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Technology, Compassion and Healthcare Education in an Interconnected World
Brian D Hodges, Canada

Technology Enhanced Education: Good Thing or Flash in the Pan?
Erle Lim, Singapore

Leadership Forum – The Future of Medical Education in a Technology Advanced World
How We Can Strategise for the Future of Medical Education in a Technology Advanced World
Yeoh Khay Guan, Singapore

Moving Beyond the Cerebral Hard Drive: Leveraging Technology to Improve Medical Education and Clinical Care Through Co-production
Eric Holmboe, USA

Preparing the Future Medical Workforce for the Use of Technology Across Their Career Lifespan
Julie Quinlivan, Australia

Medical Education in an Information Technology- Empowered Age: The Philippine Experience
Alfaretta Luisa T Reyes, Philippines

Effective Use of Technology to Benchmark and Set Standards in Health Professions Education Programs for the Future
Adeeba Kamarulzaman, Malaysia

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Can Future Learning and Practice of Medicine Benefit from 'Biomedical Science Thinking' As a Way of Life?
Chen Zhi Xiong, Singapore

Integration of Biomedical Sciences into the Post-Clerkship Curriculum
Neil Osheroff, USA

Will Future Technology Replace the Biomedical Science Educator?
Chan Lap Ki, Hong Kong S.A.R.

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Use of Simulation - Strengths and Pittfalls
Siau Chiang, Singapore

Simulated Patients: Essential for the Education of a New Generation
Nicola Ngiam, Singapore

Shaping Simulation Learning for the Future
Fatimah Lateef, Singapore

The Future of Simulation for Rural and Remote Practice Training
Richard Hays, Australia

Symposium 1 – Leveraging Technology to Optimise CME/CPD, Clinical Care and Patient Engagement
How Can Backward Planning in CME/CPD Help Align the Needs Assessment and Program Outcomes?
Lisa Sullivan, Australia

Taking an Integrated Approach to CME, CPD, and Patient Engagement: Deploying a Blended Learning Model to Optimise Clinical Performance and Patient Engagement
Sherlyn B. Celone-Arnold, USA

Applying Facebook and Other Social Network Approaches into Interprofessional Continuing Education
Alvaro Margolis, Uruguay

The Rise of Digital Engagement of the Physician and their Patients
Dale Robert Kummerle, USA

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How to Foster the Academic-Private Partnership in Developing Technology for Education – A Perspective from an Academic Clinician
Kelvin Foong, Singapore

The Application of Digital Technology in Medical Education
Frank Voon, Singapore

Virtual Reality and Augmented Reality for Medical Training
Desmond Ng, Singapore
Capitalising on Opportunities for Developing Technological Resources for Learning: Lessons Learned
Kalyani Premkumar, Canada

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Innovating Medical Education
David Game, United Kingdom

Symposium 2 – Technology in Assessment: Contemporary Best Practices and Future Developments to Enhance Education for the Improvement of Patient Care
Where is Assessment Going? An Overview of Latest Developments and Future Directions in Assessment
Katharine Boursicot, Singapore

The Extended Mind - Knowledge Tests of the Future
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Personalised Immersive Testing: The OSCE of the Future?
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Building Health Professional Students Through Multi-Model Mentoring
Tan Chay Hoon, Singapore

Building Empathy, Resilience and Professionalism in the Millenials
Jen-Hung Yang, Taiwan

Developing Resilience and Emotional Intelligence through Mentoring
Judy McKimm, United Kingdom

Mentoring, Reverse Mentoring and Collegial Conversations: Agile Strategies to Meet Changing Needs
Chinthaka Balasooriya, Australia

Symposium 3 – Using New Technologies in Biomedical Science Teaching
Applying MOOC Technology in Biomedical Science Education
Peter GM de Jong, The Netherlands

The Use of Novel Technologies to Enhance Student Assessment
Neil Osheroff, USA

The Role of Technology in Active Learning
Sandy Cook, Singapore

Symposium 4 – Development of National Standards and Core Clinical Training Curriculum for Medical Schools in Singapore
Developing the National Medical School Standards for Singapore
Koh Dow Rhoon, Singapore

Developing a National Core Clinical Training Curriculum for Medical Schools – The Burning Platform
Mabel Yap, Singapore

A Medical School’s Perspective on the Development of the National Medical School Standards
Lau Tang Ching, Singapore

The Importance of Education Standards, Quality Assurance and Quality Improvement - Local and International Perspectives
Ian Curran, Singapore

Standards for Medical Education in Singapore: An Opportunity to Enhance Collaboration and Promote Excellence
Naomi Low-Beer, Singapore

Setting Standards for Medical Schools Programs for Quality Assurance and Quality Improvement
Theanne Walters, Australia

Panel Discussion 5 – Interprofessional Education for the Future
Incorporating IPE in an Academic Medical Centre
Lim Boon Leng, Singapore

Preparing Nurses for Future Interprofessional Collaborative Practice: Tips and Pitfalls
Serena Koh, Singapore

Findings and Cultural Characteristic of IPE in Japan - Experience from Japan and Asia
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**Technology and Students: Yea or Nay? - A Student's Perspective**

Norman Lin, Singapore

**Address by Chief Resident, National University Hospital, National University Health System**

**Residency - A Singaporean Perspective**

Benjamin Hooi, Singapore

**Plenary 3 – Incorporating Technology into Curricula and Learning**

**AI (Artificial Intelligence) and Collaborativist Learning for Medical Education**

Linda M Harasim, Canada

**A Learner's Experience Does Not Mean Learning Effectiveness: Lessons from the Learning Sciences**

Robert K Kamei, Singapore

**Panel Discussion 6 – Gamification in Higher Education - Usefulness and Impact on Learning and Practice**

**Should Learning be Fun?**

Scott Stevens, USA

**Trials and Tribulations of Developing Gamifications for Medical Students**

Alfred Kow, Singapore

**Gaming and Learning - Learning to Game or Gaming to Learn**

Hoon Heh, P.R. China

**Panel Discussion 7 – Innovation in Education Technology: Insights from Global Leaders in CME, CPD, and Patient Engagement**

**CME/CPD Learning Insights from Around the Globe**

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**Disruptive Innovations in CME, Helped by IT. Examples from Latin America**

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**Seven Strategies to Elevate and Enhance the Virtual Classroom Experience**

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**Symposium 5 – Teaching Family Medicine: Challenges of Competencies and Complexities**

**Teaching Patient Centeredness in the Context of Family Medicine**

Lee Kheng Hock, Singapore

**The FM Video Project: The Family Medicine Perspective Through the Lens of the Medical Student**

Victor Loh, Singapore

**Workplace–Based Assessment (WBAs) in the Family Medicine Setting**

Wong Teck Yee, Singapore

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Pete Ellis, New Zealand

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Yasuuyuki Suzuki, Japan

**Medical Curriculum Innovation at University of Medicine and Pharmacy at Ho Chi Minh City**

Tran Diep Tuan, Vietnam
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William May, Fiji

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Teaching and Learning in Confucius Culture
Hiroshi Nishigori, Japan

Influence of Culture in Education Decision Making
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Teach to Serve
Aymeric Lim, Singapore

Cultural Competence in International Collaboration in Education and Healthcare
Lambert Schuwirth, Australia

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Build Bridges, Not Walls
Trudie E Roberts, United Kingdom

Fostering Complex Learning through a Connected Curriculum
Johan Geertsema, Singapore

Let's Get Down to Basics: What is the Role of the Technology in Learning? And What Does that Mean for Medical Education?
Linda M Harasim, Canada

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Nabil Zary, Singapore

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Collaborating in Teaching Behavioural and Social Sciences – Clinical Case Conference with Cultural Anthropologists
Junko Iida, Japan

Collaborating in Qualitative Research – Collaborative Ethnography in Medical Education Research
Yosuke Shimazono, Japan

Collaborating in Faculty Development – Cultural Anthropology in Medical Education Certificate Programme
Hiroshi Nishigori, Japan

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Transforming Nursing Education for the Future
Tan Soh Chin, Singapore

The Changing Paradigm in Training Advance Pharmacy Practitioners
Lita Chew, Singapore

Challenges in Residency Training in Singapore: A Perspective from the Joint Committee of Specialist Training (JCST) and the Division of Graduate Medical Studies, NUS Medicine
Chen Fun Gee, Singapore

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Overview of Theoretical Frameworks in Simulation-Based Education
Lim Wee Shiong, Singapore

How Do Theories of Motor Skills Learning Inform Simulation-Based Education
Charlotte Ringsted, Denmark

Sim-Round: Easing Transition into the Clinical Clerkship
Tham Kum Ying, Singapore

Debriefing: Taking Relational Aspects into Consideration
Charmaine Krishnasamy, Singapore
## Symposium 10 - Technology in Promoting Engagement, Evaluating the Knowledge Acquisition and Assimilation

**Augmented Reality for Palpation Training: Medisim, Marrying a Medical Mannequin with a Virtual Patient Using a HoloLens**  
Scott Stevens, USA

**Knowledge Management Through Curriculum Mapping**  
Kang Yew Beng, Malaysia

**The Use of Technology in Medical and Health Professions Education: Bridging Different Generations and Preparing Future Medical and Health Practitioners**  
Ardi Findyartini, Indonesia

**The Role of Technology in Ensuring Clinicians Are Fit to Practice**  
Ian Curran, Singapore

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**Use of Mobile Simulation for Training Rural Health Professionals**  
Kalyani Premkumar, Canada

**The Utilisation and Impact of Electronic Health Records in Patient Care**  
Rani Kanthan, Canada

**Regulations for Sharing Electronic Patient Information**  
Anurag Saxena, Canada

Ivar Mendez, Canada

## Plenary 4 – Technology in Health Professional Education: Future of Medicine

**Getting Better (Faster): Thoughts About the (Near) Future of Medical Education**  
Ruben R Puantedura, USA

**Design Thinking in Healthcare: Discover, Define, Develop, Deliver**  
Suranga Nanayakkara, Singapore

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Dear Colleagues,

The Organising Committee of APMEC 2018 and the Centre for Medical Education (CenMED), Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine, National University of Singapore, National University Health System, warmly welcome you to the 15th Asia Pacific Medical Education Conference (APMEC) from 10 to 14 January 2018 in Singapore.

We have specially chosen our theme “Technology: Enhancing Education for Improvement of Patient Care – Trends • Issues • Priorities • Strategies (TIPS)”. The aim of the conference is to share our experiences as educators, and learn from experts in medical and healthcare professional education some of the latest ideas, and best practices adopted internationally. This is also an opportunity for participants to stimulate discussions in medical and healthcare professional education with the experts.

The Asia Pacific Medical Education Conference has grown and strengthened over the years. It is now in its 15th year attracting participants, not only from the Asia-Pacific region, but also from around the globe. We have more than 1,100 medical and healthcare professionals from over 33 countries.

As with previous APMECs, we have invited distinguished medical and healthcare professional educators to share their experiences, expertise and wisdom.

On behalf of the Organising Committee, it gives me great pleasure to once again welcome you to the 15th Anniversary APMEC 2018.

With best wishes,

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Dr Dujeepa D. Samarasekera
Chairman, Organising Committee
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## PRE-CONFERENCE WORKSHOPS AND SPECIAL COURSES

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**MD6 - Centre for Translational Medicine (CeTM), Block MD6, NUS Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine, 14 Medical Drive, Singapore 117599**

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Doris Young, Goh Lay Hoon and Victor Loh  
**Venue:** MD1, MPH 3 |
| **W2A8:** Using the Four Quadrant Model to Engage the Faculty Meaningfully  
Danai Wangsaturaka and Indika Karunathilake  
**Venue:** MD6, 03-06 |
| **W2P8:** Using a Web-Based Platform (Emedici©) to Enhance Students’ Learning and Immediate Feedback Across the Healthcare Profession  
Michael Wan  
**Venue:** MD6, 03-07 |

**APME-Net 7th Niigata Meeting (By Invitation Only)**  
**Venue:** Meeting Room 2, #01-07, MD11, Clinical Research Centre, Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine, National University of Singapore, 10 Medical Drive, Singapore 117597
### Day 1: Friday 12 January 2018

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15th Asia Pacific Medical Education Conference (APMEC) • 15

How We Can Strategise for the Future of Medical Education in a Technology Advanced World
Yeoh K-xay Guan, Singapore
Moving Beyond the Cerebral Hard Drive: Leveraging Technology to Improve Medical Education and Clinical Care Through Co-production
Eric Hoimboe, USA
Preparing the Future Medical Workforce for the Use of Technology Across Their Career Lifespan
Julie Quirkivan, Australia
Medical Education in an Information Technology-Empowered Age: The Philippine Experience
Almerita Lusa T Reyes, Philippines
Effective Use of Technology to Benchmark and Set Standards in Health Professions Education Programs for the Future
Adeeba Kamarulzaman, Malaysia

Can Future Learning and Practice of Medicine Benefit from ‘Biomedical Science Thinking’ As a Way of Life?
Chen Zhi Kong, Singapore
Integration of Biomedical Sciences into the Post-Clerkship Curriculum
Neil Osheroff, USA
The Future of Medical Education: Replace the Biomedical Science Educator?
Chan Lap Ki, Hong Kong S.A.R.

