

Newsletter



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President's Jottings

Dr. Lilian Leong

Some of us had been engaging during the last few weeks and weekends in activities relating to radiology or our College's events. We had our Fellowship Part II examination, our Annual Scientific meetings, the Ho Hung Chiu Lecture delivered by Prof. TSUI Lap Chee and our trip to Guangzhou, to participate in the 11th Annual Scientific Congress of Chinese Radiological Society (CCR). For our ASM, we had the highest number of registrants this year, reaching almost 500. Some overseas participants got the information from our website. They gave us the feedback that we should promote our ASM energetically as there could be a lot of overseas Chinese and non-Chinese professionals interested to take a trip to Hong Kong and to attend some professional meetings. We also had enthusiastic submissions of proffered papers and posters, more than last year. For our delegation to CCR, we had supported almost 20 delegates. It was the "largest" delegation so far, and we had put up scientific posters for the occasion.

I had attended the CCR a number of times and I appreciate the rapid evolution of this annual function of Chinese Radiological Society. This year, the participants reached almost 2000. There were seven parallel sessions, large number of electronic CME demonstration and enthusiastic participation in lectures delivered in English. The same phenomenon was noted with the very large congresses, like the ECR, that is, increasing number of participants, more international inputs and moving towards electronic presentations regarding CME and scientific exhibits. It is interesting to observe that, even though there may be increasing electronic presentations, there has been no decrease in number of registrants. All these demonstrate the quest for updated knowledge, for the opportunities to interact with fellow professionals and to acquaint with the activities of radiological societies, not just through the publications.

Talking about presentations and continuous medical education via electronic media, radiology, especially in Medical Imaging, is the specialty in Medicine much affected by this digital revolution. It has transformed our practice into an era of digital imaging and communication, changed our relationship with the patients and clinicians and changed the mode of delivery of healthcare. Radiologists all over the world have been pushing this digital revolution especially in the development of PACS. Yet in Hong Kong, the development of PACS (Picture Archiving and Communication system) has been fragmented and sluggish. Some of the "miniPACS systems" installed in those few hospitals may not have common platform to enable them to 'talk' between radiology and other parties. The establishment of the interface between PACS and other electronic

management systems like RIS (Radiology Information System) in the public sector in the region has been a strenuous process though most of the problems are solved through joint efforts. In a recent article on the South China Morning Post online, 10th Nov 2003, titled "Hospitals lack 'indispensable' X-ray system", Hong Kong was implicated to be falling behind compared with most of the developed countries. The article also mentioned the usefulness of PACS especially in situation like the SARS. I totally agree with the message posed by this article. Personally and together with my colleagues, many lectures and demonstrations had been organized and delivered to our radiology professionals, clinicians, administrators and financial controllers, on the essential role played by PACS for more than 10 years. The progress is however disappointingly slow and in this unfavorable economic climate, we do not expect a leap in its implementation. To reflect on the slow progress, I am wondering whether the College could set up, like other societies, e.g. RSNA, an Electronic Communication Committee to tackle the region's development in this respect.

Radiology community is much motivated by this year's Nobel Prize in Physiology and Medicine. It is awarded to Professor Paul Lauterbur and Sir Peter Mansfield from either sides of the Atlantic, for their work in Magnetic Resonance Imaging. In fact, the discovery of nuclear magnetic resonance and relaxation had led to the Nobel Prize in Physics in 1952, shared by Felix Bloch and Edward Purcell. The initial use was in the area of non-destructive analysis of chemical structure of different substances. From there, Prof. Lauterbur and Sir Mansfield have worked relentlessly on the medical uses of MR. The first MR medical image was published in 1973. Without their devotion, we may not have the scanning sequence like EPI (echo planar imaging), images may not be seen as 2-dimensional representation of the internal signal changes inside the patient. With the first Nobel prize in Physics in 1901 to William Roentgen for the discovery of X rays, followed by Prizes to Marie & Piere Curie, Henri Becquerel, Hounsfield and Cormack.....this year the Nobel Foundation has again formally recognized the contribution of medical imaging in health science. We indeed appreciate the impact of these discoveries, not only for what they could do at that time but what could be developed from them. I am sure we all share the joy of the Nobel Laureates and are proud to be in the Radiology profession.

Lastly, may I wish all of you a happy, healthy and fruitful 2004!!

