

**SINGAPORE YOUTH AWARD 2010**  
**MEDAL OF COMMENDATION**

**DR NG HUCK HUI**

*“Our future is shaped by how we educate, encourage and enable the young people.”*



**Dr Ng Huck Hui was conferred the Singapore Youth Award for Science & Technology in 2005 for his outstanding achievements as a researcher in the biomedical sciences, and for being an excellent role model for young scientists.**

**Since then, he has continued to excel in his research expertise as Senior Group Leader at the Genome Institute of Singapore. Under his leadership, his team has made significant advancements and breakthroughs in the area of stem-cell research for application in therapy and genomics. In 2006, he also became one of the founding members of the Asian Epigenome Alliance that fosters scientific interactions among scientists in Asia.**



**Dr Ng’s eminence in the local and global biomedical sciences arena is evident in his involvement as speaker at international conferences; reviewer of 36 international journals; member of the editorial board for five international journals; and grant reviewer for 17 local and international organisations.**

**In recognition of his scientific excellence, Dr Ng was honoured with the National Science Award by the Agency for Science, Technology and Research in 2007, the Young Outstanding Persons Award of Singapore in 2009 and the Chen New Investigator Award in 2010. With a citation of over 7,300 times, Dr Ng was also ranked in the highest 20 percent among top 4,000 scientists worldwide in the Molecular Biology and Genetics category by the Essential Science Indicators in 2009.**



**Dr Ng continues to inspire and mentor young scientists. One of his former students, Dr Loh Yui Han, was awarded the Singapore Young Scientist Award in 2009 and the Philip Yeo Prize in 2008 for his outstanding research performance.**

**For achieving, contributing and inspiring youths at significantly higher levels after being awarded the Singapore Youth Award, Dr Ng Huck Hui is conferred the Medal of Commendation 2010.**