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Organization	Status	Executive Officer	Observer	Region
American Feed Industry Association (AFIA)	Invited	Joel Newman, M.B.A., B.A.		North America
American Spice Trade Association	Invited	Cheryl Deem		North America
Biologics and Genetic Therapies Directorate of Health Canada	Invited	Elwyn Griffiths	Elwyn Griffiths	North America
Calibration and Validation Group (CVG-Canada)	Invited	Herman Lam, Ph.D.	Herman Lam, Ph.D.	North America
Food Directorate (Health Canada)	Invited	Samuel Godefroy	William H. Ross, Ph.D.	North America
Midwestern Compendial Discussion Group	Invited	Philip Travis	Neil A. Schwarzwald, BS	North America
Natural Health Products Directorate, Health Canada	Invited	Michelle Boudreau	Michelle Boudreau	North America
Natural Products Association	Invited	John F. Gay	Daniel Fabricant, Ph.D.	North America
Science and Regulatory Section of Pharmaceutical Research and Manufacturers of America	Invited	Billy Tauzin	Michael Garvin, Pharm.D.	North America
Technical Advisory Committee of Generic Pharmaceutical Association (GPhA)	Invited	Kathleen D. Jaeger		North America
Western Compendial Discussion Group (WCDG)	Invited	Assad J. Kazeminy, Ph.D.	Assad J. Kazeminy, Ph.D.	North America
Argentina's National Food Institute (INAL/ANMAT)	Invited	Oscar Zubieta	Alicia Esperanza Menendez	Latin America/Caribbean
Argentine Association of Industrial Pharmacy and Biochemistry (SAFYBI)	Invited	Federico Montes de Oca	Federico Montes de Oca	Latin America/Caribbean
Brazil's National Institute of Metrology, Standardization and Industrial Quality (INMETRO)	Invited	Joao Alziro Herz da Jornada		Latin America/Caribbean
Brazil's National Institute of Quality Control in Health (INCQS)	Invited	Eduardo Chaves Leal	Filipe Quirino Silva, Ph.D.	Latin America/Caribbean
Brazilian Generic Drugs Pharmaceutical Manufacturers Association (Pro Genericos)	Invited	Odnir Finotti	Odnir Finotti	Latin America/Caribbean
Brazilian National Association of Pharmaceutical Magistrais (Anfarmag)	Invited	Maria do Carmo Garcez	Maria do Carmo Garcez	Latin America/Caribbean
Brazilian Research Based Pharmaceutical Manufacturers Association (Interfarma)	Invited	Jorge Raimundo	Jorge Raimundo	Latin America/Caribbean

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Caribbean Association of Pharmacists (CAP)	Invited	Bassil Scantlebury	Bassil Scantlebury	Latin America/Caribbean
Central America Integration System (SICA)	Invited	Juan Damian Aleman		Latin America/Caribbean
Colombia's National Institute of Drug and Food Surveillance (INVIMA)	Invited	Jairo Cespedes Camacho	Martha Cecilia Rodriguez Ramirez	Latin America/Caribbean
Latin American Association of Pharmaceutical Industries (ALIFAR)	Invited	Mirta Levis	Ruben Abete	Latin America/Caribbean
Mexican Pharmaceutical Association (AFMAC)	Invited	Carmen Margarita Rodriguez Cueva	Vicente Hernandez Abad	Latin America/Caribbean
Mexico's Federal Commission for the Protection Against Sanitary Risks (COFEPRIS)	Invited	Miguel Angel Toscano Velasco		Latin America/Caribbean
Mexico's National Board of Pharmacists (CNQFBM)	Invited	Ines Fuentes Noriega, Ph.D.	Ines Fuentes Noriega, Ph.D.	Latin America/Caribbean
Mexico's National Chamber of the Pharmaceutical Industry (CANIFARMA)	Invited	Jaime Uribe de la Mora	Jose Rivelino Flores, M.Sc.	Latin America/Caribbean
National Autonomous University of Mexico (UNAM)	Invited	Enrique Graue Wiechers		Latin America/Caribbean
Pan American Federation of Pharmacy (FEPAFAR)	Invited	Jose Manuel Cardenas	José Manuel Cárdenas	Latin America/Caribbean
