chai Ling (GS39382 – Neuroscience)	Molecular, metabolic and functional characterization of adult skeletal muscle in Down syndrome mouse model : insights into the muscle weakness seen in human condition	2013-2017 (Graduated)
Ph.D.	Usman Bala (GS36060 – Neuroscience)	Identification of molecular mechanism responsible for hypotonia in adult Ts1Cje mouse model of Down Syndrome.	2013-2016 (Graduated)
Ph.D.	Tan Kai Leng (GS30462 – Neuroscience)	The identification of disrupted molecular networks involved in brain maturation and function in the Ts1Cje mouse model of Down Syndrome	2011-2016 (Passed with distinction)
M.Sc.	Leong Jia Wen (GS33570 – Neuroscience)	Molecular characterization of novel miRNAs in the developing mouse brain	2012-2016 (Graduated)

As Co-Supervisor (or Member of the Supervisory Committee) in UPM

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MASTER CANDIDATES			
M.Sc.	Nur Amina Syarina binti Pauzi (GS27376 – Biotherapeutics)	Effects of blue-green microalgae compound on incision wound healing in diabetic rats	2010-2014 (Graduated)
M.Sc.	Chitra Sathe (GS27376 – Biotherapeutics)	Effects of blue-green microalgae compound on incision wound healing in diabetic rats	2010-2014 (Graduated)
M.Sc.	Manal Fathi (GS30785-Anatomy)	Anatomical and radiological study of human coracoid process of the scapula in Anatomy Dissection Hall, UPM and Hospital Serdang	2013-2017 (Graduated)
PHD CANDIDATES			
Ph.D.	Fatin Hannani binti Zakaria (GS44816 – Medical Biotechnology)	Thymoquinone-loaded nanostructured lipid carrier as a potential drug candidate for management of Alzheimer's disease and other neurodegenerative diseases	2015 – Present (on going)
Ph.D.	Hoo Mun Fun (GS28981 – Stem Cell)	Differentiation potential of full term rat amniotic fluid stem (AFs) cells into neural lineage	2012-2016 (Gaduated)
Ph.D.	Abubakar Muhammad Ali (GS31575 – Pharmacology)	Screening and evaluation of diabetic wound healing activity of <i>Moringa Oleifera</i> Lam using in vitro and in vivo wound models	2013-2015 (Graduated)
Ph.D.	Aminu Umar Kura (GS38283 – Toxicology)	Toxicity and biodistribution study of layered double hydroxide, single wall carbon nanotubes and iron oxide nano-materials containing levodopa in mouse cell and animal model.	2012-2014 (Graduated)
Ph.D.	Chitra Sathe (GS27698 – Molecular Biology)	Identification and characterization of the role of miRNAs in the neurogenic differentiation of mesenchymal stem cells	2010-2013 (Withdrew candidacy)
As Co-Supervisor (or Member of the Supervisory Committee) outside UPM			



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M.Sc.	Renuka a/p Gunasekaran Universiti Malaya (UM) MGN 140047	The functional role of nutritional oils in the embryonic development of mice in prevention of neural tube defects	2015-2017 (Graduated)