

KIST EUROPE

The gateway to Korea-EU R&D collaboration

KIST Europe is the only governmental R&D institute of Korea in Europe founded in 1996 in Saarbrücken, Germany. Since its inception, KIST Europe has exhibited a sustainable growth to establish a bridgehead for Korean R&D institutes and industries seeking collaborations and advances into the Europe.

VISION & CORE STRATEGIES

Serve as an Open Research Platform
for Korea-EU R&D Collaboration
and Industry Support



Capacity

- Concentration on core research themes
- Expansion of research infrastructure to the strengthen core research capacities



Open R&D

- Launching a global test-bed platform to stimulate R&D cooperation
- Expansion of cooperation with EU



Industry Support

- Support for improved sustainability and industrial competitiveness

LOCATION & INFRASTRUCTURE



KIST Europe Main Building



Korea-EU Cooperation Building



Guest House (Coming Soon)

HISTORY

1995.03

The official visit of the 14th Korean President KIM, Youngsam to Germany. Both governments agreed on the establishment of a Korean research institute organization within FhG.

1996.02

Foundation of KIST Europe
Roles: Researches on applied environmental & strategic technologies and channels for national cooperations
Classification of organization : Limited liability company with 1 sole member (President of KIST)

2000.04

1st building completion (providing 5,275 m² with 4 stories)
Facilities : Laboratories, Offices, Meeting Rooms, Lecture and Conference Rooms

2006.04

10th Anniversary

2010.04

2nd building completion (providing 2,069 m² with 3 stories)
Facilities : 2 complexes for offices, laboratories

Roles : Providing facilities for local industries, academic institutions and research organisations

2016.05

20th Anniversary

2017.12

Inauguration of 8th Director (Dr. Junkyung Kim)

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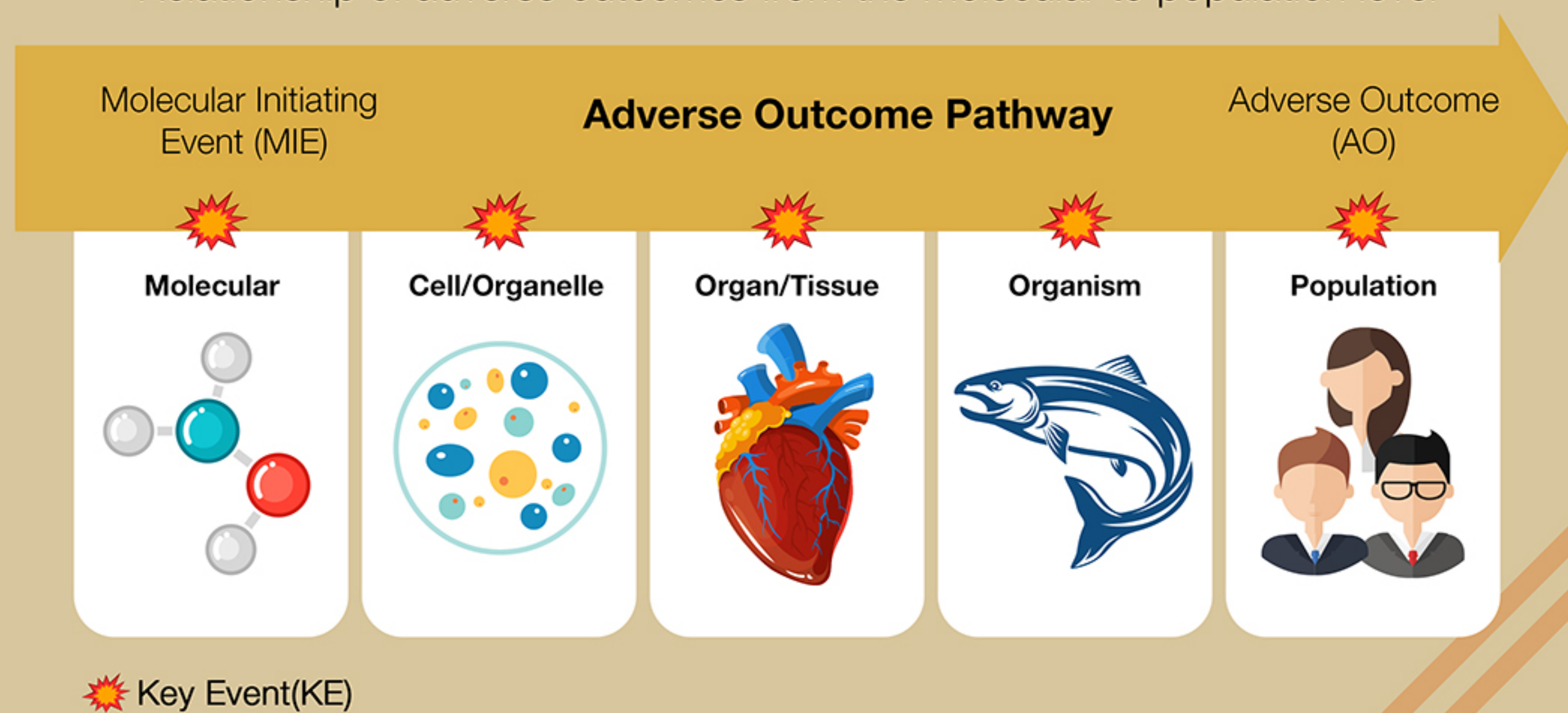
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SIGNATURE RESEARCH