Lilian Leong
November 2003

The 11th Annual General Meeting of Hong Kong College of Radiologists

Our eleventh Annual General Meeting was held on 8 September, 2003 at Seminar Room 332, Level 3, K Block, Department of Radiology, Queen Mary Hospital, Hong Kong. There were altogether 5 vacant posts and the elected officers are as follows:

<i>Senior Vice-President</i>	<i>Dr. LAU, Wai Hon</i>
<i>Vice-President</i>	<i>Dr. LAM, Hon Shing</i>
<i>Honorary Treasurer</i>	<i>Dr. TONG, Cheuk Man</i>
<i>Council Member</i>	<i>Dr. CHAN, Tze Man</i>
<i>Council Member</i>	<i>Dr. CHOI, Ho Keung, Peter</i>

In addition, Mr. Peter W.H. MARK was reappointed as our Honorary Legal Advisor and Mr. Charles CHAN as our Honorary Auditor.

The 11th Annual Scientific Meeting of Hong Kong College of Radiologists

This year, the meeting was again held at the Hong Kong Academy of Medicine Jockey Club Building, on 18th and 19th October 2003.

The scientific programme was most exciting. This was reflected by the enthusiastic response ; over 450 participants registered for the meeting.

For Clinical Radiology, there were subspecialty focus sessions on “Body Imaging” and “Musculoskeletal Radiology”. For Clinical Oncology, the emphasis was “Novel Therapy in Oncology”. For Nuclear Medicine, “PET Imaging” was the theme.

There were two lunch symposia on CT. Dr. K.W. Siu of Queen Elizabeth Hospital shared their experience on the new 16-slice scanner and the impact on radiological practice (Our days with Multi-slice CT: Heaven or Hell?). Radiology colleagues will have to familiarize themselves with soft reading. Administration will have to decide on the logistics of data storage and archives. On the lighter side with new technology, Dr. K.H. Fung employed 3D software packages to create artistic images to depict the beauty of internal human anatomy.

We were highly honoured that Dr. Robin Hunter, Registrar of the Royal College of Radiologists, had accepted our invitation to deliver a lecture on “Towards the Individualization of Radiotherapy”. Our RCR examiners, Dr. Mike King, Dr. Gareth Rees, Dr. Alison McLean and Dr. Steward Coltart, were also members of the overseas faculty.

In Clinical Radiology's "Body Imaging" session, our overseas and local faculty exchanged their valuable experiences in an important but not-so-common pathology of the pancreas: Islet Cell Tumours. Dr. Alison McLean lectured on "Imaging of Pancreatic Islet Cell Tumours", and our Warden, Dr. F.L. Chan, talked about his experience in "Arterial Stimulation Venous Sampling for Regional Localization of Insulinoma".

We received 107 proffered paper submissions this year, among which 75 were accepted, 35 for oral presentation and 40 as posters.

Using the Education and Research Fund generated from the Radiology 2000 Congress, five overseas delegates were sponsored to attend the meeting. They have been nominated by their local Radiology professional bodies. These delegates came from Macau, Vietnam, Japan and Malaysia.

The College would like to thank our members and fellows, as well as our radiographers, physicists and nursing colleagues, for their support of the function. We would like to thank especially our abstract reviewers, our judges for the various awards, our session chairpersons, the organizers of the film quiz, our audio-visual team, our secretaries, the Hong Kong Academy of Medicine secretariat and other staff, and our College Secretariat.

Finally, we would also like to thank our sponsors. Despite the impact of SARS on our economy and other rising economic pressures, they had demonstrated their unfailing support and enthusiasm in the promotion of radiology education and the maintenance of high professional standards for the radiology profession in Hong Kong.



Dr. F.L Chan, Dr. J. Khoo and Dr. L. Leong with three overseas delegates who were sponsored by our College Education and Research Fund to attend the ASM.

Joint Ceremonies for the Admission of New Fellows & the 4th H.C. Ho Lecture

The third Joint Ceremonies for the Admission of New Fellows of the Royal College of Radiologists (RCR) & Hong Kong College of Radiologists (HKCR) was held on 18th October 2003 at the Lim Por Yuen Theatre of the Hong Kong Academy of Medicine Jockey Club Building.