Peru's General Directorate of Medicines, Supplies and Drugs (DIGEMID)	Invited	Victor Alejandro Dongo Zegarra	Laura Ceron, MS	Latin America/Caribbean
Pharmaceutical Federation for Central America and the Caribbean (PFCAC)	Invited	Jenny de Mory, Ph.C., B.S.Pharmaceutical Biologist	Jenny de Mory, Ph.C., B.S.Pharmace	Latin America/Caribbean
Sao Paulo State Pharmaceutical Manufacturers Association (Sindusfarma)	Invited	Omilton Visconde	Lauro D. Moretto	Latin America/Caribbean
South American Pharmaceutical Federation (FEFAS)	Invited	Q.R. Eduardo Savio	Aquiles Arancibia	Latin America/Caribbean
Univiersity of Valparaiso - Chilean Pharmacopeia Project	Invited	Patricia Carreno	Caroline R. Weinstein-Oppenheimer	Latin America/Caribbean
Venezuela's National Institute of Hygiene Rafael Rangel (INH-RP)	Invited	Jesus Querales Castillo		Latin America/Caribbean
European Federation of Food Science and Technology (EFFoST)	Invited	Dietrich Knorr		West Europe

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European Fine Chemicals Group	Invited	Guy Villax	Claudia Ferreira	West Europe
European Food Safety Authority	Invited	Catherine Geslain-Laneelle	Catherine Geslain-Laneelle	West Europe
Association of International Pharmaceuticals Manufacturers (Russia) (AIPM)	Invited	Vladimir G. Shipkov	Vladimir G. Shipkov	East Europe (CIS)
Association of Pharmaceutical Manufacturers of Ukraine	Invited	Peter Bagrij		East Europe (CIS)
Association of Russian Pharmaceuticals Manufacturers (ARPM)	Invited	Victor Dmitriev	Victor Dmitriev	East Europe (CIS)
Moscow Medical Academy School of Pharmacy		Vladimir L. Dorofeev	Vladimir L. Dorofeev	East Europe (CIS)
National Centre of Expertise for Drugs, Medical Products and Equipment (Kazakhstan)	Invited	Gulnara Berdimuratova	Ardak U. Tulegenova	East Europe (CIS)
National Pharmaceutical University of Ukraine	Invited	Valentin Chernykh	Victoriya Georgiyants	East Europe (CIS)
State Inspectorate for Quality Control of Medicines of Ukraine	Invited	Gennadiy V. Padalko	Gennadiy V. Padalko	East Europe (CIS)
The CIS Interstate Commission on Standardization, Registration & Quality Assurance of Medical Products	Invited	Executive Officer		East Europe (CIS)
Egyptian Chamber of Pharmaceutical Industry	Invited	Magdy Hassan	Abdulla Molokhia, Ph.D.	Middle East and North Africa (MENA)
Egyptian Syndicate of Pharmacists	Invited	Zakaria Gad		Middle East and North Africa (MENA)
General Authority for Health Services in the Emirate of Abu Dhabi	Invited	Zaid Dawood Alsiksek	Mohammed Abu Elkhair	Middle East and North Africa (MENA)
General Directorate of Pharmaceuticals and Pharmacy (Turkish Ministry of Health)	Invited	Eda Cindoglu, Pharm.D., M.Sc.		Middle East and North Africa (MENA)
Institute for Standardization and Control of Pharmaceuticals (Israel)	Invited	Ori Lerman, Ph.D.	Mimi Kaplan	Middle East and North Africa (MENA)
Iranian Pharmacopeia Commission	Invited	Morteza Rafiee-Tehrani	M. Raifee-Tehrani	Middle East and North Africa (MENA)
Jordan Food and Drug Administration (JFDA)	Invited	Mohammed Rawashdeh	Reem Abdelrahem Ismail Al Sheimat	Middle East and North Africa (MENA)
King Saud University College of Pharmacy	Invited	Yousif A. Asiri	Mohammad A. Al Meshal	Middle East and North Africa (MENA)

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National Drug Control Laboratory (Morocco)	Invited	Omar Bouazza	Laila Hakkou	Middle East and North Africa (MENA)
National Drug Control Laboratory (Tunisia)	Invited	Mohamed Radhouan Louhaichi, Ph.D.	Mohamed Radhouan Louhaichi, Ph.D	Middle East and North Africa (MENA)
National Organization for Drug Control & Research (NODCAR)	Invited	Kamal Sabra, Ph.D.		Middle East and North Africa (MENA)