Use of Simulation - Strengths and Pitfalls
Stau Chiang, Singapore
Simulated Patients: Essential for the Education of a New Generation
Nicola Ngiam, Singapore
Shaping Simulation Learning for the Future
Fatimah Latief, Singapore
The Future of Simulation for Rural and Remote Practice Training
Richard Hays, Australia

Can We Backward Planning in CME/CPD Help Align the Needs Assessment and Program Outcomes?
Lisa Sullivan, Australia
Taking an Integrated Approach to CME, CPD, and Patient Engagement: Deploying a Blended Learning Model to Optimize Clinical Performance and Patient Engagement
Sherry H. Colon-Arroll, USA
Applying Facebook and Other Social Network Approaches into Interprofessional Continuing Education
Alvaro Margolis, Uruguay
The Rise of Digital Engagement of the Physician and their Patients
Dale Robert Kummerle, USA

How Can We Foster the Academic-Private Partnership in Developing Technology for Education - A perspective from an Academic Clinician
Kevin Foong, Singapore
The Application of Digital Technology in Medical Education
Frank Voon, Singapore
Virtual Reality and Augmented Reality for Medical Training
Dermot NY, Singapore

Capitalising on Opportunities for Developing Technological Resources for Learning: Lessons Learned
Kalyani Premkumar, Canada

The Future of Medical Education
Fauzi Akhtar, Malaysia

The Use of Simulation and Standardised Patients for the Future of Medical Education
Mandy Tan, Singapore

Leveraging Technology to Optimise CME/CPD, Clinical Care and Patient Engagement
Laurence Martin, Malaysia

Development of Technology for Education: Practical Approaches: Academic-Private Partnership
Masato Nakamura, Japan

Panel Discussion 3

Free Communications 1
General Education 1
Facilitating Physicians’ Federation on Their Professional Performance: Exploring the Developmental Appraisal Navigation Approach
Kati Lombard, The Netherlands
The Doctor Is in the House: Improving Wellness for Internal Medicine Residents
Sri M. J. Jasmine Lee, Singapore

Learning Prioritization: A Study to Understand the Relationship Between Learning Approaches and Motivation Using Assist and Achievement Goal Questionnaire among Medical Students
Joan Bryant Kumar, UAE
Professional Identity Formation of Female Doctors in Japan -Gender Stereotype and Gap Between the Married and Unmarried
Tatsuki Nishigori, Japan

Burnout in Internal Medicine Residents: A Study on Prevalence and Factors in a Three-Year Junior Residency Program
Sabrina Lau, Singapore
Influences of Healthcare Career Choice and Perceptions of Nursing Among Healthcare Students in a Singapore University: A Cross-Sectional Study
Ling Ting Wu, Singapore

Judges: Christina Ballesteros, Australia
Anette Sundfor Jacobsen, Singapore
Peter Ellis, New Zealand

Suzanne Geh, Singapore

Students’ Experiences and Perspectives on Important Aspects of Feedback in Clinical Communications Practicum
Juming Chen, Singapore
Peer, Near-Peer And Group Mentoring In General Medicine
Benjamin A.K. Yang, Singapore
Do Team Size and Team Cohesiveness Matter in Interprofessional Team-Based Learning?
A Poor Assessment Study Involving Health and Social Care Students in Hong Kong
Lap K. Chan, Hong Kong S.A.R.

Judges: Hiroshi Nishigori, Japan
Shireen Doo, Singapore
Ravindran Jegagathi, Malaysia

11.15am - 12.15pm

12.15pm - 2.00pm

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1.30pm - 4.15pm
Panel Discussion 4: Mentoring in Health Professional Education: How to Approach the Millennials

- **Dr. Richard Fuller**, United Kingdom
- **Dr. Tulip Chau**, Singapore
- **Mr. David Taylor**, Australia

**Abstract:** This panel discussion will focus on the role of mentoring in health professional education, with a particular emphasis on how to approach mentoring in the context of the changing needs of today's students. The panelists will share their experiences and strategies for effective mentoring.

Panel Discussion 5: Development of National Standards and Core Clinical Training Curriculum for Medical Schools in Singapore

- **Dr. Sandy Cook**, Singapore
- **Dr. Norah Tan**, Singapore
- **Mr. Ian Curran**, Singapore

**Abstract:** This panel will discuss the development of national standards and core clinical training curriculum for medical schools in Singapore. The panelists will share their insights on the importance of these standards in ensuring high-quality medical education and the challenges faced in their implementation.

Panel Discussion 6: Interprofessional Education for the Future

- **Dr. Katharine Boursicot**, Australia
- **Dr. Junji Haruta**, Japan
- **Mr. Harumi Gomi**, Japan

**Abstract:** The panel will focus on the future of interprofessional education, with a particular emphasis on the role of technology in facilitating collaboration between different healthcare professions.

Panel Discussion 7: Technology for Patient-Centered Care

- **Dr. Martin Klapheke**, USA
- **Mr. Martin Beer**, Australia
- **Mr. Richard Fuller**, United Kingdom

**Abstract:** This panel will discuss the role of technology in improving patient-centered care, with a focus on patient satisfaction and the use of technology in healthcare delivery.
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Plenary 3
Incorporating Technology into Curricula and Learning
AI (Artificial Intelligence) and Collaborative Learning for Medical Education
Linda M Harasim, Canada
A Learner's Experience Does Not Mean Learning Effectiveness: Lessons from the Learning Sciences
Robert K Kamei, Singapore
Discussion
Chairperson: Alfred Kow, Singapore

10.30am - 11.15am
Morning Tea Break - foyer of all meeting venue

11.15am - 12.45pm
Panel Discussion 6
Gamification in Higher Education - Usefulness and Impact on Learning and Practice
Should Learning be Fun?
Scott Stevens, USA
Trials and Tribulations of Developing Gamifications for Medical Students
Alfred Kow, Singapore
Gaming and Learning - Learning to Game or Gaming to Learn
Moon Heh, PR China
CMED/CPD Learning Insights from Around the Globe
Lisa Sullivan, Australia
Disruptive Innovations in CMED, Helped by IT: Examples from Latin America
Ariana Margolis, Uruguay
Seven Strategies to Elevate and Enhance the Virtual Classroom Experience
Sherryl B. Calone-Arned, USA
Future of Virtual Reality in Healthcare and Educating Healthcare Professionals
Dale Robert Kummerle, USA
Moderator: Vishna Dev Nadarajah, Malaysia
Chairperson: Doris Young, Singapore
Moderator: Lisa Sullivan, Australia
Chairperson: Michael Field, Australia

12.45pm - 2.10pm
Lunch - Foyer, Central and East Ballrooms

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# MAIN CONFERENCE

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**Learning Lounge - Showcase of Technology in Medical and Healthcare Professional Education**

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- Trade Exhibitions / Lunch / Tea Breaks

**Trade Exhibitions / Lunch / Tea Breaks**

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- Opening Ceremony
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  - Feedback with Faculty – RESME

- **Pisces 2**
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  - Feedback with Faculty – HPEL

- **Pisces 3**
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  - TAPS Advisory Board Meeting

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**The following teabreaks will be served at Level 1:**

- Fri 12 January 2018 Afternoon Tea Break
- Sat 13 January 2018 Morning Tea Break
Chairman
Dr Dujeepa D Samarasekera

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Prof Matthew Gwee
Prof Emily Ang
A/Prof Erle Lim
A/Prof Lau Tang Ching
A/Prof Koh Dow Rhoon
A/Prof Tan Chay Hoon
A/Prof Goh Poh Sun
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Ronald M Harden, United Kingdom
Brian D Hodges, Canada
Robert K Kamei, Singapore
Erle Lim, Singapore
Surangga Nanayakkara, Singapore
Ruben R Puentedura, USA

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PLENARY SPEAKERS

Linda M Harasim
Professor of Communication
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Linda Harasim, a Professor of Communication at Simon Fraser University, Vancouver, Canada, is a pioneer in the field of online education and e-learning. She is one of the inventors of online education, specifically having conceptualized, designed and offered the first-ever credit course offered totally online via the Internet (1986, Graduate School of Education at the University of Toronto). She also developed the field of collaborative learning online. Harasim has been teaching online, conducting research, publishing, and building the field for 35 years. Drawing from the best of learning research and theory, she pioneered the pedagogy of online collaborative learning and developed the Collaborativist Theory of Learning. She has served as senior consultant for many large-scale online education programs, designing the University of Phoenix Online, designing the first online training system for the Bank of Montreal, consulting for UN Organisation of Labor, and providing training for universities and organisations worldwide. She is considered a luminary in the field of online education and e-learning, having published 8 books on the subject, 15 book chapters, 25 refereed articles, and delivered 30 keynotes as well as over 50 conference presentations around the world. Her works have been translated into Spanish, Portuguese, and Chinese.

In 1995, Dr. Harasim founded and became the Network Leader and CEO of Canada’s TeleLearning Network of Centers of Excellence, a seven-year, $50 million program to study, develop, and commercialize elearning technologies, pedagogies and knowledge. Following from that research program, she is currently studying how Collaborativist Learning Theory can be used to refocus the design of educational AI to augment, rather than replace, human intelligence in education and work.

Ronald M Harden
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Professor Ronald Harden graduated from medical school in Glasgow, UK. He completed training and practised as an endocrinologist before moving to full time medical education. He is Professor of Medical Education (Emeritus) University of Dundee, Editor of Medical Teacher & General Secretary and Treasurer of the Association for Medical Education in Europe (AMEE). Professor Harden was formerly Teaching Dean & Director of the Centre for Medical Education at the University of Dundee.

He is committed to developing new approaches to curriculum planning, assessment and to teaching and learning. Ideas which he has pioneered include the Objective Structured Clinical Examination (OSCE) which has been universally adopted as a standard approach to assessment of clinical competence, the spiral curriculum and the SPICES model for curriculum planning and models for outcome-based education. He has published more than 400 papers in leading journals. He is co-editor of A Practical Guide for Medical Teachers and the Routledge International Handbook of Medical Education and author of Essential Skills for a Medical Teacher and The Definitive Guide to the OSCE.

His contributions to excellence in medical education have attracted numerous awards including the Karolinska Institutet Prize for Research in Medical Education. He was awarded by the Queen the OBE for his services to medical education. In November 2017 he was presented in Manila with the 2017 Gusi Peace Prize.

Brian D. Hodges
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Brian D. Hodges, MD, PhD, FRCPC is Professor in the Faculty of Medicine and at the Ontario Institute for Studies in Education at the University of Toronto; the Richard and Elizabeth Currie Chair in Health Professions Education Research at the Wilson Centre and Executive-Vice President Education at the University Health Network (Toronto General, Toronto Western, Princess Margaret, Toronto Rehab Hospitals and the Michener Institute). He is a practicing psychiatrist and teacher. His research focuses on assessment, competence, compassion and the future of the health profession. His work has been recognised with the Association of American Medical Colleges Flexner Award (2015) and the Karolinska Institutet Prize for Research in Medical Education (2016).

He earned a Bachelor’s degree in Psychology and an MD at Queen’s University in Kingston, Ontario. He then pursued a residency in psychiatry at University of Toronto. He earned a Masters and then a PhD in Education at the Ontario Institute for Studies in Education in Toronto and he holds a Diploma in Health Economics and Social Sciences from the University of Paris.
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Robert K Kamei
Associate Provost (Education),
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Professor Robert K. Kamei, MD, is Associate Provost (Education) and Director, Institute for Application of Learning Science and Educational Technology (ALSET) at the National University of Singapore; a position he has assumed in July 2016. This new institute focuses on helping adult learners learn better by the rigorous study of educational best practices and technology.

From 2006 to 2016, he served as the founding Vice Dean (Education) at Duke-NUS Medical School, in charge of starting up the School’s new education programs. Under his leadership, Duke-NUS education team successfully transformed the curriculum from Duke University School of Medicine, to a “flipped classroom” (where students are required to come into the classroom already prepared), pairing it with in-class problem sets that the students solved in teams. This approach was one of the first of its kind in medical education and subsequently influenced curriculum development at Duke University School of Medicine and educational institutions across Singapore.

Born in Los Angeles, California, Professor Kamei holds an undergraduate degree in Human Biology from Stanford University and a medical degree from the University of California, San Francisco (UCSF). Prior to coming to Singapore, he was on the UCSF Department of Pediatrics faculty for 18 years.

Erle CH Lim
Associate Provost (Undergraduate Education)
National University of Singapore; and
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Assoc Professor Erle CH Lim graduated from the National University of Singapore in 1990, and obtained his Masters in Medicine (Internal Medicine) from the same university in 1997. In 2009, he was appointed as a Fellow to the Royal College of Physicians, Glasgow. He trained in Neurology at the Singapore General Hospital, after which he completed his training in Movement Disorders at the Mount Sinai School of Medicine, New York, under Professors C Warren Olanow and Mitchell F Brin. He is currently Senior Consultant Neurologist at the National University Hospital and was Assistant Dean of Education at the Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine, NUS from 2007 to 2010. His subspecialty interest is in Movement Disorders, focusing on the clinical applications of Botulinum toxin, Parkinson’s disease, Spasticity and Dystonia. He lectures on Neurology, Movement Disorders and Education (Medical Education and Technology in Education) regionally and internationally, and teaches techniques of Botulinum toxin injection using electromyographic guidance to neurologists and physiatrists, regionally and internationally. He has published over 100 papers in international journals, covering topics in general neurology, movement disorders, botulinum toxin, general medicine and medical education, and is reviewer for international journals in Medicine, Neurology, Movement disorders and Medical Education. He is Editor in Chief of the Annals, Academy of Medicine, Singapore, and was founding editor of the Journal of the NUS Teaching Academy (now the Asian Journal of the Scholarship of Teaching and Learning). He sits on the specialist training committee in Neurology and the Neurology MCQ Committee of the Royal College of Physicians, London. In 2006 and 2007, he was awarded both the faculty teaching excellence award and the university’s annual excellence teaching award. In 2007, he was awarded the university’s outstanding educator award. He was Chairman of the Executive Council of the NUS Teaching Academy and is now Associate Provost (Undergraduate Education) at the National University of Singapore.

Suranga Nanayakkara
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Suranga Nanayakkara is an Assistant Professor from the Engineering Product Development Pillar at Singapore University of Technology and Design (SUTD). He received his PhD in 2010 and BEng in 2005 from the National University of Singapore. In 2011, he founded the “Augmented Human Lab” to explore ways of creating ‘enabling’ human-computer interfaces as natural extensions of our body, mind and behaviour. For the totality and breadth of achievements, Suranga has been recognised with many awards, including young inventor under 35 (TR35 award) in the Asia Pacific region by MIT TechReview, Ten Outstanding Yong Professionals (TOYP) by JCI Sri Lanka and INK Fellow 2016.
Dr. Ruben PuenteDura is the Founder and President of Hippasus, a consulting practice based in Western Massachusetts, focusing on transformative applications of information technologies to education. He has implemented these approaches for over thirty years at a range of K-20 educational institutions, as well as health and arts organisations. He is the creator of the SAMR model for selecting, using, and evaluating technology in education, which currently guides the work of the Maine Learning Technology Initiative, as well as multiple other projects throughout the USA, Canada, Mexico, Europe, Australia, and Asia. He is also the author of the EdTech Quintet, a categorization of the core technology toolset required for education derived from the Horizon Report. His current work explores new directions in mobile computing, digital storytelling, learning analytics, and educational gaming, focusing on applications in areas where they have not been traditionally employed.

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Hatim Abdulrahman
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I am a senior Paediatric Gastroenterologist, holding a master in medical education, interested in the field of postgraduate medical education together with my clinical commitments. I have special interest in in the area of research in medical education. I am graduated from Khartoum University, Sudan, got the Arab Board of Paediatrics, MRCP and FRCPCH, UK and the JMHPE.

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Ahmed Alhammadi, MBChB, FRCPC. is the Chief, Division of General Academic Paediatric at Hamad Medical Corporation – Qatar and Sidra Medical and Research Centre, and Assistant Professor of Paediatrics at Weill-Cornell Medical College in Qatar. He has strong interests in medical education and supervises residents on the pediatric wards and clinics, while also serving as Assistant Program Director of Pediatric Residency Program.