Dr. Robin Hunter, Registrar of the Royal College, represented the Royal College at the ceremony.

Successful candidates at the October 2003 Joint Final Fellowship, and radiologists who have been successful at the 2003 exit assessment of the HKCR, were admitted as new Fellows of the corresponding colleges during the same occasion.

Eight new fellows were admitted to the Fellowship of the Royal College of Radiologists, four in the Faculty of Clinical Radiology, and four in the Faculty of Clinical Oncology.

Fifteen new fellows were admitted to the Fellowship of Hong Kong College of Radiologists.

Radiology colleagues, family and friends came to this historical occasion to celebrate with the successful candidates in one of the most important milestones of their career, and to show their support for our newly admitted Fellows.

The occasion was graced by the presence of many honoured guests: Dr. C.H. Leong, President of the Hong Kong Academy of Medicine and Chairman of the Hospital Authority; Professor Lap-Chee Tsui, Vice-Chancellor of the University of Hong Kong; Dr. William Ho, Chief Executive of the Hospital Authority; Presidents and representatives from other Academy Colleges; and our beloved Emperor, Professor H.C. Ho.

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After the Joint Ceremonies, Professor Lap-Chee Tsui delivered the fourth H.C. Ho lecture, entitled "Genetics and Genomics in Disease Studies". A Dinner of the Colleges was then held in the Run Run Shaw Hall at the Academy Building, which brought the memorable occasion to a happy and relaxing conclusion.



Stage Party of the Joint Ceremonies for Admission of New Fellows.



Dr L. Leong and Dr F.L. Chan together with our guests at the Joint Ceremonies for Admission of New Fellows.



Happy faces at the Joint Ceremonies for Admission of New Fellows.



Professor HC Ho, Dr L. Leong and Professor Lap-chee Tsui at the Fourth Ho Hung Chiu Lecture.

Joint Final Examination for Fellowship – October 2003**Clinical Radiology**

Date: 16 October 2003
Venue: 3/F, Block H, Department of Radiology, Queen Mary Hospital
Examiners: Dr. Mike KING (Senior Examiner)
Dr. Alison McLean (Examiner)
Dr. FUNG Kai Hung (Examiner)
Dr. CHAN Yu Leung (Examiner)
Dr. Ann KING (Observer)
Dr. YUEN Ming Keung (Observer)

Successful Candidates:

HO Ting	Queen Mary Hospital
LAM Chiu Ying Flora	Queen Elizabeth Hospital
LI Allen	United Christian Hospital
SY Nga Lun	Queen Mary Hospital

Clinical Oncology

Date: 15-16 October 2003
Venue: 4/F, Block R, Department of Clinical Oncology,
Queen Elizabeth Hospital
Examiners: Dr. Gareth REES (Senior Examiner)
Dr. Stewart COLTART (Examiner)
Dr. KWAN Wing Hong (Examiner)
Dr. NGAN Kai Cheong Roger (Examiner)
Dr. TUNG Yuk, Stewart (Examiner)
Dr. FU Yiu Tung (Observer)
Dr. CHUA Tsin Tien, Daniel (Observer)

Successful Candidates:

CHAN Leung Cho	Prince of Wales Hospital
LAW Lai Yau Ada	Pamela Youde Nethersole Eastern Hospital
LEE Siu Hong	Queen Elizabeth Hospital
POON Siu Leung Falcon	Tuen Mun Hospital

Exit Assessment - July 2003

An Exit Assessment was held on 18 July 2003 at Room 10, 2/F, Hong Kong Academy of Medicine Jockey Club Building. The Panel Chairman was Dr F.L. Chan. The assessors for Radiology included Dr. K.H. Fung and Dr. Susan Chan. There was only one candidate, Dr. Gregory Ernest Antonio and he was successful in the assessment.

