

The South Plains Section of the American Chemical Society

Cordially invites you to its

2017 AWARDS BANQUET

Texas Tech Club (East Club, 5th Floor) (East side of Jones AT&T Stadium), SW Corner of University & Marsha Sharp Freeway, Lubbock TX

FRIDAY, APRIL 21st

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| Evening Mixer | 6:00 PM |
| Gourmet Dinner (with drink ticket) | 6:30 PM |
| Awards Ceremony & Speakers | following dinner |

Keynote Speaker: Tomoyasu Mani

Presentation title: “Power of Pulse Radiolysis”

Biographical Sketch: Tomo Mani earned a B.S. in Biochemistry from the University of Texas at Dallas in 2009 where he worked in the laboratory of Prof. A. Dean Sherry. He was a Summer Undergraduate Research Fellow at the University of Texas at Dallas Southwestern Medical Center in 2008. He then obtained a Ph.D. in Biochemistry and Molecular Biophysics from the University of Pennsylvania under the guidance of Prof. Sergei A. Vinogradov in 2013. His graduate study focused on magnetic field effects on molecular emissivity. From 2014-2016, he was a Goldhaber Fellow in the Chemistry Department at Brookhaven National Laboratory, working in the Electron- and Photo-Induced Processes for Molecular Energy Conversion Group directed by Dr. John R. Miller. In the fall of 2016, he joined the Department of Chemistry at the University of Connecticut as an assistant professor. In 2016, he won the Blavatnik Regional Award in Chemistry. His current research explores the application of physical and organic chemistry methods to understand the basic mechanisms of charge and energy transfer in molecular systems for applications in renewable energy and biomedical imaging technologies.

Please join us for an evening of fun plus fellowship.

2017 ACS Awards Banquet Reservation Form—Please RSVP (email or USPS) by Thursday, April 13th (for meal planning)

Please include a check for \$20.00 per person (or bring with you if you email RSVP)—payable to South Plains ACS

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Number in your party: _____ Names of others in party:

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