Chinthaka Balasooriya
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Dr Chinthaka Balasooriya is an inspirational medical educator who has excelled in educational practice and research. He has a background in Medicine and a PhD in Medical Education. Chinthaka’s expertise has been recognised at the highest levels in Australia. He has received the UNSW Medicine Teaching Excellence Award, the UNSW Vice-Chancellors Award for Teaching Excellence and an Australian Learning & Teaching Council Citation. He is a Fellow of the prestigious Scientia Education Academy and a Fellow of the Australian and New Zealand Association for Health Professional Education (ANZAHPE). He has a wide range of international experience.
Sherlyn Celone-Arnold, Founder and CEO of Integrated Learning Partners, LLC (ILP), is recognized for propelling companies to become industry pace-setters. Sherlyn has worked domestically and internationally holding management and senior leadership positions with major pharmaceutical and medical education companies such as Bayer Pharmaceuticals, Purdue Pharma, Boehringer Ingelheim, Quintiles, Grey Healthcare, and Physicians Academy for Clinical and Management Excellence. Over the last decade, Sherlyn’s been retained as a management and educational leadership consultant to select academic centers and medical societies in the United States. Spanning her 24-year career working in the Healthcare and Life Sciences industry, she’s been responsible for leading interprofessional teams and directing the design and development of innovative knowledge management, medical education, eHealth, quality improvement, and client engagement solutions that have demonstrated significant improvement in operational excellence, clinical and professional competencies as well as patient health outcomes.

In 2009, Sherlyn founded ILP, a boutique consulting firm that specializes in providing consulting services to academic centers, medical specialty societies, and medical education companies in the areas of: quality improvement coaching, educational strategy, CME/CE programming, patient experience research, needs assessments, patient engagement, and performance optimization.

Sherlyn is in the process of completing her MS in Organisational Leadership in Healthcare Management at Quinnipiac University, and holds a BA in Business Management and Marketing from Mercyhurst University. She is an Executive Board Member of the Global Alliance for Medical Education (GAME), and remains active with societies such as: The Learning Guild, Association for Training and Development (ATD), Alliance for Continuing Education for Health Professions (ACEHP), Healthcare Business Women’s Association (HBA), and the Project Management Institute (PMI). Sherlyn is also an administrator and patient advocate for two international support groups that serve more than 3,000 patients and caregivers living with or affected by brain cancer.

Lap Ki Chan is currently an associate professor in the School of Biomedical Sciences, the coordinator of the Education Division of Anatomy, and the deputy director of the Bau Institute of Medical and Health Sciences Education, at the Li Ka Shing Faculty of Medicine at The University of Hong Kong. He has a background in orthopedics and physical anthropology and teaches gross anatomy to medical and healthcare students. His research interests include innovative pedagogies in anatomy education, problem-based learning (PBL), team-based learning (TBL), interprofessional education (IPE), and faculty development. He is an educator for the Asia Pacific region for the AO Foundation (Arbeitsgemeinschaft für Osteosynthesefragen). His teaching excellence has been recognized by such awards as the Thomas Henry Huxley Instructorship from Duke University, Outstanding Teaching Award from The University of Hong Kong, and the Bronze Discipline Award (Life Sciences) in the QS Stars-Wharton Reimagine Education Awards. He serves as an associate editor for Anatomical Sciences Education.

Peter de Jong is a staff adviser and assistant professor in the field of Technology Enhanced Learning at the Leiden University Medical Center in The Netherlands. In this position at the Center for Innovation in Medical Education, he has been managing several major programs within Medical School in the field of development, application and evaluation of educational technologies. He is also involved in the educational research program of LUMC. Peter has a Master degree in Medical Technology from Eindhoven University and a PhD in Biophysics/Physiology from Maastricht University. He has been a member of the Board of Directors and Executive Committee of the Netherlands Association for Medical Education (NVMO), he has been Chair of their national Special Interest Group on E-learning in Medicine and he chaired the 2000 NVMO Annual Meeting.
Since 2007 Peter is involved in the International Association of Medical Science Educators (IAMSE), an international organization with a focus on advancing medical education through faculty development while ensuring that the teaching and learning of medicine continues to be firmly grounded in science. He has served the organization as Board member and Vice President, and in 2009 as Program Chair and Site Host for the first IAMSE Annual Meeting outside North America. Currently he holds the position of Editor-in-Chief of Medical Science Educator, the online journal of IAMSE.

Pete Ellis
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Prof Pete Ellis qualified in medicine at the University of Oxford, England and trained in psychiatry in Wellington, New Zealand. He was appointed Professor and Head of Department of Psychological Medicine at Otago University, Wellington in 1994, and Associate Dean, Medical Education in 2012. He has a range of research interests including affective disorders and mental health service delivery, and most recently, in how to reduce the stigma associated with mental illness as experienced by medical students. He has been closely involved in medical undergraduate and psychiatric postgraduate training and accreditation over a long period in national committees in New Zealand, Australia and the Western Pacific, including the Medical Council of New Zealand, the Royal Australian and New Zealand College of Psychiatrists, the Medical School Accreditation Committee of the Australian Medical Council and the Western Pacific Association for Medical Education.

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A/Prof Er is the Associate Dean of Teaching and Learning at the International Medical University (IMU), Malaysia. She obtained her PhD in Science from the University of Sydney, and Postgraduate Certificate in Medical Education from the University of Dundee. She has played a major role in the curriculum design and development of pharmacy and health sciences programmes in the university. Currently, she chairs the assessment committee which oversees the implementation and quality assurance of assessments in the university. Her research interests are in assessment and feedback.

Ardi Findyartini
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Ardi Findyartini is a medical doctor graduated from Faculty of Medicine Universitas Indonesia (FMUI) in 2002. Her interest in high quality medical education process encouraged her to complete a doctoral program in Melbourne Medical School Faculty of Medicine, Dentistry and Health Sciences, The University of Melbourne in 2012. The highlight of her thesis on how clinical reasoning is taught and learned in Australia and Indonesia motivates her to learn further on how best practices in medical education can be implemented contextually. She is currently the Head of Medical Education Unit and academic staff member of Department of Medical Education at the Faculty of Medicine Universitas Indonesia. She has been teaching in undergraduate and postgraduate program in medical education and mentoring students and graduates interested in medical education. With her team, she’s been very active in conducting workshops for faculty development in undergraduate and postgraduate medical education within the FMUI and in other institutions in Indonesia for the past 10 years, and is a nominated panel member for ASPIRE excellence in faculty development since 2014. She authored and co-authored several international publications in peer reviewed journals and conferences. She’s also been involved as the reviewer of national and international medical education journals. Her research area of interest includes clinical reasoning and clinical teaching, curriculum development in undergraduate and postgraduate medical education, assessment, interprofessional education and socio-cultural factors underpinning approaches in medical and health professions education.
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Kirsty Forrest
Deputy Head of Medicine
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Kirsty moved to Bond University in August 2016 to be Deputy Head of Medicine. Prior to this Kirsty was Director of Medical Education and Associate Dean, Learning and Teaching at Macquarie University.

Kirsty has been involved in medical educational research for 14 years and awarded funding via a University Fellowship and the Higher Education Academy. She is co-author and editor of a number of best-selling medical textbooks including ‘Essential guide to educational supervision, in postgraduate medical education’ and ‘Essential Simulation in Clinical Education’.

Richard Fuller
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Richard Fuller is a Consultant Geriatrician/Stroke Physician and Director of Medical Education Programmes at Leeds Institute of Medical Education. He is responsible for directing the MBChB degree programme, generating exciting new initiatives in curriculum design, mobile technology, assessment and personalised learning.

His main research interests focus on assessment, and he leads the Institute’s Assessment Research Group. His current research focuses on the ‘personalisation’ of assessment, to support individual learner journeys. This is underpinned by work from the Group focusing on the application of intelligent assessment design in campus and workplace based assessment formats, assessor behaviours, mobile technology delivered assessment and the impact of sequential testing methodologies.

He publishes and speaks regularly at leading international medical education conferences and is a faculty member at a number of leading global assessment courses. He holds a number of national/UK advisory roles, including acting as an assessment expert for the General Medical Council - and undertakes a range of advisory and developmental work in relation to curriculum, senior faculty development and assessment for a number of international institutions.

David Game
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David has spent the last sixteen years in e-product development and management in the higher education sector. Prior to working at Elsevier, David managed the Mastering platform, an innovative adaptive higher education science learning and assessment platform. He also took part in Elsevier Hacks as a product development mentor, guiding the participants and helping them to refine and develop their ideas.

Ryohei Goto
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Mr. Ryohei Goto is a physical therapist from University of Seijoh, Japan. He had worked at hospital for seven years, and is now working as a researcher at University of Tsukuba. His research topic is Interprofessional collaboration. As a part of it, he is collaborating with other profession in the community and facility to spread the viewpoint of rehabilitation. He graduated from the University of Seijoh, School of Rehabilitation, and was a PhD in Primary Care and General Medicine, University of Tsukuba.
BK Manjunatha Goud  
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Dr. B.K. Manjunatha Goud completed his MBBS from Vijayanagar institute of medical sciences, Ballari and done MD Biochemistry from Kasturba medical college Mangalore, Karnataka. He has worked as Assistant Professor of Biochemistry in Melaka Manipal Medical College for 2 years and later joined RAKMHSU and working till date as Associate Professor.

During his academic career, he was involved in teaching various courses and has been forefront in medical education research. He has published various research works in reputed journals. He has also published two book chapters and been a reviewer for various journals. He was involved in preparing and implementing of integrated curriculum in his university.

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Education  
2015  Ph.D. (Doctorate of Internal Medicine), Department of International Research Center for Medical Education, the University of Tokyo,  
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Professional Training and Employment  
2015 - Assistant Professor in Department of General Medicine and Primary care, Tsukuba University Hospital  
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A member of Committee in Certified Family Physician, Japan Primary Care Association, A member of Working Group in Medical Education Specialist, Japan Society for Medical Education, A member of Committee in Promoting of IPE, Japan Association for Interprofessional Education.

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Dr. Manasik Hassan senior general pediatric fellow at HMC and clinical instructor teacher at college of medicine Qatar university. Dr. Manasik received her medical training at Gezira University-sudan; she has worked as a general pediatrician on staff at Hamad Medical Corporation –Qatar since 2015. Dr Manasik areas of practice and interest include; inpatient medicine, Participating in designing and conducting clinical research, teaching, and supervising residents in pediatric residency, putting great effort in clinical and academic researches in pediatric program with wide variety of accepted abstracts and workshop speaker in multiple international conferences. She is instructor of different workshops including: communication, Simulation, Quality and professionalism.
Richard Hays was a rural procedural general practitioner in northern Australia before becoming a teacher and researcher, with roles in developing and quality assuring medical programs in Australia, the United Kingdom, Europe, North America and Asia working with the Australian Medical Council, the General Medical Council, the World Federation of Medical Education and regulators in Malaysia, Hong Kong and China. In addition to medical and clinical qualifications, he has a PhD in educational psychology and a higher MD in medical education. Along the way he has achieved several competitive research grants and developed a strong profile in academic publishing.

Julie Hewett, owner of JulNet Solutions, is a graduate of Rochester Institute of Technology with a Bachelors Degree in Entrepreneurial Management. She has over 25 years of office management experience working with small organizations in the services and manufacturing industries. This broad work experience allowed Julie to develop JulNet Solutions, offering management support services to small businesses, entrepreneurs, and eventually professional non-profit associations.

Since 1998 Julie has been involved in IAMSE for Association Management and Meeting Planning. In 2010 JulNet Solutions got involved in the production of IAMSE’s online journal Medical Science Educator, and her office now offers Editorial Manager Support for the Editor-in-Chief.

Dr. Holmboe is Senior Vice President, Milestones Development and Evaluation at the Accreditation Council for Graduate Medical Education (ACGME). He is Adjunct Professor of Medicine at the Uniformed Services University of the Health Sciences and Feinberg School of Medicine at Northwestern University. His research interests include interventions to improve quality of care and methods in the assessment of clinical competence. He is an honorary Fellow of the Royal College of Physicians in London and the Academy of Medical Educators. Dr. Holmboe completed his residency and chief residency at Yale-New Haven Hospital, and was a Robert Wood Johnson Clinical Scholar at Yale University.

Hoon Heh has 20 years of immense experience in the fields of ICT, Cloud services and Internet Ecosystems. 15 years in Greater part of China and has worked with or in International MNCs, China State Owned Enterprises and Major Chinese ISPs and Telecom Operators. Now leading the Global Business Development team in Netdragon Websoft Holdings who is big on mobile gaming and apps store. Netdragon over the past 8 years built and develop the next largest online education community with exciting new immersive learning tools. Netdragon has presence in more than 100 countries and are now connected to 30 million students, 2 million teachers and 1 million classrooms.
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Junko Iida, PhD is an anthropologist teaching students in medicine, nursing, social work, clinical psychology, occupational therapy, physical therapy, nutrition, etc. at Kawasaki University of Medical Welfare and Kawasaki Medical School. Her research interests include anthropology education for (future) health professionals, sensory experience of palliative care, physical examination and doctor-patient relationship in Japan, as well as traditional medicine in Thailand. She is a member of Professionalism and Behavioral Science Committee in the Japan Society for Medical Education, and of Collaborative Committee on Anthropology Education for Health Professionals in the Japanese Society of Cultural Anthropology.

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Yan Jin is a Research Assistant in Office of Medical Education, Faculty of Medicine, The Chinese University of Hong Kong (CUHK). She obtained her medical degree from Capital Medical University, Beijing, China before she joined CUHK in 2005. She participates in the work of reviewing examination question for item quality control in CUHK. She is managing an item bank for both summative and formative assessment. Her areas of educational interests include designing eLearning courseware, constructing questions and standard setting for assessment. She is also active in facilitating different workshops, including item writing, item analysis, constructing eLearning materials, etc.

Paul Kneath Jones
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Paul was Deputy Director of Clinical Teaching prior to taking up the Programme Director role for the GEM course in June 2011. He has a background in clinical examination and consultation skills teaching. Paul jointly leads and teaches on the Swansea Masters’ course in leadership and teaches on a joint Masters in education programme. His research interests lie predominantly, but not exclusively, in simulation, assessment and innovative teaching methods. Publications include mental workload measurement during student consultations, social learning theory, the predictive value of self-assessed clinical skills in medical students and an evaluation of the use of experiential learning in teaching clinical skills to trainee physicians.