FRCR 2004 Examination Schedule

THE ROYAL COLLEGE OF RADIOLOGISTS *Examination Calendar 2004*

December 2003	08	FRCR	First Examination – Clinical Radiology
March 2004	01-02	FRCR	First Examination – Clinical Oncology
	08	FRCR	First Examination – Clinical Radiology
	29-30	FRCR	Final Part A Examination – Clinical Radiology
April 2004	05	FRCR	Final Written Papers – Clinical Oncology
	19-23	FRCR	Final Part B Examination – Clinical Radiology
	26-29	FRCR	Final Oral & Clinical Examinations – Clinical Oncology
June 2004	14	FRCR	First Examination – Clinical Radiology
September 2004	06-07	FRCR	First Examination – Clinical Oncology
	27-28	FRCR	Final Part A Examination – Clinical Radiology
October 2004	04	FRCR	Final Written Papers – Clinical Oncology
	11-15	FRCR	Final Part B Examination – Clinical Radiology
	25-28	FRCR	Final Oral and Clinical Examinations – Clinical Oncology
December 2004	13	FRCR	First Examination – Clinical Radiology

Part 2 Fellowship Lecture Course

2003 Part 2 Fellowship Lecture Course

Period:	1 November 2003 – 28 Feb 2004
Time:	0915 - 1230, Saturday mornings
Venue:	Lecture room (J-LG04), Lower Ground, Block J, Queen Elizabeth Hospital
Registration Fee	HK \$1,500
Deadline of Registration	15 October 2003

Registration forms can be obtained from the Unit Head of the Department of Radiology at the HA hospitals, from our College's Secretariat, or from our College Homepage <http://www.hkcr.org>. Photocopies of forms are acceptable.

Please send completed registration form and cheque for registration fee to the Secretariat of the College.

Message from the Hong Kong Academy of Medicine

Below is an important message from the Hong Kong Academy of Medicine concerning CME and the Practising Certificate:

“ Fellows may be aware that the Medical Council resolved in March 2002 that CME would be made a requirement for all practising doctors, starting from January 2005.

It is anticipated that a 3-year practising certificate would replace the existing 1-year certificate effective from January 2005 and that the specialist CME would be accepted for renewal of Practising Certificate. As such, the Academy Council has decided to synchronize the CME cycles with the duration of the practising certificate. The Academy Council agreed that all CME cycles for existing Fellows shall start afresh from 1 January 2005. In order to achieve this end, CME cycles started within 3 years before 1 January 2005 will have to be counted on a pro-rata basis. This means that if a Fellow's CME cycle length before 1 January 2005 is 1.5 years, the Fellow shall need to gain 45 CME points before 1 January 2005. “

Self study CME activities in MLMS

Self-study CME activities for fellows of the Hong Kong College of Radiologists are now available in electronic format on the Members Learning & Management System (MLMS) at the website of the Hong Kong Academy of Medicine. Such activities include selected articles from the Hong Kong Medical Journal or other professional literature, Case of the Month and video lectures. The CME point scored by reaching the criterion on attempting the quiz will be electronically recorded to the fellow's CME account.

"Case of the Month" with quiz for CME has been available on MLMS since 1 July 2003. The "Case of the Month" may be a case with clinical images, or clinical issues, and can be contributed by a fellow in Radiology, Clinical Oncology or Nuclear Medicine. Each Case should be authored by only one fellow, and 3 Category A points will be awarded to the author once the case is accepted and mounted on MLMS. All fellows of the College are welcome to submit the quiz materials with corresponding MCQ (preferably 5 questions) with answers and discussion, in electronic format to Dr. F.L. Chan at flchan@ha.org.hk for consideration. The Cases of July and August already on MLMS can be referred to as regards the format of the submission.

CME in JHKCR

The Journal of the Hong Kong College of Radiologists has introduced CME for Fellows of the Hong Kong College of Radiologists. It is based on published articles in the Journal, and the Editorial Board exercises the duty in selecting appropriate articles for such purpose.

One CME point will be awarded to satisfactory completion (60% or over with correct answers) of questions from each article selected. Fellows of the College participate by returning the answer sheet by mail or fax to the College Secretariat.

The 11th Chinese Congress of Radiology

The 11th Chinese Congress of Radiology (CCR) (Guangzhou. 8th to 10th November 2003)

The 11th Chinese Congress of Radiology, organized by the Radiology Society of Chinese Medical Association, was held in Guangzhou on 8th to 10th November 2003.

