



# 2021 Election

## American Society of Plant Biologists

### **Enid MacRobbie Corresponding Membership Award**

**Shu-Hsing Wu**  
*Academia Sinica*

Shu-Hsing Wu is Director and Distinguished Research Fellow/ Professor at the Institute of Plant and Microbial Biology, Academia Sinica, Taipei in Taiwan. Shu-Hsing has been performing important and innovative research in the areas of transcriptional and posttranscriptional regulation of plant gene expression, photomorphogenesis, circadian clock, and systems biology. She has also assumed a leadership role in the field of plant mi-RNAs. Shu-Hsing has been well respected in the international plant communities having served as President, Asia and Oceania Society for Photobiology (AOSP) (2015-2017), and she remains a sought after speaker at international

conferences on plant development and photobiology. Among the awards she has received, she was the Thompson Citation Laureate in 2006 for papers she had published. It's important to note that Shu-Hsing established her independent research career strictly in Taiwan after receiving her basic training in the US. She has been a loyal and dedicated ASPB member, having attended more than 25 annual meetings. In addition, she has reviewed numerous manuscripts for the ASPB journals. Shu-Hsing is extremely influential in promoting plant biology in Taiwan. She has served in important positions that allow her to enhance the visibility of plant biology, as well as to secure valuable resources for research and education in plants. She has also been a champion in promoting gender balance in the plant biology community in Taiwan and elsewhere. Overall, Shu-Hsing has established a prominent research program in a country outside the US, yet remains a dedicated ASPB member actively participating in society activities.