Paul has a strong background in training, hospital management and leadership, gained from working in senior clinical, advanced practice roles and more recently from running leadership workshops in international conferences in Canada, Ireland, Singapore, Mexico, the UK and Saudi Arabia as well as presenting posters related to medical education in conferences both in Britain and internationally.
Professor Adeeba Kamarulzaman graduated from Monash University and trained in internal medicine and infectious diseases in Melbourne, Australia. She is presently the Dean of the Faculty of Medicine, University of Malaya and Adjunct Associate Professor at Yale University, USA.

Dr Kamarulzaman established the Infectious Diseases Unit at the University of Malaya Medical Centre, now one of Malaysia’s leading infectious disease and HIV and HIV/AIDS tertiary referral centers, as well as the Centre of Excellence for Research in AIDS (CERiA) at the University of Malaya. She is presently an Executive Committee Member of the International AIDS Society and is a member of the UNAIDS Scientific Expert Panel on HIV and has had numerous consultation roles with both the WHO and UNAIDS. In April 2015 she was awarded an Honorary Doctor of Laws from her alma mater Monash University for her outstanding achievements in the field of Infectious Diseases and as a health advocate.

Kang Yew Beng is currently the International Medical University Associate Dean of E-Learning and is an Associate Professor in the Department of Pharmaceutical Chemistry. He is interested in synthetic preparative chemistry, which includes synthesis of both organic in inorganic compounds, including organometallic. He had been involved in catalytic, organometallic, and surfactant chemistry dealing with highly ring-strained molecules.

The past 15 years was spent in education and technology-related areas in enhancing education. Of current interest is how information in the curriculum can be mapped and used to derive data-informed decision making for academic administration.

Dr Rani Kanthan is a full-time tenured Professor in the College of Medicine at the University of Saskatchewan. As a medical educator, she participates in the scholarship of teaching for the undergraduates, graduates and postgraduates. As a consultant Anatomical pathologist she pursues an active academic career buttressed by the three pillars of teaching, clinical and research portfolios through the scholarship of teaching, discovery, integration and application. She has published more than 120 peer-reviewed manuscripts indexed in PubMed /Google scholar and serves on the editorial board for various journals and continues to participate and present at various national and international meetings.

Indika Karunathilake is the Professor and Head of the Department of Medical Education at the Faculty of Medicine, University of Colombo. He is also the Head of the WHO Collaborating Centre for Medical Education, Faculty of Medicine, University of Colombo. He has conducted extensive research and authored many publications in medical education. Prof. Indika has been a resource person in Medical Education for many national, regional and international forums. Prof. Indika Karunathilake has made significant contribution towards medical education at the regional and global level through his involvement with several leading international organizations such as WHO, SEARAME, AAAH and APACPH.
Sandra Kemp is Director of Learning and Teaching at Curtin Medical School, Curtin University in Perth, Australia and was formerly Assistant Dean for Course Evaluation at Lee Kong Chian School of Medicine in Singapore. She is an education scientist with extensive experience in assessment and evaluation. She completed her PhD in Educational Studies at the University of Sheffield, United Kingdom. Associate Professor Kemp has held senior leadership positions in education in Australia and Singapore and has worked extensively with educators in health professional education to develop and implement initiatives to ensure quality teaching, learning and assessment practices.

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For his pioneering work in the use of remote presence devices to deliver health care to underserviced populations, Dr. Mendez received the Canadian Red Cross Humanitarian Award in 2010 and in 2011 the Health Canada Award for Contribution to the Improvement of the Health of Canadians. In 2016, he received the Government of Canada Public Service Award of Excellence for the use of remote presence robotic technology to improve healthcare in the North.

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Her areas of research in health professionals education is in Faculty development, Assessment and Innovative Teaching Learning methods. Vishna has shared her experience and expertise in health professionals education via invitations to speak at conferences, conducting faculty development workshops and collaborative research, appreciating that she has also learnt very much from these collaborative sessions with other educators.

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He is the foundation Chair of the Hunter Institute of Ageing Research. In 2016, his team based at the HMRI obtained an NHMRC grant for 3.4 million dollars for research in dementia

Prof Nair is the Lead Clinician of the Academy of Clinical Educators at the University of Newcastle and is the Director of the Certificate Course in Clinical Teaching and Supervision. He is Director of the Masters’ Program in Leadership and Management, which was launched in 2012 by the University of Newcastle.

Internationally, he has delivered Faculty development workshops in many countries. He is Emeritus Advisor for the Royal College of Physicians of Edinburgh.
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Following his doctoral studies, Dr. Osheroff moved to the Stanford University School of Medicine in 1980, where he was a Helen Hay Whitney Foundation postdoctoral fellow with Dr. Douglas Brutlag in the Department of Biochemistry. In 1983, he moved to the Vanderbilt University School of Medicine as an Assistant Professor of Biochemistry and he has been on the faculty since that time. Dr. Osheroff currently holds Professorships in the Departments of Biochemistry and Medicine and was endowed with
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Dr. Osheroff’s research focuses on topoisomerases, enzymes that remove knots and tangles from the genetic material and modulate torsional stress in DNA. In addition to their critical physiological roles, human type I and II topoisomerases are the targets for a number of widely used anticancer drugs. Furthermore, bacterial type II topoisomerases are the targets for quinolones, a drug class that includes some of the most frequently prescribed antibacterials in the world. The Osheroff laboratory has made seminal contributions to our understanding of how topoisomerases function and how anticancer drugs, natural products, and antibacterial agents interact with these enzymes and alter their catalytic functions.

Beyond his research, Dr. Osheroff has a long-standing interest in mentoring and training young scientists and physicians. Twenty-seven Ph.D. students have graduated under his mentorship and he has been a course director in the School of Medicine since 1990. Dr. Osheroff holds a number of educational leadership positions in the Vanderbilt University School of Medicine. He is a member of the four-person faculty team that developed and implemented the Foundations of Medical Knowledge (FMK) pre-clerkship phase of Curriculum 2.0. He currently Co-Leads the FMK Phase, Chairs the FMK Phase Team, Chairs the Master Science Teachers, and Directs the Academy for Excellence in Education.

At the national/international level, Dr. Osheroff Chaired the NCI-I “Transition to Independence” study section from 2013-2016. He also is a founding member and the Past-President of the Association of Biochemistry Educators, an organisation of ~350 biochemistry and related faculty from nearly 200 schools of medicine, pharmacy, and dentistry (primarily from North American and the Caribbean). In addition, Dr. Osheroff is the Treasurer of the International Association of Medical Science Educators (IAMSE), an organisation with nearly 900 members worldwide, and sits on the Executive Committee of the IAMSE Board of Directors.

Finally, Dr. Osheroff has received awards for mentoring, teaching, curricular design, educational service, and affirmative action and diversity. Over the past five years, he has been invited to present more than seventy-five scientific and educational talks at fifty institutions/meetings in seventeen different countries.

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She was a visiting fellow in Clinical Pharmacology at Northwestern University Memorial Hospital in Chicago, Illinois and was a Josiah Macy – Harvard Scholar on Program for Leaders in Medical Education at the Harvard Macy Institute, Harvard Medical School, Boston, Massachusetts.

For over the past 20 years she has been involved in reforms in undergraduate medical education in the Philippines. She was the President of the Association of Philippine Medical Colleges, Inc. and a member of the Commission on Basic Medical Education of the Philippine Accrediting Association of Schools, Colleges and Universities. She has been a speaker on accreditation and medical education as well as written and published articles.

She is currently occupied with quality assurance of the medical education program offered by medical schools in the country as an accreditor. As the incumbent Chair of the Technical Committee for Medical Education of the Commission on Higher Education their group together with the Professional Regulatory Board of Medicine ensures that the basic standards of quality of the medical program set by the government regulatory body are met by these schools.

She is currently a member of the Advisory Board of the Western Pacific Association for Medical Education.

Professor Ringsted is dedicated to fostering research-based innovation in health sciences education. During 2004-2011 she served the executive board of Association of Medical Education in Europe (AMEE). She has been program director of the course Research Essential Skills in Medical Education (RESME) since 2007. Her personal research interest is training and assessment in clinical workplace and laboratory/simulation settings, and the role of students and patients as teachers. She has published extensively in medical education; been supervisor of many Master and PhD-students and served the editorial board of several scientific journals related to health science education.

Professor Roberts graduated from Manchester with a degree in Medicine and a BSc in Anatomy. She undertook her early medical training in Manchester and her research in Manchester and the Karolinska Institute in Sweden. In 1995, she was appointed Senior Lecturer in Transplant Immunology at the University of Manchester.

In 2000, she was appointed Professor of Medical Education at the University of Leeds. She was awarded a National Teaching Fellowship in 2006. In 2009, she was appointed Director of the Leeds Institute of Medical Education. She was a council member of the General Medical Council from 2009 until 2012 and Chair of the Association for the Study of Medical Education until July 2013. She was a council member for the Royal College of Physicians of London from 2010 until 2013 and is currently a Censor for the College.

In September 2013, she became President of the Association for Medical Education in Europe. Professor Roberts’s main interests and expertise are in the areas of assessment of competence, professionalism, and transitions in training and education. In 2013, she was awarded a Fellowship of the Academy of Medical Educators. In January 2017 she received the MILES award (*) at the Asia Pacific Medical Education Conference.

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A recipient of the Master Teacher Award of the University of Saskatchewan, he is passionate about teaching and is involved in undergraduate and postgraduate teaching and external teaching through workshops on various aspects leadership and change. His current research interest is in leadership in medical education and health services and in the medical education systems. One of his current projects is on assessment and changes to the learning environment in medical education.

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Dr. Stevens received his B.S. and M.S. degrees in physics from Northern Illinois University and his Ph.D. from the University of Nebraska-Lincoln. He has spoken internationally on computer science and artificial intelligence's impact on education and interactive entertainment and has written over one hundred professional papers, talks, and book chapters.

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Associate Prof. Tran received his M.D. training at UMP with excellent qualification (1989), and then specialized in pediatrics (1990-1993) and later in pediatric neurology. He got his Ph.D. training at Tokyo University (1998-2003) and post-doctoral training at National Institutes for Physiological Sciences of Japan (2003) and at University of Michigan (2003-2005). He was a fellow of Asian Youth Fellowship (1997), Monbusho Fellowship (1998), John J. Bonica Award (2002), Japan Society for the Promotion of Science (2003), International Brain Research Organization (2003), WHO/NINDS International Neurological Science Fellowship (2003), International Dean’s Course in South East Asia (2011), Program for Leading Innovation with Harvard Macy Institute (2013), and Leadership Development Program (2016). His research interest is pain imaging, pediatric neurology, and children quality of life. He has published more than 30 articles in international peer review journals. As a president, his main agenda is to make UMP a leading health profession university in Vietnam and an internationally recognized institution in the region.

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Theanne has contributed to external evaluations and accreditations internationally via the World Federation for Medical Education and the Regional Association, Association for Medical Education in the Western Pacific Region. In 2008-2009, Theanne was visiting professor at the World Federation for Medical Education, based at the University of Copenhagen. She is a senior advisor for WFME.

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He has been a key person in curriculum planning, curriculum evaluation, faculty development and student engagement at his institution. His long-standing contribution in student engagement has resulted in Faculty of Medicine, Chulalongkorn University achieving ASPIRE-to-Excellence Award in Student Engagement in 2015 and him being awarded the National Role Model Teacher in Student Engagement in 2017.

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Jen-Hung Yang is a Professor of Dermatology and the Dean of College of Medicine at Tzu Chi University (TCU), Taiwan. He got his MD in 1985 and PhD in 1994 in National Yang Ming University. His dermatology training was at Veterans General Hospital Taipei. He had been the Chairman of Dermatology at China Medical University and Chung Shan Medical University (CSMU), and Director of Faculty Development, and the Dean of College of Medicine in CSMU, and the Vice-Superintendent of CSMU Hospital. He is currently a board member of the Taiwan Association of Medical Education (TAME), Dean of College of Medicine of TCU, Chairman of Medical Education and Research Council of Tzu Chi Medical System. His research interest is integrating humanities, culture competency and professionalism in medical curriculum. He is also actively engaged in accreditation and currently the Council Member of Taiwan Medical Accreditation Council (TMAC) and the Member of Taiwan Joint Committee of Hospital Accreditation.
Dr. Magda received her medical training at Cairo University - Egypt; she has worked as a general pediatrician on staff at Hamad Medical Corporation – Qatar since 2006. Dr. Magda’s areas of practice include: inpatient medicine, patient safety, detection of adverse events and was appointed to chairs pediatrics quality and patient safety committee. Dr. Magda has strong interests in medical education supervises residents on clinical setting; she is instructor and in charge of different workshops including; communication, APLS, quality, and professionalism.

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Mr Yung has been joined Faculty of Medicine, The Chinese University of Hong Kong for 10 years. He provides the innovative technical solution for faculty to enhance the existing teaching and learning model to latest situation. For example, he manages the development of App-based elearning gadgets for medical students and re-development an medical assessment item bank system. He also participates on various teaching development grant projects for providing the most updated technical solution.

Katharine Boursicot BSc MBBS MRCOG MAHPE NTF SFHEA FRSM, Director, Health Professional Assessment Consultancy, graduated from the University of London with an Honours BSc in Anatomy and MBBS from the Medical College of St Bartholomew’s Hospital. She went onto train in Obstetrics and Gynaecology in London, Dublin and Hong Kong then worked as a Consultant Obstetrician and Gynaecologist at St Thomas’, St Bartholomew’s and Homerton Hospitals in London, with an Honorary Reader position at Barts and The London School of Medicine and Dentistry.

With an increasing interest in medical education, Katharine studied at the Institute of Education in London and was awarded a distinction in her Masters in Higher and Professional Education. As a full time medical educationalist, she has gained experience and expertise in medical education and has led the reform of curriculum and assessment at the undergraduate medical schools at Barts and the London, Cambridge University and St George’s University of London. In 2014, she moved to Singapore to work as Assistant Dean for Medical Education Research and Assessment at the Lee Kong Chian School of Medicine. Since 2015, she has worked independently, to lead a consortium of health professional educationalists (Health Professional Assessment Consultancy: HPAC http://www.hpac.sg/index.html) to conduct internationally acclaimed assessment courses in London (http://www.hpac.sg/facourse) and Singapore (http://www.hpac.sg/ siaac), as well as advise internationally on assessment, quality assurance, faculty development and reviews of assessment programmes.

She has published her research in the leading medical education journals and is an Associate Editor for the journals Advances in Health Sciences Education, BioMedCentral and is a regular reviewer for Medical Education, Medical Teacher, the BMJ, the Clinical Teacher, Higher Education Quarterly and Assessment and Evaluation in Higher Education. She is the Series Editor for the Oxford University Press companion volumes to their Handbooks of Medicine series, with six volumes published and another three in press (Oxford Assess and Progress series).