The Hong Kong College of Radiologists organized a faculty consisting of nine speakers for the meeting. Our speaker representatives and their lecture titles included:

Dr. F.L. Chan	Imaging of Skull Base
Dr. Cheng Pui Wai	Interventional Radiology of the Head and Neck
Dr. Winnie Chu	並發急性神經系統症狀之兒童癌病患者的造影檢查
Dr. Timothy Hon	Personal Digital Assistants in Radiology
Dr. Raymond Lee	頭頸部腫瘤的動脈灌注治療
Dr. Lilian Leong	Radiology: Accreditation and quality issues in emerging economies
Dr. Clara Ooi	The role of Radiology in the management of SARS
Prof. Wong Kai Ping	Radiological Interventions in Hepatocellular Carcinoma
Dr. Wong Yik	踝關節和足病變的 MR 表現

The overseas faculty included renowned and prominent speakers like Professor Alexander Margulis, Professor Anne Osborn, Dr. Holger Pettersson, Dr. Juergen Hennig, and Professor Lenny Tan. The lectures were held in as many as five to seven parallel sessions, with focus sessions on neuroradiology, cardiothoracic radiology, interventional radiology, MR, musculoskeletal radiology, and other subspecialties in radiology. Over 1700 local and overseas delegates attended the meeting.

A grand Opening Ceremony was held at the famous Zhongshan Ji Nian Tang (中山紀念堂) in the evening of 8th November 2003. The ceremony was followed by a two-hour variety show, which consisted of highly entertaining musical and dance performances, as well as comedy and magic shows. One of the singers had specially dedicated a song to delegates from Hong Kong, Macau and Taiwan: “家和萬事興”.



Speakers from the Hong Kong College of Radiologists and also other delegates from Hong Kong



From left to right: Prof Feng, Dr. C.S. Chan, Dr. F.L. Chan, Prof. J.P.Dai, and Dr. S. Lau at the Congress.



Dr. Winnie Chu, Dr. Lilian Leong, and Dr. Jennifer Khoo with other local delegates at the Congress.

The Clinical PET Centre of QEH

The Positron Emission Tomography (PET) service in Hospital Authority has eventually started to operate on 29 September 2003 after the prolonged request since 1994. The project could not be materialized without the generous donation from Mrs. Pong Hong Siu Chu, contributing a considerable portion of the capital cost of the equipment.

Our PET service operates very differently from other imaging modalities provided by HA, i.e. it is on a cost recovery basis. The patient is charged HK\$10,000 per scan. QEH is responsible for the management of the service which is provided to all patients under HA service. Nuclear Medicine Department perform the procedures according to the agreed clinical protocol and quota for each cluster of HA institutions.

At present in Hong Kong, there are 4 PET centres in the private hospitals, namely HK Sanatorium & Hospital, St. Teresa's Hospital, HK Adventist Hospital and Baptist Hospital, the one in QEH is the first and the only one in Hospital Authority hospital. Our PET scanner is the GE Discovery LS PET/CT system, using Bismuth Germanate (BGO) crystals. The incorporated CT (4-slice Light Speed Plus) can provide fast and accurate attenuation correction, anatomical localization and registration. The tracer FDG is provided daily in the form of unit doses by the cyclotrons of HK Sanatorium & Hospital and First Oriental Cyclotron Ltd (incorporated in St. Teresa's Hospital).

In addition to provide the PET service to HA patients, the QEH Clinical PET Centre also acts the training centre for HA staff and especially for hospitals to be installed with the second and third PET scanners.



The PET scanner of QEH Clinical PET Centre. From left to right, Mr. Y.K. Leung (Radiographer), Dr. David Alvarez (PET Application Specialist), and Dr. C.M. Tong.

This year the annual meeting and postgraduate course of CIRSE (Cardiovascular and Interventional Radiological Society of Europe) took place in Antalya in Turkey. Antalya, known as the ‘Turkish Riviera’, is the tourist capital of Turkey. It is in the south coast of Turkey and is famous for its beautiful scenic resorts, long coastal beaches, and warm breeze from the Mediterranean.

Over 1500 participants joined this 5-day meeting. The program included special sessions, satellite symposium, workshops, free paper presentation, poster presentation, and technical exhibition. The historical development of angiography and interventional radiology was the hallmark of the meeting this year. A hall of poster exhibition was dedicated for illustration of the history and pioneers of angiography. Professor Josef Rösch, the famous leader in interventional radiology, gave the Josef Rösch lecture this year, focusing on the early years of interventional radiology. I was most impressed by the vision and endeavor of those pioneers in history.

