USP Workshop: Value of Pharmacopeial Standards – *Complimentary*

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This workshop aims to enhance understanding of the role and value of pharmacopeial standards in ensuring the quality, safety, and efficacy of medicines. Overall USP's perspectives and resources will also be discussed including information on USP's General Chapters, Reference Standards, Pharmaceutical Analytical Impurities (PAIs) which are designed to support manufacturers in monitoring and controlling the level of impurities in their products will be shared as well. It brings together regulators, industry professionals, and USP experts to:

Agenda:

- Explore how pharmacopeial standards support the drug product lifecycle
- Discuss how Pharmacopeial Documentary and Reference Standards mitigate risks to pharmaceutical quality
- Share regulatory perspectives and foster alignment
- Address emerging challenges such as nitrosamine impurities and microbiological risks
- Promote collaboration and knowledge exchange across the pharmaceutical ecosystem

Date: 15th September 2025 **Time:** 8.30am - 2.00 pm **Location: Institute for Drug Quality Control (IDQC)**

Registration Link: https://forms.gle/N7cnpiDZrXiCVrsS9

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Time	Topics	Speakers
8:30 am - 9.00 am	**Registration**	
9:00 am – 9.05 am (5 mins)	**Welcome & Opening Remarks**	**Assoc. Prof. Dr. Tran Viet Hung** Director, Institute of Drug Quality Control Ho Chi Minh City Vice Chairman, Vietnam Pharmacopoeia Commission, Ministry of Health
9.05 am – 9:35 am (30 mins)	**Value of Pharmacopeial Standards:** **Partnering for Quality: USP's Evolving Role in Drug Product Lifecycle**	**Daniel Tan** Strategic Customer Development Manager Southeast Asia The United States Pharmacopeia
9.35 am – 10:35 am (60 mins)	**How to Mitigate Risks to Pharmaceutical Quality:** **The Role of Pharmacopeial Documentary and Reference Standards**	**Amit Mukherjee** Senior Scientific Affairs Manager, The United States Pharmacopeia
10:35 am – 11:00 am (25 mins)	**Tea break**	**ALL**
11.00 am – 11.30 am (30 mins)	**Partnering for Quality: "The Regulator's Perspective on Pharmacopeial Standards"** *Also include sharing of:* *Nature of collaboration between IDQC and USP*	**Trinh Hoang Duong, Ph.D.** Head of Department Department of Standards and Reference Institute of Drug Quality Control Ho Chi Minh
11.30 am – 12.30 pm (60 mins)	**USP expert presentation – Part 2** **Nitrosamine and Microbiology**	**Amit Mukherjee** Senior Scientific Affairs Manager, The United States Pharmacopeia
12.30 pm – 12.40 pm (10 mins)	**Question & Answer**	**Amit Mukherjee** Senior Scientific Affairs Manager, The United States Pharmacopeia
12.40pm – 12.45 pm (5 mins)	**Photo taking**	**USP**
12.45 pm – 2.00 pm	**Networking lunch**	**ALL**