Katharine has been invited to advise on numerous national and international initiatives including several of the Royal Medical Colleges in the UK, the Colleges of Medicine of South Africa, the Association of Veterinary Schools in the UK, the General Medical Council, the General Dental Council, the Osteopathic Council, the Lawyers Regulatory Council, the Arab Board of Postgraduate Examinations, the National Assessment Group of Switzerland, the IDEAL Consortium, and has held visiting Professorships at the Universities of Cyberjaya (Malaysia), Hong Kong, Amman (Jordan) and Tromso (Norway).
Internationally and Local Faculty

Currently, she is consultant to the Singapore Ministry of Health, Curtin Medical School (Australia), University College Dublin School of Veterinary Medicine (Ireland), the Colleges of Medicine of South Africa, and the General Medical Council (UK).

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Dr Chen Fun Gee graduated from the Faculty of Medicine National University of Singapore on April 1981. He completed his postgraduate training in Anaesthesia in Singapore in 1987. He underwent subspecialty training in Critical Care Medicine at St Vincent’s Hospital Sydney in 1990. With an interest in medical education, Dr Chen underwent a 2-year Masters Health Professions Education course at Maastricht University Holland and graduated in 2016.

Dr Chen joined the Department of Anaesthesia National University Hospital in 1986 and became an academic staff of the Faculty of Medicine, National University of Singapore in 1989. He subsequently held positions as Director of Surgical Intensive Care Unit, Clinical Director Anaesthesia, Vice Chairman Medical Board (Quality Assurance) and Head of Department of Anaesthesia (NUS and NUH). He completed his term as head and started his current position as Director Division of Graduate Medical Studies, Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine in 2010.

Dr Chen is a member of the Singapore Medical Council, the Singapore Specialist Accreditation Board and the Family Medicine Accreditation Board. He is the Co-Chair, Joint Committee of Specialist Training and Chair, Joint Committee of Family Medicine Training. He sits in advisory panels in licensing assessments in Advance Practice Nursing and Pharmacy Residencies. For his contributions in education, he was awarded a Public Administration Medical (Bronze) during the Singapore National Day Awards 2016.

Dr Chen’s research interest has been in the area of outcomes in critical care, airway devices, medical simulation as well as assessments in medical education, in particular residency training outcomes. He has been invited as a faculty internationally to talk on critical care management, use of airway devices as well as medical simulation in medical education. Dr Chen has also served as an anaesthesia examiner in postgraduate anaesthesia examinations in Singapore, Hong Kong and Malaysia.

Dr Chen’s extracurricular interest is in Jazz music. He is a student of the saxophone and electric guitar and has performed publicly in D&Ds and celebratory events.

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Dr Matthew Chen is a final year Senior Resident in Geriatric Medicine with the National University Health System (NUHS). He received his undergraduate medical degree from Barts and the London, Queen Mary University of London in 2010. In 2015, he was admitted as a Member of the Royal College of Physicians (London), and completed his Residency in Internal Medicine in NUHS. As a Senior Resident in Geriatric Medicine, he is dedicated to teaching medical students and junior doctors in both clinical/practical and classroom environments. Dr Chen is also actively involved in local and overseas humanitarian work, and is a regular volunteer at Care Community Services Society (CCSS), conducting home medical visits and participating in community engagement programmes for older people.

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A/Prof Lita Chew is the Head of Pharmacy Department at the National Cancer Centre Singapore. She holds concurrent positions as Associate Professor at the Department of Pharmacy, National University of Singapore and the Chief Pharmacist at Ministry of Health. She received her Pharmacy degree from the National University of Singapore and Masters in Medical Science from the University of Birmingham, United Kingdom. She completed her fellowship training in Pharmacy Practice at the University Illinois Chicago, USA. She has practiced in the area of oncology for more than 20 years and she sits in numerous boards and committees. Her practice and research interest includes medication management, medication adherence, pharmacy practice and workforce development.

Dr Jacqueline Chin is Associate Professor at the Centre for Biomedical Ethics (CBmE), Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine, National University of Singapore. Her research addresses national and globally-relevant capacity-building in biomedical ethics including What Doctors Say About Care of the Dying, a study of doctors’ perspectives on end-of-life decisions (2010–2011); Making Difficult Decisions with Patients and Families (2014), vol. 1 of an online casebook (www.bioethicscasebook.sg) featured in a collection of papers on Bioethics Education 2015 by the US Presidential Commission for the Study of Bioethical Issues; and vol. 2, Caring for Older People in An Ageing Society (2017), which engages with ethical challenges of eldercare in community care settings.

Hui Ting received her BSc (Hons) (Pharmacy) in 2008 and PhD in 2013 from the Department of Pharmacy, NUS. She is a registered pharmacist with the Singapore Pharmacy Council since 2009. She was a clinical editor with the National Healthcare Group Pharmacy & Therapeutics Office before joining the university in Dec 2014 to pursue her interest and passion in education. She aims to marry her training and experiences in the pharmaceutical sciences and pharmacy practice to answer pertinent research questions in the areas of pharmacy and interprofessional education, drug interactions, and medication adherence.

Dr. Cook joined Duke - NUS Medical School in June 2006, as Associate Professor and Associate Dean for Curriculum Development as well as head of the Medical Education, Research, and Evaluation Department. In 2010 she was promoted to Senior Associate Dean and took on an expanded role in supporting the Vice Dean in managing the Education Office. She helped establish the Academic Medicine Education Institute (AM.EI), which was launched in 2012. It is a joint venture with Duke-NUS and SingHealth –designed to promote excellence in education for all Health Professional Educators. In 2014, she was accepted into the NUS Teaching Academy Fellows and 2016 received the Master Scholar Award from the International Association of Medical Science Educators (IAMSE). In 2016, she was appointed Interim Vice Dean and Interim Co-Chair of AM.EI. In 2017, appointed Deputy Head, Office of Education following the successful search for a new Vice Dean for Education.
Dr. Cook received her PhD from Cornell University in Adult and Continuing Education. Her Master’s is in Research Methodology and her Bachelor’s in Experimental Psychology, both from Ohio State University. Dr. Cook went to Chicago in 1985 to work as an education specialist for the Diabetes Research and Training Center (DRTC), a major NIH grant that was awarded to the University of Chicago in 1976 and continues to be funded. One of the major focuses on that grant has been the translation of diabetes research to the community, patients, and physicians. She continued on that grant and other diabetes related grants until 2003, when she needed to focus more of her time with University of Chicago Pritzker School of Medical and working with faculty to develop scholarly medical education research projects. She was appointed as the Associate Dean for Curricular Affairs, Senior Research Professional at The University of Chicago Pritzker School of Medicine from 2001-2006.

Dr. Cook’s overall research in Chicago focused on developing and evaluating educational programs throughout the Division of Biological Sciences; health outcomes research in the area of diabetes, sleep medicine disorders, asthma, and geriatrics; and faculty development efforts in the area of the Scholarship of Education. Her work in the area of simulation and clinical assessment grew with the development of Clinical Performance Center at the University of Chicago for use in teaching and assessing the clinical skills of our medical students. Her research efforts has resulted in numerous publications, published abstracts, and one book chapter. Since coming to Singapore, she has focused much of her research on the development, implementation, and impact of Team-based Learning and faculty development.

She has been a member of the Society of Directors in Research in Medical Education since 2002 and served on the Board of Directors for 5 years until she moved to Singapore. She spent 8 years on the board of the Chicago Asthma Consortium, and served as President from 2003-2006. She also was the chair of the Curriculum and Evaluation committee of the 13-Schools Consortium from 2001-2006. She currently is a member of the Team-based Learning Collaborative, International Association of Medical Science Educators, Association of Medical educators of Europe, and is an associate editor for Medical Science Education Journal, the Proceedings of Singapore Health Care, and Annals, Academy of Medicine Singapore.

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Prof Ian Curran is currently the Vice Dean of Education at Duke-NUS Medical School, Singapore. Previously, he was Assistant Director of Education and Professional Standards at the UK General Medical Council where he leads education policy, regulatory and quality assurance work in post graduate medical education and training across the UK. His achievements at GMC include the development of the innovative Generic Professional Capabilities Framework, revision of the GMC Curriculum Standards and Assessment Systems “Excellence by Design”, and development of the “Promoting Excellence” Education Standards for Undergraduate and Postgraduate Medical Education and Training for the UK.

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Dong Chaoyan, PhD, CHSE, AMEE Associate Fellow, leads Sengkang Health Education Office since July 2015. She was Assistant Director for Centre for Medical Education at NUS Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine until June 2015. Her responsibilities included continuing professional development, research in health profession education. Before joining NUS in 2013, she was an Assistant Professor in the Department of Emergency Medicine at New York University School of Medicine, where her focus was simulation-based medical education, drawing from her background in cognitive science, education technology, and psychology. She earned a PhD in Educational Communication & Technology from New York University, and has 10+ years’ experience in curriculum design, eLearning and professional development in Singapore and USA. She has given more than 50 conference presentations and workshops on these topics, and has authored 25 peer-reviewed articles.
Assoc Prof Kelvin Foong is the Discipline Director of Orthodontics and Paediatric Dentistry at the Faculty of Dentistry, NUS. He is also the Director of the Orthodontics Residency Programme and is a Fellow of the NUS Teaching Academy. His educational research interests focus on understanding (i) the novice to expert progression in learning and (ii) how technology contributes to this progression.

Johan Geertsema is the Director of the NUS Centre for Development of Teaching and Learning and an Associate Professor in the University Scholars Programme, National University of Singapore, where he has taught writing and critical thinking since 2001. His research focuses on academic development and is oriented towards the question of how higher education policies and practices can enhance teaching quality in order to foster learning outcomes and processes. He is particularly interested in recognition and reward of teaching achievement and consequently the relation between educational research and the scholarship of teaching and learning.

Dr Goh Lay Hoon is a Consultant in the Division of Family Medicine, Department of Medicine at National University Health System. She is currently teaching medical students in the National University of Singapore and is a Physician Faculty in the NUHS Family Medicine Residency Program. Her interests are in curriculum development and assessment. She is also involved in the Well Program for the Alexandra Campus.

Dr Goh is a graduate of the Melbourne Medical School in Australia (1987), a Fellow of the Royal College of Radiologists in the UK (1993), Fellow of the Academy of Medicine in Singapore (1998), has obtained a Master of Health Professions Education from Maastricht University (2012), and is a Fellow of AMEE (2017). He has been practicing as a clinical radiologist for the last 26 years, and teaching at the National University of Singapore (NUS) and National University Hospital (NUH) for the last 23 years. He has a special interest in Neuroradiology, Chest Radiology, and Abdominal Radiology. Dr Goh has previously served as Radiology Department Clinical Director, Undergraduate Teaching Director, and Postgraduate Teaching Director; as well as serving NUH as the inaugural Chair of the hospital Risk Management and Patient Safety Committee. He has served as Honorary Secretary of the Singapore Radiological Society; a Council Member of the College of Radiologists of the Academy of Medicine, Singapore; and on organising committees for local and international scientific conferences in Radiology; Biomedical Engineering; and Medical Education; including being previous Chair, organising committee, of the 11th APMEC (Asia Pacific Medical Education Conference) 2014; and a member of the organising committee eLearning symposium for AMEE 2015, Glasgow.
INTERNATIONAL AND LOCAL FACULTY

He has been developing and evaluating eLearning platforms and solutions for undergraduate and postgraduate teaching and learning for the last 15 years; and has presented this work at conferences, invited symposia and workshops both locally and internationally. He has published papers on Technology enhanced learning / eLearning in Medical Education journals as well as online papers and reflection pieces. He was a member of the NUS task-force successful in developing a proposal for setting up the Interactive and Digital Media Institute at NUS.

Dr Goh is currently core faculty of the NUHS Diagnostic Radiology Residency Program; as well as being local faculty and serving as Unit 7 co-ordinator for the MHPE-S program run conjointly by Maastricht University with the Academy of Medicine, Singapore. He is a current member of the AMEE (Association for Medical Education in Europe) eLearning committee.

“Passions - Technology enhanced learning, Education, Radiology. Technology as a tool, platform and enabler to support and augment face to face customised teaching and learning; with educational principles as the foundation; and Radiology, as well as Medical Education Faculty Development and Scholarship as my academic and clinical focus.”

His current focus is on building and evaluating the use of hyperlinked radiology and educational case repositories in medical education.

http://medicaleducationelearning.blogspot.sg/2016/04/collected-medical-education-activities.html
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Matthew C E Gwee
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Professor Gwee is currently a Professorial Fellow and Chairman, International and Education Programmes in the Centre for Medical Education of the Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine. Professor Gwee currently serves in several local, regional and international committees, Advisory Boards, as well as the Editorial Boards of Medical Teacher, Medical Education, International Journal of Medical Education and J Medical Education and Curriculum Development. Professor Gwee has been an invited speaker/panelist for several gold standard meetings in medical education in the Asia-Pacific region and beyond. He is a pioneer in the field of medical education in Singapore and obtained his MHPEd degree from the University of New South Wales in 1981 during the tenure of a WHO Fellowship. He received the prestigious MILES Award in the 3rd Asia Pacific Medical Education Conference 2006, in recognition of his many contributions to Mentoring, Innovation and Leadership in Educational Scholarship.

Professor Gwee has served as: Fellow of the NUS Teaching Academy; Member, University Committee on Educational Policy; Associate Director, CDTL (1997-2006); Foundation Member, Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee; inaugural Co-Chairman of the Nursing Curriculum Committee, Alice Lee Centre for Nursing Studies; Vice-Dean (1980-1992) and Head, Department of Pharmacology (1987-1997) and Chairman, PBL Committee (2000-2006) in the then Faculty of Medicine, NUS. Professor Gwee has also served as a Member of the Management Committee of the Association for Medical Education in Asia, and also Member, Board of Directors, International Association of Medical Science Educators.

Professor Gwee was recently invited by Nova Publications to contribute a Chapter in the book “Medical Education: Global Perspectives, Challenges, and Future Directions”. Professor Gwee, together with D. Samarasekera and Chay-Hoon Tan contributed the chapter “Globalisation of Medical Education: An Asian Perspective.” Recently, Professor Gwee also published two key papers in Special Issues to commemorate the centenary year (2010) of the Flexner Report in the Journal of Medical Education (“Medical and Health Care Professional Education in the 21st Century: Institutional, National and Global Perspectives”) and the Journal of the International Association of Medical Science Educators (“Role of Basic Medical Sciences in 21st Century Medical Education.”). Since then he has also contributed to other publications including a chapter (“Assessing Anatomy as a Basic Medical Science”) in the book ‘Teaching Anatomy: A Practical Guide’ published by Springer.