Meanwhile, various topics in IR with focus on new development were covered. RFA was a popular issue. Its use in liver tumors and extrahepatic tumors was vividly discussed. New trends in IR including MR-guided intervention and cementoplasty were presented. Controversies in the use of protection device in carotid PTA continue to be a hot question. Transhepatic islet cell transplant and new technique in design of drug-eluting catheters were interesting. Of course there were lots of interesting topics to be covered in these parallel sessions and you have to plan well beforehand in order not to miss one of them.

This was my first time to CIRSE meeting and Turkey. I was delighted to attend the meeting with Dr. W.K. Tso and Dr. J. Tsang. We got two posters on ‘portal vein embolization for hepatobiliary malignancy’ and ‘preoperative embolization of hypervascular bone tumors’ to present in the meeting. We met old faces and made new friends. The social function including the 1001 nights show, the traditional Turkish dance, the Turkish cuisine, and the fantastic firework were enjoyable and relaxing. On the way back, we were refreshed, motivated and ready to be back to the challenging work again.

This was certainly a pleasant and unforgettable event.



(From left to right) Drs. Jason Tsang, WK Tso & Helen Tung in front of one of their poster boards



(From left to right) Dr. Jason Tsang, Dr. Helen Tung, Prof. F. Keller & Prof. Josef Rösch from Dotter Interventional Institute, and Dr. WK Tso

Hong Kong Society of Diagnostic Radiologists Research Grant

The Hong Kong Society of Diagnostic Radiologists (HKSDR) is now calling for the application of the HKSDR Research Grant. This grant aims at promoting research in Diagnostic Radiology in order to advance our knowledge and to serve our patients better. Successful applicant can receive up to HK\$50,000 from the grant for a research project.

The application should be made by the principal investigator of the research project related to the scientific or clinical aspects of Diagnostic Radiology to be conducted in Hong Kong. The principal investigator should be a trainee/specialist in the field of Diagnostic Radiology. He/she has to be a registered medical practitioner in Hong Kong.

Application and enquiry can be directed to:

Dr Lai Chi Wing
Hon Secretary, Trust Fund Working Group
Hong Kong Society of Diagnostic Radiologists
c/o Department of Radiology
North District Hospital
9 Po Kin Road, Sheung Shui, New Territories, Hong Kong
Tel: 2683 7378
Fax: 2683 7379

Membership Status

Our College has the following numbers of members as at 28 October 2003:

<i>Status</i>	<i>Number</i>
Honorary Fellow	8
Fellow	299
Member	70
Trainee Member	23
Associate Member	1
Total	401

List of Trainee Members admitted from 12 July 2003 till 28 October 2003:

<i>Admission date</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Specialty</i>	<i>Training Center</i>
29 July 2003	FUNG Hon Shing	DR	QEH
26 August 2003	CHAN Kar Ki Katherine	DR	TMH
26 August 2003	CHU Cheuk Man	DR	PWH
26 August 2003	HUI Ping Kuen John	DR	TMH
26 August 2003	HUNG Hiu Yee	DR	PWH
26 August 2003	KWOK King Ming	DR	UCH
26 August 2003	LEE Ho Fun Victor	CO	TMH
26 August 2003	TONG Mei Po Mabel	DR	PWH
26 August 2003	WAI Man Wah Andrew	DR	QEH
26 August 2003	WONG Suet Wan	DR	QMH
30 September 2003	TSE Yiu Cheong	CO	TMH
28 October 2003	CHOU Qi Hua Sandas	NM	QEH
28 October 2003	SIU Wai Kwan Steven	CO	QMH
28 October 2003	WONG Siu Yu	CO	TMH

List of Members admitted from 12 July 2003 till 28 October 2003:

<i>Admission date</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Specialty</i>	<i>Training Center</i>
26 August 2003	TSANG Shing Fung Dickson	DR	QMH
30 September 2003	LEE Yim Ping	DR	TMH

List of Fellow admitted from 12 July 2003 till 28 October 2003:

<i>Admission date</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Specialty</i>	<i>Training Center</i>
29 July 2003	ANTONIO Gregory Ernest	DR	PWH