Pharmaceutical Manufacturers Association of Turkey	Invited	Nezih Barnut	Turgut Tokgoz	Middle East and North Africa (MENA)
Saudi Food and Drug Authority (SFDA)	Invited	Saleh A. Bawazir	Abdullah M. Al-Mohizea, Ph.D.	Middle East and North Africa (MENA)
School of Medicine and Pharmacy (Morocco)	Invited	Yahia Cherrah	Azeddine Ibrahim	Middle East and North Africa (MENA)
Tehran University of Medical Sciences College of Pharmacy	Invited	Morteza Rafiee-Tehrani		Middle East and North Africa (MENA)
The Jordanian Association of Manufacturers of Pharmaceuticals & Medical Appliances (JAPM)	Invited	Maher Kurdi	Hanan Sboul	Middle East and North Africa (MENA)
Drug Administration and Control Authority of Ethiopia	Invited	Yehulu Denekew Alamneh	Yehulu Denekew Alamneh	Sub-Saharan Africa
Ethiopian Pharmaceutical Association	Invited	Haymanot Asefa		Sub-Saharan Africa
Ghana Food and Drug Board	Invited	Stephen Kwabena Opuni		Sub-Saharan Africa
Medicines Control Council of South Africa	Invited	Mandisa Hela		Sub-Saharan Africa
National Agency for Food and Drug Administration and Control of Nigeria	Invited	Paul B. Orhii		Sub-Saharan Africa
National Drug Authority of Uganda	Invited	Apollo Muhairwe	Apollo Muhairwe	Sub-Saharan Africa
Pharmaceutical Industry Association of South Africa (PIASA)	Invited	Jonathan Louw		Sub-Saharan Africa
Pharmaceutical Society of Ghana	Invited	Alex Dodoo, Ph.D.		Sub-Saharan Africa
Pharmaceutical Society of Nigeria	Invited	Anthony Akhimien	Olugbenga Olubowale	Sub-Saharan Africa
Pharmaceutical Society of South Africa (PSSA)	Invited	Sybil Seoka, Ph.D.	Robyn Daniel	Sub-Saharan Africa
Tanzania Food and Drugs Authority	Invited	Margaret Ndomondo-Sigonda	Yonah H. Mwalwisi	Sub-Saharan Africa

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The Pharmacy Board of Sierra Leone	Invited	Wiltshire C.N. Johnson	Wiltshire C.N. Johnson	Sub-Saharan Africa
West African Health Organisation	Invited	Placido Cardoso		Sub-Saharan Africa
Indian Drug Manufacturers' Association (IDMA)	Invited	Daara B. Patel	Daara B. Patel	South Asia
Ministry of Health and Family Welfare (India)	Invited	Ghulam Nabi Azad		South Asia
National Institute of Pharmaceutical Education & Research (NIPER)	Invited	P. Rama Rao, M.Pharm., Ph.D.		South Asia
Organisation of Pharmaceutical Producers of India (OPPI)	Invited	Tappan Ray		South Asia
Pharmaceuticals Exports Promotion Council (PHARMEXCIL)	Invited	P.V. Appaji		South Asia
Chinese Pharmaceutical Association	Invited	Guowei Sang	Liu Chunguang	East Asia (PACIFIC)
Indonesia Pharmacopeia Commission (FARMAKOPE INDONESIA)	Invited	Lucky S. Slamet	Reri Indriani	East Asia (PACIFIC)
Japan Pharmaceutical Manufacturers Association	Invited	Yuzunru Matsuda, Ph.D.		East Asia (PACIFIC)
Korean Pharmacopeia	Invited	Kim Hee-Sung, Pharm.D.	Kim Hye-Soo, Pharm.D.	East Asia (PACIFIC)
Pharmacopeia of Chinese Taipei (Taiwan)	Invited	Jaw-Jou Kang, Ph.D.	Weng-Foung Huang, Ph.D.	East Asia (PACIFIC)
Philippine Pharmacopeia	Invited	Leticia Barbara B. Gutierrez	Nazarita T. Tacandong, R.Ph., M.P.A.	East Asia (PACIFIC)
Thai Bureau of Drug and Narcotics	Invited	Rojana Kovithvattanaphong	Nantana Sittichai	East Asia (PACIFIC)
Thai Pharmacopeia Committee	Invited	Rojana Kovithvattanaphong	Sirichai Krabesri	East Asia (PACIFIC)
The Association of Southeast Asian Nations Secretariat (ASEAN)	Invited	Bounpheng Philavong		East Asia (PACIFIC)
Vietnamese Pharmacopeia Commission	Invited	Nguyen Van Tuu	Nguyen Thi Kim Thanh	East Asia (PACIFIC)
International Union of Food Science and Technology (IUFoST)	Invited	Geoffrey Campbell-Platt		World