



**CITATION FOR PROFESSOR MARKUS R WENK  
UNIVERSITY RESEARCH RECOGNITION AWARD**

Professor Markus Wenk is one of the leading researchers in the emerging field of lipidomics, in which he had developed novel approaches in the global analysis of lipids for applications in drug and biomarker development.

Markus' seminal work on the development of novel techniques in analysing phospholipid metabolism at the neurological nerve terminal and subsequent work, had contributed to major advancements in the field of lipid metabolism. His research interest in the development of novel tools for lipid research and their applications in clinical and basic research have resulted in many collaborations worldwide, including industry partnerships.

Markus had been instrumental in establishing the Singapore Lipidomics Incubator, in short SLING, which is the first centralised programme that is dedicated to innovation, education and collaboration for Lipidomics research globally and in NUS. Under his leadership, SLING has developed to be one of the few centres of excellence in Lipidomics worldwide. For his contribution to lipids research, he was awarded the European Lipid Science Award in 2018, by the European Federation for the Science and Technology of Lipids.

This evening, we are proud to present the University Research Recognition Award to Professor Markus Wenk for his achievements. Congratulations!