Conferences

New Challenges in Healthcare

Organizer: Hong Kong Academy of Medicine
Date: 28-30 November 2003
Venue: Hong Kong Academy of Medicine
HKAM Jockey Club Building
99 Wong Chuk Hang Road
Aberdeen, Hong Kong
Enquiry: Secretariat
Ms. Lenora Yung / Ms. Mimi Ng
Hong Kong Academy of Medicine
10/F HKAM Jockey Club Building
99 Wong Chuk Hang Road
Aberdeen, Hong Kong
Tel: (852) 2871 8787
Fax: (852) 2871 8898
E-mail: confdept@hkam.org.hk
Web: www.hkam.org.hk

4th Echo Hong Kong- Live and Clinical Practice

Organizer: Ruttonjee & Tang Shiu Kin Hospitals,
Hong Kong
Date & Venue:
(1) Pre-conference hands-on workshop
20-21 November 2003
Ruttonjee Hospital
Wan Chai, Hong Kong
(2) Conference & live demonstration
22-23 November 2003
Sheraton Hong Kong Hotel & Towers
Tsim Sha Tsui, Kowloon, Hong Kong
Enquiry: Conference Secretariat
Ms. Louisa Chiu / Ms. Mimi Ng
10/F HKAM Jockey Club Building
99 Wong Chuk Hang Road
Aberdeen, Hong Kong
Tel: (852) 2871 8815
Fax: (852) 2871 8898
E-mail: confdept@hkam.org.hk

Symposium Mammographicum 2004

Date: 18-20 July 2004
Venue: Edinburgh International Conference Centre, UK
Enquiry: Hampton Medical Conferences Ltd
127 High Street, Teddington,
Middlesex, TW11 8HH
Tel: +44 (0) 20 8977 0011
Fax: +44 (0) 20 8977 0055
E-mail: sympmamm@hamptonmedical.com
Web: www.sympmamm.org.uk

2nd Asian Regional IOF Conference on Osteoporosis

Organizer: International Osteoporosis Foundation
Date: 16-18 January 2004
Venue: Hong Kong Convention and Exhibition Centre
Enquiry: MediMedia Pacific Limited
35/F., Two Chinachem Exchange Square
338 King's Road,
North Point, Hong Kong
Tel: (852) 2559 5888
Fax: (852) 2559 6910
E-mail: meeting@medimedia.com.hk
Web: www.osteofound.org
www.apof.org/ www.jococ.org 16

Asian Chapter Congress of the International Union of Angiology

Organizer: Department of Surgery,
The University of Hong Kong
Date: 25-26 November 2003
Venue: HK Convention and Exhibition Centre
Enquiry: Secretariat
Department of Surgery
University of Hong Kong
Medical Centre
Queen Mary Hospital
Pokfulam, Hong Kong
Tel: (852) 2818 0232 / 28554235
Fax: (852) 2818 1186
E-mail: iuahk03@hkucc.hku.hk
Web: www.hku.hk/surgery

5th Singapore Final MMED-FRCR 2B Preparation Course

Organizer: Division of Graduate medical Studies,
National University of Singapore,
The Singapore Radiological Society
Date: 7-8 February 2004
Venue: Department of Diagnostic Imaging
National University Hospital
5 Lower Kent Bridge Road
Singapore 119074
Enquiry: Ms Kathy Heng
Graduate Medical School
Programme Office
Singapore Health Services Pte Ltd
7 Hospital Drive, #02-09
Singapore 169611
Tel: (65) 6327 5843
Fax: (65) 6327 8803
E-mail:
kathy.heng@singhealth.com.sg

UK Radiological Congress 2004

Organizer: The British Institute of Radiology,
The College of Radiographers,
The Institute of Physics & Engineering
The Royal College of Radiologists
Date: 6-8 June 2004
Venue: GMEX and MICC, Manchester, UK
Enquiry: UKRC 2004 Secretariat,
PO Box 2895,
London, W1A 5RS
Tel: +44 (0) 20 7307 1410 /20
Fax: +44 (0) 20 7307 1414
E-mail: conference@ukrc.org.uk
/exhibition@ukrc.org.uk
Web: www.ukrc.org.uk

23rd International Congress of radiology (ICR)

Date: 25-29 June 2004
Venue: Palais des Congress de Montreal,
Montreal, Canada
Enquiry: Scientific Programme Secretariat
E-mail: icr2004@eventsintl.com
Web: www.icr2004.com
E-mail: confdept@hkam.org.hk
Web: www.hkam.org.hk