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Dr. Sergio Hernandez Marin is a Business Analyst Lead Google Play APAC, Business Operations & Strategy at Google with more than 10 years experience in Big Data Analysis and Artificial Intelligence. Sergio joined Google Singapore office after spending some time in Google Toronto and Google Dublin where he has held a variety of roles involving Big Data analysis. Before Google Sergio has been involved in small and big companies in several industries: Defence, IT/Telecom, Aerospace, Healthcare, Renewable Energy.
Sergio holds three advanced master’s degrees in Telecommunications Engineering from Spain and France, a PhD in Applied Statistics in Artificial Intelligence from the UK and an MBA from Copenhagen Business School. Originally from Spain, Sergio has lived in nine different countries and he is passionate about learning about different cultures.

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Calvin WL Ho is Assistant Professor at the Centre for Biomedical Ethics in the Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine, National University of Singapore (NUS). He is also Co-Head of the Collaborating Centre for Bioethics of the World Health Organisation, and a Research Associate with The Ethox Centre, University of Oxford. In addition, he serves as a member of the Singapore Nursing Board, an Assistant Director with the Legal Aid Bureau (Ministry of Law), a member of the National Transplant Ethics Panel (Ministry of Health), a member of the Bioethics Committee of Alexandria Hospital, a member of the Paediatric Ethics and Advocacy Centre, National University Hospital and a member of NUS Inter-professional Education Steering Committee.

Benjamin Hooi
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Dr. Benjamin Hooi served as the Academic Chief Resident for the National University Health System’s (NUHS) Internal Medicine Residency Program from July 2015 to June 2016. During his term, he planned and conducted a variety of teaching courses for both undergraduate medical students and postgraduate medical residents. He is currently a Senior Resident with NUHS’s division of Advanced Internal Medicine (AIM), and remains a passionate educator and advocate for junior residents as teachers.

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Chuen Yee is a nurse by practice. She attained her RN qualification in 1998 and has since practiced clinical nursing in SGH, research nursing in KKHWCH and NUHS. She has assisted in mock exam practice sessions and multiple exams as a standardised patient since 2007. She is currently the Standardised Patient Educator for Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine, National University of Singapore, since 2012.

She taps on her past experience in clinical nursing and standardised patient to plan and build an effective NUS Standardised Patient Program together with Prof Nicola Ngiam.

Terence Huey Cheong Wei
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Dr Terence Huey is currently a Consultant Hepatopancreatobiliary Surgeon at Tan Tock Seng Hospital, Singapore. He is a keen educator and is currently the Associate Program Director for the NHG-AHPL General Surgery Residency Program. He also plays an active teaching role for medical students from both Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine, NUS and Lee Kong Chian School of Medicine, NTU. He looks forward to learning from other medical educators, teachers and students at this APMEC.
Janice is a Senior Nurse Educator in the cardiac cluster at the National University Hospital (NUH) specialising in coronary and general intensive nursing care. She is actively involved in clinical teaching in NUH in-house nursing programmes: Critical Care and Cardiac nursing programmes.

Her main interest is in interprofessional simulation training. She conducts clinical simulation training and train-the-trainers workshops for nurses. She also supports clinical instructors in cardiac cluster Trigger Code Blue and conducts Cardiac Rehabilitation Outpatient Code Blue drill clinical simulation training.

Dr Koh Dow Rhoon is an alumni of the Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine and completed his undergraduate training in medicine in 1981. He then went on to complete his postgraduate training in Internal Medicine, Rheumatology and Immunology. He has been active in medical education for more than a decade and has been the Vice-Dean (Education) from 2001 to 2010, driving medical education reforms in the school. He is currently Associate Professor in the Department of Physiology and Visiting Senior Consultant in the Division of Rheumatology, Department of Medicine, National University Health System (NUHS). He continues to contribute to medical education, fostering integrated learning strategies for undergraduate medical students and is active in faculty development and quality improvement for the school. Dr Koh is also involved in postgraduate training for Rheumatology trainees and is a member of the Rheumatology RAC and chairs the examination subcommittee. He also chairs the development of medical education standards and quality assurance framework for medical schools in Singapore under the MOH.

A/Prof Koh had received her PhD in Medicine, Dentistry and Health Sciences, from the School of Nursing, University of Melbourne, Australia in 2008. She is currently Associate Professor at ALCNS, NUS, teaching undergraduates & postgraduates on research, evidence-based practice, patient safety and quality as well as supervision of the students for their research thesis. She worked in the Ministry of Health from 2009-2016, developing patient safety strategies and overseeing clinical quality in the hospitals. She previously worked in KKH as a midwife since 1995, and extended to research and teaching roles since 2001. Her research interests are in patient safety and maternal health.
Alfred Kow  
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Dr Kow is currently working as a Senior Consultant at the Department of Surgery at the National University Health System Singapore. His main areas of specialty are Hepatobiliary Surgery, Liver Transplantation and Minimally Invasive Surgery. Dr Kow also spends a large portion of his time on medical education, in teaching medical students and residents as well as developing medical curriculum for the YLLSoM. He has received numerous teaching awards at the hospital, faculty and the university over the past 10 years, including two time recipients of the NUS Annual Teaching Excellence Award (ATEA). He is a fellow at the NUS Teaching Academy.

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Dr. Kowitlawakul received her Ph.D in Nursing in 2008, from George Mason University, Virginia, USA. Her professional experiences have included critical care nursing and clinical teaching. Dr. Kowitlawakul has been working as an Assistant Professor at Alice Lee Centre for Nursing Studies, Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine, National University of Singapore, since July 2011. She has been involved in teaching undergraduate and graduate nursing program. Her research areas of interest are patient safety and quality and educational technology.

Charmaine Krishnasamy  
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Charmaine Krishnasamy is a Senior Research Analyst at Health Outcomes and Medical Education Research (HOMER), National Healthcare Group, Singapore. She is involved in various projects with clinicians and academics, on research and evaluation pertaining to the teaching and learning environments of medical and allied health students and educators. Her research interests are in clinicians’ research capacity, students’ learning environments and rehabilitation outcomes research using both quantitative and qualitative methods.

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INTERNATIONAL AND LOCAL FACULTY

A strong advocate of life long learning and empowerment, she has presented more than 500 abstracts at international conferences, published over 300 scientific papers in peer-reviewed journals and is on the editorial board and reviewer for some 40 international journals. She leads various leadership groups, grooming youths and doctors to excel, which is also befitting her role as a core faculty, nurturing residents in Emergency Medicine.

For her work in the various fields, she has been conferred awards such as Young Investigator's Award (1998), Excellent Scientific Publication Award (2001), Best Teacher Award (2002), Laerdal Visiting Lectureship Award (2003), Courage Award (2004), National Healthcare Humanity Award (2005), The Outstanding Young Person of Singapore (2006), Good Mentor Award, Singhelth (2005), The Outstanding Young Person of the World Award (2006), Woman for Peace Award, Sokka Gakkai International, (2007), Dean’s Award for Excellence in Teaching, NUS (2008), Singapore Medical Journal Recognition Award for Review with Distinction, (2007-2016), Critical Talent Retention Award, Singapore, Excellent Educator Award 2016 and The Academy of Medicine, Gold Reviewer Award (2011), Deans Awards for Excellence in Clinical Training/Teaching 2016 from The National University of Singapore and The National Day Long Service Award 2017, amongst others. She continues to work full time, with a fulfilling career in Emergency Medicine, balancing clinical work with research and education, as well as her political and community responsibilities as an elected Member of Parliament in Singapore. She has participated in three General Elections. For recreation, Fatimah enjoys mountain climbing, cooking, reading and she has completed 20 full marathons.

Lau Tang Ching
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Dr Lau Tang Ching is currently working as a senior consultant rheumatologist in the Division of Rheumatology, University Medicine Cluster in the National University Health System. He has been appointed as the Vice Dean (Education) of NUS Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine in June 2017. He graduated in 1991 from the National University of Singapore and obtained his Membership of the Royal College of Physician in United Kingdom and the Master of Medicine (internal medicine) degree in 1997. He is a fellow of the Academy of Medicine Singapore since 2001. He also holds a Master of Medical Science degree in Clinical Epidemiology (University of Newcastle, Australia), and a graduate diploma degree in acupuncture (Singapore). His main research interests are in osteoporosis, pharmacoeconomic evaluation, medical education and evidence based medicine. He has helped to coordinate the Health Service Development Program for osteoporosis (HSDP) in 2003 to 2007 in the NHG cluster, which was successful in improving adherence and reducing the recurrent fracture rates of patients who were at high risk of recurrent fractures. He is helping to coordinate the Osteoporosis Disease Management Program (OPTIMAL), which is an extension of the previous HSDP osteoporosis program. He is currently the chairman of the National Arthritis Foundation. His hobbies include photography, singing, cooking, jogging and taichi.

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Ms Cindy Lee has been involved in teaching undergraduate nursing students. Her teaching areas are Medical-Surgical Nursing, Maternal and Child Health Nursing, Fundamental of Nursing. She has integrated gamification for blood transfusion into nursing curriculum in the nursing laboratory.

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A/Prof Lee Kheng Hock is the Family Medicine Clerkship Leader at Duke-NUS Medical School. Besides teaching medical students, A/Prof Lee is a faculty of the SingHealth Family Medicine Program as well as the Fellowship Program of the College of Family Physicians Singapore. A/Prof Lee’s interest include research in medical education and his work had been published in international peer reviewed journals. A/Prof Lee is practicing as a Senior Consultant in the Department of Family Medicine and Continuing Care at the Singapore General Hospital. He is currently Co-Chair of the Joint Committee on Family Medicine Training, a committee that oversees family medicine training in Singapore.
INTERNATIONAL AND LOCAL FACULTY

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Dr Lee Shuh Shing is a medical educationalist in Centre for Medical Education (CenMED), Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine. Prior joining NUS, she was a Medical Educationalist attached to the Medical Education Research and Development Unit (MERDU) in University of Malaya, Malaysia. After obtaining her PhD in education, she has been actively involved in MBBS curriculum planning and provide staff training in University of Malaya. Her main research interests are in teaching and learning approaches, technology in teaching and learning, student learning and qualitative research.

Liaw Sok Ying
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Dr Liaw Sok Ying has been involved in a number of educational initiatives at ALCNS, including the development and implementation of simulation evaluation tools, Objective Structure Clinical Examination (OSCE), simulation-based interprofessional education and virtual patient simulation. She has created a website at www.rapids.nus.edu.sg to share her evidence-based educational resources on RAPIDS. Her research work on simulation education and RAPIDS has been recognised through publications in high impact journals (e.g. Resuscitation and Journal of Medical Internet Research). She has been invited as a speaker on simulation education by a number of institutions in Japan, Taiwan and Thailand.

Aymeric Lim
Associate Professor
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Associate Professor Aymeric Lim is currently Vice-Dean, Leadership Development and Strategy, NUS Medicine. He oversees the development of leadership, professionalism, ethics, values and international outreach. He is also the Dean of the Healthcare Leadership College, MOH Holdings, which supports building leadership capacity and capabilities for our national public healthcare system, in line with the Ministry of Health’s vision and strategic priorities.

A/Prof Lim served as the Chairman, Medical Board of the National University Hospital from 2008 to 2016. He oversaw the professional leadership in NUH, and governed the practice of patient care. Under his leadership, he established the hospital’s Patient Safety Strategy which aims to eliminate harm and achieve zero preventable errors, along with integrating and optimizing patient experience to provide safe and clinically effective care.
INTERNATIONAL AND LOCAL FACULTY

A/Prof Lim was the Commanding Officer of 2 Combat Support Hospital from 2009 to 2015. He was a member of the SAF Safety Committee. As a veteran of humanitarian projects, he has led missions to places like Taiwan, Afghanistan and Bandar Aceh in Indonesia.

A trained hand and micro surgeon, A/Prof Lim’s expertise includes flaps, peripheral nerve reconstruction and tendon transfers. His research on the intra-muscular innervation of the muscles of the forearm led to new clinical work in the field of tendon transfers, techniques useful for patients with severe forearm crush or nerve injuries. A/Prof Lim has published widely in local and international journals.

Lim Boon Leng
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Assoc Professor Lim Boon Leng is Designated Institutional Official (DIO) for SingHealth Residency as well as the Deputy Group Director, Education (Graduate), SingHealth Academy. He is also Associate Professor of Duke-NUS Medical School, Clinical Associate Professor of YLL School of Medicine, NUS, Co-Chair of the Professional Development Committee of Academic Medicine Education Institute (AMEI).

A/Prof Lim’s portfolio includes - Director, Surgical ICU (1996-2002); Head, Department of Anaesthesia & Surgical Intensive Care (2004-2009); Chairman, Sub-Division of Anaesthesiology (2009-2011); President, Society of Intensive Care Medicine (1999-2001); President, Singapore Society of Anaesthesiology (2002-2003). He was member of the Specialist Training Committee (Anaesthesiology) from 2006-2011 and Subspecialty Training Committee (Intensive Care Medicine) from 2006-2014. His other works are in Bioethics and Transplant Ethics where he serves as member of SGH Transplant and Bioethics Committee Member since 2005 and MOH National Transplant Ethics Panel since 2009.

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Dr Keith Lim graduated from the National University of Singapore and obtained his postgraduate fellowship in Radiation Oncology from the Royal Australian, New Zealand College of Radiology (RANZCR). He is presently a Senior Consultant and the Group Chief Value Officer for the National University Health System.

Dr Lim is an Assistant Dean with the Yong Loon Lin School of Medicine, National University of Singapore and a member of the Residency Advisor Committee for radiation oncology. He has previously served as the Vice President of the Singapore Society of Oncologists.

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Dr. Lim is a consultant at the Khoo Teck Puat-National University Children’s Medical Institute, NUHMS. He graduated from Imperial College School of Medicine, London, in 2000. Dr. Lim is dually-accredited in Paediatrics and Paediatric Respiratory Medicine in the UK, and gained specialist accreditation in Paediatric Medicine in Singapore in 2012. He is active in undergraduate medical education, and is a core faculty member in the postgraduate residency program for paediatrics at National University Hospital.
Lim Wee Khee is a senior lecturer and consultant with the Digital Innovation and Design practice at the Institute of System Science, National University of Singapore (NUS-ISS). She is currently teaching executive education courses for PMETs in the areas of Web Analytics and SEO, Digital and Social Engagement Strategy, Social Media Analytics and Social Media Marketing.

