

## Current Guo Lab News

- Dr. Guo's lab is currently holding 11 grants-the latest being 3 million in funding from NCI for cancer research, RNA nanotherapy and drug development.
- 13 new lab members have been added and the lab has been offered to be relocated from Hamilton Hall to the Biomedical Research Tower-the most prestigious research building at OSU.
- Recently, Dr. Guo chaired four international conferences:
  - 1.) The International Conference on Nanopore Technology in China. During the conference twenty prime television stations interviewed Dr. Guo. (See photo below) The conference discussed research, application and development of nanotechnology, and the problems and shortcoming in the prevention and treatment of malignant tumors.



- 2.) The Society of Chinese Bioscientists in America which was held June 29-July 3, 2017 in Hangzhou, China. The purpose of this society is to promote research in biosciences; to advance biological and medical knowledge; to improve occupational opportunities of its members; to facilitate professional networking among members; to establish a spirit of fraternity and international cooperation.
- 3.) Dr. Guo chaired 2017 International Symposium on RNA Based Targeted Therapy and International Conference on RNA nanotechnology and the 1st Preparative Meeting for International Society of RNA Nanotechnology and Nanomedicine from April 7-9, 2017. About 150 people attended this symposium (see meeting photo).



- 4.) Dr. Guo is organizing a conference at OSU The First Conference on Biomotors, Virus Assembly, and Nanobiotechnology Applications from August 16-19, 2017 (see

<http://rnanano.osu.edu/Guo/Biomotor2017/Biomotor2017.html> ). Currently, the conference has 180+ attendees, with more than seventy leading scientists and engineers. Our speakers include many members of the National Academy of Sciences, editors of prestigious journals, and directors of national centers, with interdisciplinary field including: biochemistry, biophysics, structural biology, microbiology, cell biology, molecular biology, RNA/DNA nanotechnology virology and nanotechnology.

- In addition, he was elected as the president of International Society of RNA Nanotechnology and Nanomedicine (ISRNN)