THEME Development of Steroidogenesis AOP framework

Definition of AOP

Relationship of adverse outcomes from the molecular to population level



RESEARCH AREAS

ENVIRONMENTAL SAFETY

- + Adverse outcome pathway platform for non-animal or animal alternative test in chemical safety assessment
- + Ecotoxicological model using zebrafish embryo/larvae and other environmental biota
- + Quantitative mass spectrometry based metabolomics in toxicological assessment
- + 3D tissue mimics and organoids for in vitro toxicity screening
- + Mathematical biology and in silico computational ecotoxicology
- + Environmental Risk assessment on EDCs



BIOSENSOR

- + EDC screen sensors simulating enzymes and receptors
- + Probe materials with high selectivity to molecules/heavy metals for non-animal or animal alternative test
- + Ultra high efficient electrophoretic analysis and isotachophoretic sample concentration
- + Magnetotactic bacteria for environmental safety assessment
- + Flow batteries and fuel cells with ionic liquid for improvement of device safety



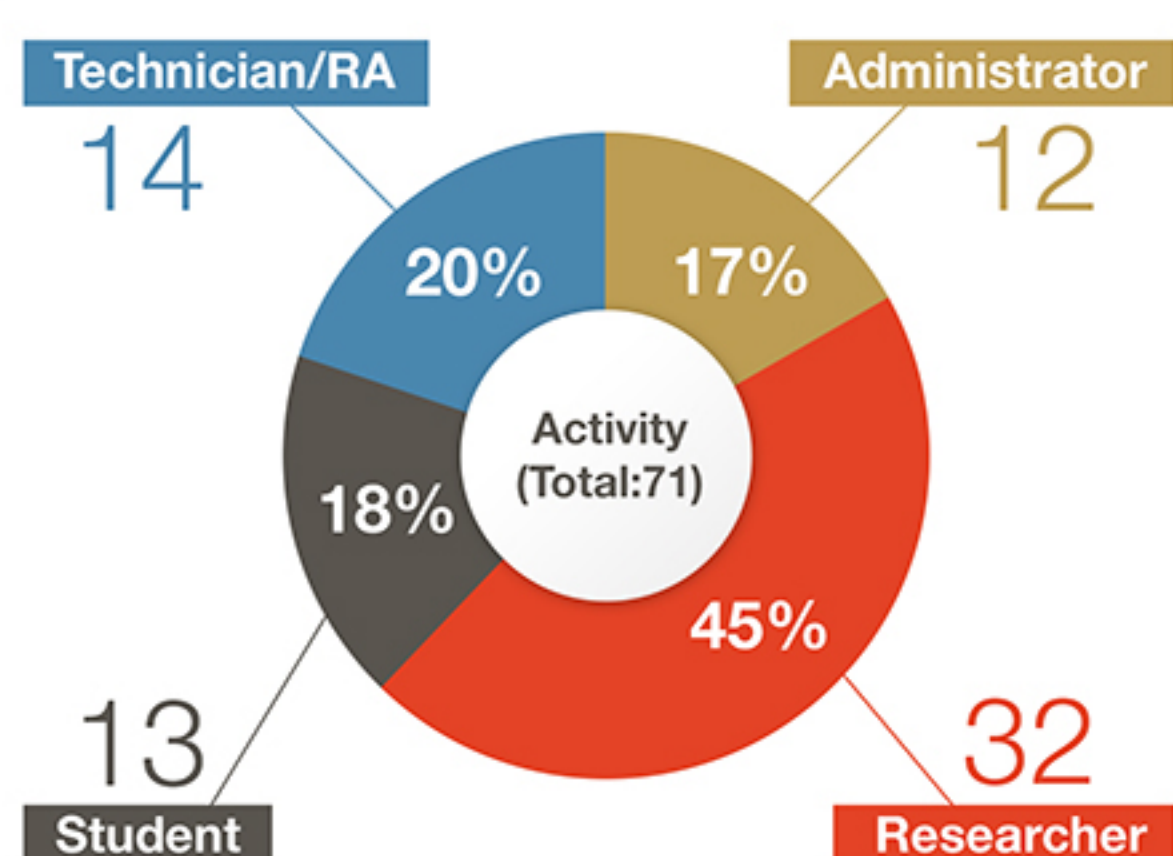
SMART CONVERGENCE

- + Development of IoT-based monitoring system
- + Machine learning algorithm for smart services
- + Conceptual architecture design of future mobile and web applications
- + Analysis and consulting for Industry 4.0 (Smart Factory/Healthcare/City etc)



PERSONNEL STATUS

Number of Employees (As of 2019.06)



Nationality of Employees (As of 2019.06)