Wee Khee is a customer-centric digital marketing practitioner with years of industry experience in digital marketing, customer experience and brand communications across Asia Pacific. Prior to joining NUS-ISS, she has held various leadership positions with global organisations from consumer technology, electronics, telecommunications industries and government sectors. Her expertise includes marketing strategy, integrated communications across multiple channels, digital marketing (search, social media, email, mobile), ecommerce and web analytics.

Wee Khee graduated from the National University of Singapore with Bachelor of Business Administration (marketing major). She also completed ACTA (Advanced Certificate in Training and Assessment) from IAL (Institute of Adult Learning) and Executive Education from INSEAD.

A people developer at heart, Wee Khee is passionate about leveraging both the creative and analytics aspects of digital into teaching practices.

A/Prof Lim Wee Shiong is Senior Consultant in the Department of Geriatric Medicine, Tan Tock Seng Hospital. He is faculty advisor to National Healthcare Group Health Outcomes Medical Education Research (NHG-HOMER); Adjunct Associate Professor of Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine, NUS; Fellow of the American Geriatric Society; and Associate Fellow of the Association for Medical Education in Europe (AMEE). He is the course lead for the Atelier Wilson Centre@HOMER Course in Qualitative Research Methods 2017. He was awarded the outstanding alumni award 2016, Health Professions Education Program, MGH Institute of Health Professions, Boston, USA. His research interests in health professions education include interprofessional teams and leadership; outcomes-based program evaluation; and mixed methods research.

Norman is a doctor-in-training at the National University of Singapore, Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine. Currently into his fourth year, he has been an active member of the school, serving as the President of the NUS Medical Society. He has been actively involved in school in the areas of medical education by helping to mentor his juniors, as well as community outreach, through organising community service projects and empowering his schoolmates to better serve the community previously in the capacity of the Community Service Director in the Medical Society. Besides this, he continues to broaden his horizons by exploring other interests, and hopes to be able to serve his patients well when he graduates.
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Dr Natalie Ling is a first year Senior Resident in the Division of Geriatric Medicine with the National University Health System (NUHS). She graduated from the Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine in 2013 and obtained her postgraduate qualification from the Royal College of Physicians (London) in 2016. As Chief Resident during her training in Internal Medicine, she has participated in the teaching of medical students and junior residents in a clinical setting, as well as facilitated local internship programs for medical students trained overseas.

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Dr Victor Loh is posting director of undergraduate family medicine at NUSMed. Since taking on the role, learning activities introduced into the curriculum include the use of standardized patients in consultation skills training, motivational interviewing workshops, the use of student created videos, and the facilitating trainee encounters with the distressed, the differently-abled, and the migrant worker out in the community. The overarching focus of curriculum design has been in facilitating trainee competency in the art and skill of the consultation, the central arena where evidence-based medicine meets clinical uncertainty and complexity. His research interests range from topics closely related to family medicine: doctor-patient communication, antibiotic stewardship, care of the elderly, accessibility to healthcare services, to subjects related to medical education: professional identity formation, the training of family physicians, self-regulated learning, practitioner and trainee wellness, and the role of technology in medical education.

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Professor Naomi Low-Beer is Vice-Dean, Education and Professor of Medical Education at the Lee Kong Chian School of Medicine (LKCMedicine), responsible for the MBBS programme, taught graduate programmes, and the development of LKCMedicine’s Medical Education Research and Scholarship Unit (MERSU). She has published on a number of areas of medical education, including curriculum development, assessment and task analysis. Having combined a career in Obstetrics and Gynaecology with medical education at Imperial College, she relocated to Singapore in December 2014 in order to focus completely on medical education and the training of Singapore’s next generation of doctors.

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Dr Sarah Lu is a Consultant in Breast Surgery, in the Department of General Surgery, Tan Tock Seng Hospital. She completed her undergraduate medical degree in University College Medical School, London. Dr Lu completed her basic and advanced surgical training in Singapore and did her fellowship in Oncoplastic Breast Surgery in Korea and France. As Program Director of the NHG General Surgery Residency Program, she is actively involved in educating and training the next generation of surgeons. Dr Lu is also involved in undergraduate medical education and has been appointed as Adjunct Assistant Professor in Lee Kong Chian School of Medicine and clinical lecturer in the Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine, National University of Singapore.
Desmond Ng
Director
Business Development
EON Reality
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Desmond is responsible for the company’s business development, focused on virtual reality training in sectors e.g. the government, educational, and aerospace. He anchored a significant relationship with Accenture, by deploying VR training concepts for Rio Tinto mining workers, and VR shopping concepts for Procter & Gamble. He was also a two-time InnovPlus winner (2016 & 2017), awarded by SkillsFuture Singapore, focused on VR in Safety Training, and Anti-Terrorism. Other portfolios include Singapore Tourism Board, Ascott Residences, Building & Construction Authority of Singapore, and 313 Somerset. In 2011, he was Head of Product in Magellan, Sydney, managing smart wearables, and IoT-enabled products. In 2010, as the Head of e-Publishing, Media Development Authority of Singapore, Desmond formed a consortium to develop an open digital publishing platform to build an ecosystem of digital assets, for education in Japan, China and London. Desmond is also Chairman of AR VR Special Interest Group, under the Singapore Computer Society. He holds a dual Masters in Human Factors Engineering from Linköping Institute of Technology, Sweden and Nanyang Technological University, Singapore.

Nicola Ngiam
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Dr Nicola Ngiam graduated from the National University of Singapore and subsequently attained higher academic qualifications in the Masters of Medicine in Paediatrics (NUS) and MRCPCH (UK). She received postgraduate training in the field of Paediatric Critical Care at the Hospital for Sick Children in Toronto, Canada. She is currently the Director of the Standardised Patient Program, Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine, National University of Singapore as well as a consultant in the Paediatric Intensive Care Unit, Khoo Teck Puat – National University Children’s Medical Institute, National University Health System.

She is actively involved in undergraduate paediatric education as well as programs for paediatric postgraduate students and nurses in the field of paediatric acute care. She has a special interest in the field of standardised patient training, communication skills and the use of simulation-based teaching methods.

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Dr Jacqueline Ong is currently head and consultant in the Division of Paediatric Critical Care, Khoo Teck Puat - National University Children’s Medical Institute, NUH. She graduated from the University of Cambridge in 2003 and received her postgraduate paediatric training in NUH. She attained her Masters of Medicine (Paediatrics) and Membership in the Royal College of Paediatrics in 2007. She underwent further specialist training in the Division of Paediatric Critical Care, Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto, Canada from 2011-2012. She has a myriad of teaching responsibilities to medical students, residents and nurses and is a Pediatric Advanced Life Support (PALS).
Ms Poh Chee Lien is the Assistant Director of Nursing at the National Healthcare Group Education Office, Singapore; Senior Project Administrator at the Ministry of Health, Singapore; and Tutor at the University of Adelaide - Ngee Ann Education Centre. Before her appointment at NHG Education Office, she was the Assistant Director, Nursing (Education) and Head of Nursing Training Department at the Institute of Mental Health (IMH), Singapore. She is an Evidence-Based Practice Clinical Fellow of Joanna Briggs Institute, Adelaide, Australia. She holds a Master of Health Science (Education) from the University of Sydney, Australia; a Bachelor of Nursing from the University of Sydney, Australia; Advanced Diploma in Nursing (Gerontology) from Nanyang Polytechnic, Singapore; and a Diploma in Nursing from Nanyang Polytechnic, Singapore.

Dr. Ponnamperuma has served as an invited speaker cum resource person in many international symposia and conferences. Author of several journal articles and books, he sits on the editorial boards of two international medical education journals. He is a postgraduate tutor, examiner, and resource material developer for national and international medical education courses. Gominda has served as an advisor, visiting professor, consultant and fellow for several academic institutes and educational projects. He is a founder co-chair of the Asia Pacific Medical Education Network (APME-Net). His research interests are on assessment (including selection for training), and curriculum development and evaluation.

Dr Habeebul works as a Senior Consultant Psychiatrist at the Department of Psychological Medicine in Tan Tock Seng Hospital. He is a Member of the Royal College of Psychiatrists, and has a Diploma in Psychotherapy, which is his area of interest. He is also Assistant Professor at Lee Kong Chian School of Medicine and Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine, National University of Singapore.

Dr Vaikunthan has 35 years’ experience as a hand surgeon, medical educator, instructional designer and medical entrepreneur in the Asian and European health care environment. In 2011, Dr Rajaratnam moved to Singapore as Senior Consultant. He is core faculty for the Orthopaedic and Hand Surgery Residency program and advisor to the Hand Surgery Exit Exam Committee and examiner for the Royal College of Surgeons of Edinburgh, Masters in Orthopaedics Surgery, National University of Singapore and External Examiner, Conjoint Orthopaedic Board Exams, Malaysia. He sits on the National Transplant Ethics Committee and the National Medical Ethics Committee.
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Dujeepa Samarasekera is the Director, Centre for Medical Education, Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine, National University of Singapore. Dujeepa has been involved in curriculum planning, evaluation, and student assessment at both undergraduate and postgraduate level health professional education courses.

Dujeepa serves on the editorial advisory boards of South East Asian Journal of Medical Education (SEAJME), Korean Journal of Medical Education and is a peer reviewer for Medical Teacher, Medical Education, Annals of Academic Medicine, Singapore Medical Journal, Asia Pacific Journal of Public Health and serves as faculty to local and international health professional education programs.

He is also the Vice-President of the Western Pacific Association for Medical Education (WPAME) and a board member of Asian Medical Education Association, AMEE Ambassador and member of ASPIRE panel for Medical School Assessment and Faculty Development, and Asia Pacific Network for Scholarship in Medical Education (APNetSME).

His main research interests are in effective teaching/learning behaviours and assessment and has published in peer reviewed journals as well as authored book chapters relating to Medical and Health Professional Education.

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Liang received her PhD in Statistics from National University of Singapore, and is currently working as senior biostatistician at the Biostatistics Unit in the Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine. She is actively involved in conducting research and statistical courses to help researchers in their aims of publication and to enhance their understanding of reading published articles. She serves as statistical reviewer for the international journal Disease of Colon and Rectum.

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Dr Shorey is an Assistant Professor at Alice Lee Centre for Nursing Studies, National University of Singapore. Her research areas focus on family and women health as well as nursing education. She has designed psychosocial and educational interventions for varied group of populations. She has conducted both quantitative (e.g. Randomized controlled trials, descriptive quantitative studies) and qualitative (e.g. descriptive qualitative) studies. Her research studies involve national and international collaborations. Dr Shorey’s research focus is on enhancing health outcomes, quality of care and students’ satisfaction in nursing education. Dr Shorey has received various awards for her academic and research excellence. She has been invited at various conferences and the findings of her research has been presented in national, regional and international conferences. She has published in high impact factor journals.
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Dr Siau Chiang is a Senior Consultant with Department of Anesthesia, National University Health System and Associate Professor with the Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine, National University of Singapore. He is a Core Faculty and Program Evaluation Committee member of the NUHS Anaesthesiology Residency Program. Dr Siau has a keen interest in the growth and adoption of simulation in healthcare education. He is actively involved in the development, implementation and evaluation of medical undergraduate and postgraduate simulation-based curricula, interprofessional and patient safety education, simulation faculty development and debriefing courses. His clinical interests include peri-operative pain management and ultrasound-guided regional anaesthesia.

**Tai Yuen Ling Esther**
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Esther graduated from the Hong Kong Polytechnic University in 2001 and obtained her Masters in Health Science from the University of Sydney in 2007. She has worked as an occupational therapist in Hong Kong, United Kingdom and Singapore. She is a training leader and expert level “Developmental, Individual difference and Relationship based” (DIR) floortime provider under the Interdisciplinary Council on Development and Learning (ICDL). She has taught DIR floortime professional courses in Singapore and overseas. Esther has been actively involved in clinical teaching, as well as promoting Interprofessional Education (IPE) and Interprofessional Collaboration (IPC) at National University Hospital. She is currently pursuing a Masters in Clinical Education at the University of Edinburgh.

**Anna Tan Wee Tien**
Senior Consultant and Head  
Cornea & Refractive Surgery Services  
Department of Ophthalmology, and  
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National University Hospital  
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Dr Anna Tan is an assistant professor in the Department of Ophthalmology, Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine. Her clinical area of expertise is in Cornea and External Eye diseases as well as Refractive Laser Surgery like femtosecond laser LASIK and SMILE. She is also the Program director of Ophthalmology Residency Program at the National University Health System. Her special interest is in surgery simulation through wet laboratories and currently conducts 4 wet lab sessions annually to teach cataract surgery. She is involved in curriculum development for the undergraduates and examination and assessments for post graduates.

**Tan Chay Hoon**
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Consultant Psychiatrist, National University Hospital  
National University Health System  
Singapore

Professor Tan serves as a Consultant Psychiatrist at National University Hospital and an Associate Professor in Pharmacology of the National University of Singapore.

She is a member of Centre for Medical Education and is actively involved in faculty training in Curriculum Review, Problem-Based Learning and Feedback. She worked closely with other medical educators in Educational Task Force, Professional Development, Mentoring Program, and Longitudinal Patient Program in the School of Medicine, National University of Singapore.

Dr Tan has received multiple University teaching awards from 2002 to 2017. She has been named the National University of Singapore Faculty Outstanding Educator in 2016.
Associate Professor Clement Tan took over Headship of Ophthalmology Department, National University Hospital and National University Singapore in 2014. He obtained his MBBS from the National University of Singapore in 1993. After completing his basic and advanced Ophthalmology training in Singapore, Associate Professor Tan completed a fellowship in Neuro-ophthalmology at King's College Hospital and the National Hospital for Neurology and Neurosurgery in London. He received his Masters in Health Professions Education from University of Maastricht in June 2014.

Apart from general clinical ophthalmology and general neuro-ophthalmology, he has special interests in eye movement and pupil disorders. Associate Professor Tan heads the Neuro-ophthalmology service at the National University Hospital. He also plays a significant role as NUHS Associate Designated Institutional Official in Residency Program. He is passionate about teaching and has been recipient of National University Hospital Postgraduate Teaching Excellence Award for 5 consecutive years (2011-2015). As such he was awarded the NUH Eminent Teacher Award in 2016 an award that is given to educators who have won the Teaching Excellence Award 5 times.

Tan Keng Teng
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Ms Tan Keng Teng has a Bachelor’s degree in Pharmacy and a Masters in Health Professions Education. She is a board certified geriatric pharmacist and has completed 1-year advanced training in geriatric pharmacy with the University of Southern California in the United States. She works closely with geriatricians, nurses and allied health professionals in Tan Tock Seng Hospital to optimize care to older adults.

Tan Soh Chin
Chief Nursing Officer
Ministry of Health
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The Ministry of Health, Singapore appointed Ms Tan Soh Chin as the nation’s Chief Nursing Officer (CNO) in Jan 2015. As CNO, she takes on a strategic national staff function with policy oversight and accountability for the nursing profession. Her office oversees the strategic development of nurses in Singapore, evaluates nursing policies and standards, and provides professional input to the Ministry on all nursing policy matters and development. Concurrent with her appointment as CNO, Soh Chin is also the Registrar of the Singapore Nursing Board, which regulates nursing registration and education.

Tham Kum Ying
Education Director and Senior Consultant Emergency Physician
Tan Tock Seng Hospital; and
Assistant Dean Year 5 and Lead for Emergency Medicine
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Associate Professor Tham Kum Ying graduated in 1988 with MBBS from the National University of Singapore (NUS) and obtained her FRCSEd (A&E) from the Royal College of Surgeons of Edinburgh in 1993. She became a Fellow of the Academy of Medicine, Singapore in 1999. She completed her Master of Science in Training and Human Resource Management (Distinction) from the University of Leicester, UK in 2006 and Doctorate in Education in July 2016. She has been teaching medical students, junior doctors, nurses and paramedics since 1994.

Through the years, she is a much sought after teacher and lecturer and has won numerous teaching awards. Moving beyond her specialisation in emergency medicine, resuscitation and trauma, she is now widely consulted on clinical education matters e.g.
curriculum innovation and improvement, faculty development. Her research interests include students’ learning of professionalism, professional identity formation and development of teaching culture in an organisation. From 2008 onwards, she has been involved in the setting up, organisation and launch of the Lee Kong Chian School of Medicine, Singapore’s newest medical school for the inaugural intake in August 2013.

Winnie Teo
Manager
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Ms Winnie Teo graduated from the School of Biological Sciences, National University of Singapore with a Ph.D. in Molecular Biology. After her post-doctoral research stint, she joined an educational consultancy group, helping Singapore schools set up and implement molecular biology education programmes. A keen educator, she also lectured part-time in the School of Chemical and Life Sciences, Nanyang Polytechnic.

Winnie is excited about being in health professions education and research, and much of her current work at the National Healthcare Group revolves around developing capabilities for grooming the Professionals for Tomorrow’s Healthcare.

Frank Voon
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Dr Frank CT Voon teaches medical and dental students, doctors, dentists and surgeons at the National University of Singapore. His background as a medical doctor and specialization in Anatomy, Embryology, Information Technology, Central Administration and Psychotherapy has led to his interest in the growth of human beings from gestation to old age brought about by the technological evolution in human culture and civilization. These convergences have a foundation in neurocognition and the mind in relation to attention, awareness, communication and engagement, and are relevant to the understanding of memory, forgetfulness and learning.

Wong Mun Loke
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In addition to his role as the Vice Dean of Academic Affairs in the Faculty of Dentistry, A/P Wong Mun Loke is actively involved in the undergraduate teaching of Dental Public Health, Preventive Dentistry and Behavioural Science. He is also a member of the NUS Inter-professional Education Steering Committee. His interest in inter-professional teaching has also led to his engagement in various teaching activities beyond the dental faculty. Mun Loke received his MSc, with Distinction, in Dental Public Health from the Eastman Dental Institute, University College London, in 2002.

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Teck Yee is a Family Physician, Senior Consultant, in TTSH and Associate Professor & Assistant Dean (Year 4 & Family Medicine) in LKCMedicine. He also holds the appointment of Dy Education Director for NHG Pre-Professional Education Office. He obtained his MBBS (1995), Masters in Family Medicine (2001), MPH (2009) & Masters in Health Professions Education (2013).
After completing his Family Medicine residency training, he worked in Choa Chu Kang Polyclinic as a Family Physician (2001-04) and later as Head/Senior Family Physician (2004-06). He was awarded the Human Manpower Development Programme (HMDP) scholarship to the Dept of General Practice in Monash University, Melbourne (2005). He joined the Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine as an Assistant Professor (2006-11), holding the post of FM Undergraduate Education Director.

He joined Tan Tock Seng Hospital was appointed Assistant Dean of LKCMedicine (2011) and Deputy Education Director of NHG (2017). He is an examiner for the Graduate Diploma of FM and the MMed (FM) in Singapore. He was a member of the National Undergraduate Curriculum Committee and is currently on the FM Residency Advisory Committee.

He remains active in clinical practice and has contributed articles in numerous peer-reviewed journals. He also actively participates in both local and international conferences, with numerous oral and poster presentations.

Mabel Yap
Director
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A/Prof Mabel Yap is currently Director, Professional Training and Assessment Standards Division, MOH, where she oversees policies related to training and assessment standards from pre-registration to post-registration for healthcare professionals. A/Prof Yap has a PhD in Nutrition and a Master’s degree in Science (Public Health). She also has a Post Graduate Diploma in Human Nutrition and medical degree from the National University of Singapore.

Yeoh Khay Guan
Dean
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Dr Yeoh is concurrently Dean of the School of Medicine, National University of Singapore and Deputy Chief Executive of the National University Health System. He practises as a Senior Consultant at the Department of Gastroenterology and Hepatology, National University Hospital, Singapore.

His research interest is in enhancing the early detection of gastric and colorectal cancers. He is the Lead Principal Investigator of the Singapore Gastric Cancer Consortium, a national flagship research group. He also chairs the National Colorectal Cancer Screening Committee of the Health Promotion Board, Ministry of Health. He has published over 160 peer-reviewed papers in international journals.

Yip Chee Chew
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Adj. A/Prof Yip is Head and Senior Consultant at the Ophthalmology & Visual Sciences Department of Khoo Teck Puat Hospital; and Clinical Director at Admiralty Medical Centre. He is also an Adjunct Associate Professor at Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine, National University of Singapore as well as Lee Kong Chian School of Medicine, Nanyang Technological University. He received the American Academy of Ophthalmology Achievement Award (2008), the American Academy of Ophthalmology International Ophthalmologist Education Award (2011) and the Eye and Visionary Award (2012) for his contributions in ophthalmic education. He has an educational research interest in effective teaching and learning.
Doris Young graduated from Faculty of Medicine, University of Melbourne and completed Family Medicine training in Australia. Over the last 35 years, Doris has been involved extensively in educating and training medical students, registrars, general practitioners and other health professionals in adolescent medicine, general practice and primary care research. Doris Young has published widely in the area of General Practice integration models with the wider health care system and her research focused on trialing innovative models of care in the primary care setting to improve health outcomes for people with chronic diseases in culturally and linguistically diverse and disadvantaged communities.

Nabil Zary is the acting director of the Medical Education Research and Scholarship Unit (MERSU) at the Lee Kong Chian School of Medicine (LKCMedicine) in Singapore and the Founding Academic Director of the Games for Health Innovations Centre (ALIVE). Associate Professor Zary's mission is to advance the contribution of emerging technologies, in order to benefit healthcare education and the general health of our society. He is also Associate Professor of Medical Simulation and eLearning at Karolinska Institutet, Sweden. He leads the European branch of the ANSI accredited Medbiquitous standards for health professions that advance life-long learning, continuous improvement and better patient outcomes.
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11.15am - 12.30pm and 2.00pm- 3.30pm

Best Abstract for Poster Presentation
(BP01-BP10, BP31-BP40)
Jason Yap, Singapore*
Greg Radu, Canada
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Best Abstract for Poster Presentation
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Free Communications Session 2
Hiroshi Nishigori, Japan*
Shirley Ooi, Singapore
Ravindran Jegasothy, Malaysia

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Anurag Saxena, Canada*
Jason Chan, Singapore
Soracha Thamphiwatana, Thailand

Free Communications Session 4
Diantha Soemantri, Indonesia*
Chiam Peak Chiang, Singapore
Indika Karunathilake, Sri Lanka

Free Communications Session 5
Vishna Devi V Nadarajah, Malaysia*
Danai Wangsatruka, Thailand
Anthony Buzzard, Australia

Free Communications Session 6
Kalyani Premkumar, Canada*
Tanya Tierney, Singapore
Richard Fuller, UK

Free Communications Session 7
Lambert Schuworth, Australia *
Malcolm Mahadevan, Singapore
Lim Ki-Young, Korea

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Harumi Gomi, Japan

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ESME & RESME COURSES

ESSENTIAL SKILLS IN MEDICAL EDUCATION (ESME) COURSE
RESEARCH ESSENTIAL SKILLS IN MEDICAL EDUCATION (RESME) COURSE

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Rationale

With the increasing professionalisation of medical education, the need for doctors and other healthcare professionals to have training in teaching is widely recognised. Whilst many institutions worldwide offer Diploma and Masters courses in medical education, there is a lack of accredited basic level courses. The ESME Programme has been designed to meet the need for an entry level teaching qualification and will be of particular interest to teachers who are engaging with medical education for the first time. It will also be valuable for more experienced teachers who have been given some new responsibilities or assignment relating to teaching or assessment, or who wish to have an introduction to the theory underpinning the practice of teaching. It has been designed in the context that all doctors in any branch of medicine or field of practice are likely to have some teaching responsibilities for undergraduates, postgraduates, peers, other healthcare workers or patients. ESME's novel course structure combines a purpose-built course on teaching with an international medical education Conference.

ESME is accredited by AMEE and approved by an international Advisory Board.

Since the introduction of the original ESME course in 2005, several other courses have been developed to meet specific needs:

- Essential Skills in Medical Education Assessment (ESMEA)
- Research Essential Skills in Medical Education (RESME)
- Essential Skills in Medical Education Simulation (ESMESim)
- Essential Skills in Computer-Enhanced Learning (ESCEL)
- Essential Skills in Continuing Education and Professional Development (ESCEPD)
- Essential Skills in Medical Education Online (ESME Online)
- Essential Skills in Medical Education Leadership Online (ESME Leadership Online)

ESME at 15th APMEC

Two ESME Courses are offered at this Conference: (1) the original Essential Skills in Medical Education and (2) Research Essential Skills in Medical Education. Please note: it is not possible to attend more than one course at APMEC due to timing conflicts.
1. Essential Skills in Medical Education
This broad-based course has been designed around a set of competencies that all practising teachers should possess. These include: Effective Teaching, Skilled Educational Planning and Informed Assessment and Evaluation.

ESME Course schedule
Wednesday 10 January 0830-1730 - ESME Pre-conference Session:
• The Skilled Educational Planner: specifying and using learning outcomes and how the learning can be organised in a curriculum;
• The Effective Teacher: including some helpful basic principles relating to large and small group teaching; independent learning; the new learning technologies;

Thursday 11 January: Attend other Pre-conference Workshops (cost not included)
Friday 12 January: Attend 15th APMEC Conference; lunch meeting with ESME Facilitators
Saturday 13 January: Attend 15th APMEC Conference; lunch meeting with ESME Facilitators
Sunday 14 January 0900-1230 - ESME Post-conference Session:
• The Informed Assessor/Evaluator: the key assessment principles and the tools available to the teacher;
• The Scholarly Educator, including Professionalism in medical education; Roles of the teacher; Best Evidence Medical Education (BEME);
• A look at the requirements for completion of the ESME Certificate in Medical Education.

ESME Course Faculty
Course Director: Professor Ronald Harden, formerly Director of the Centre for Medical Education, University of Dundee, UK, and currently General Secretary/Treasurer of AMEE and Editor of Medical Teacher;

Faculty members:
Professor Matthew C. E. Gwee, Professorial Fellow and Chairman, International and Education Programmes, Centre for Medical Education, Dean’s Office, NUS Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine, National University Health System
Dr Dujeepa Samarasekera, Director, Centre for Medical Education, NUS Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine, National University Health System
Associate Professor Tan Chay Hoon, Associate Professor, Department of Pharmacology, Member, Centre for Medical Education, NUS Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine, and Consultant Psychiatrist, National University Hospital, National University Health System
Associate Professor Poh-Sun Goh, Member, Centre for Medical Education, Associate Professor, Diagnostic Radiology, NUS Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine, National University Health System

ESME Course Fee: SGD825
Included in the course fee is:
• One full-day pre-conference session
• Two lunchtime discussion sessions with faculty during APMEC
• One half-day post-conference session
• Printed course programme
• Set of resource materials provided on USB memory stick
• Certificate of participation
• Optional submission and assessment of a post-course report, details of which will be given during the Course
• Award of ESME Certificate in Medical Education if the post-course report is assessed as meeting the requirements of the Certificate.

Please note: In addition to the ESME course fee, participants are required to register for 15th APMEC and pay the registration fee, and pay to attend one or two pre-conference workshops of their choice.
2. Research Essential Skills in Medical Education (RESME)

The RESME Course provides an introduction to the essential principles and methods of conducting research in medical education: formulating research questions, choosing a research approach, selecting an appropriate global methodology and constructing a research plan. Through a series of short presentations and small group work, this highly interactive course will introduce basic concepts and principles using a variety of examples relating to theory. After completing the course, participants will have acquired a framework for understanding and application of essential concepts and principles for research in medical education. Within six months of completion of the course, participants may choose to submit a short research proposal on a topic of their interest describing the application of concepts and principles covered in the course, leading to award of the RESME Certificate in Medical Education.

RESME Course Schedule

Wednesday 10 January: Attend other Pre-conference Workshops (cost not included)

Thursday 11 January 0830-1730: RESME Pre-conference Session

Friday 12 January: Attend 15th APMEC Conference; lunch meeting with RESME Facilitators

Saturday 13 January: Attend 15th APMEC Conference; lunch meeting with RESME Facilitators; In-conference workshop

RESME Course Faculty

Charlotte Ringsted (Aarhus University, Denmark) (Course Leader)

Albert Scherpbier (Maastricht University, Netherlands)

Elise Paradis (University of Toronto, Canada)

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Please note: In addition to the RESME course fee, participants are required to register for 15th APMEC and pay the registration fee, and pay to attend one or two pre-conference workshops of their choice.

How to register for ESME or RESME

Participants should register for either ESME or RESME by selecting the appropriate option on the 15th APMEC registration form. It is not possible to attend more than one course due to scheduling conflicts.

Questions about the Courses

For queries specifically about ESME or RESME course content please contact AMEE:

AMEE, 12 Airlie Place, Dundee DD1 4HJ, UK

Tel: +44 (0)1382 381953; Fax: +44 (0)1382 381987; www.amee.org Email: amee@dundee.ac.uk
**W1F1**

**Wednesday 10th January 2018, 9.00am – 5.00pm**

Computer Lab 1, Level 8, MD1  
Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine  
National University of Singapore

**USING SPSS FOR DATA ANALYSIS**

**Shen Liang**  
Singapore

**Workshop Description**

In this workshop, SPSS software will be introduced in the use of data analysis. A short discussion on proper form design and data collection will be highlighted. Participants will be informed of how to present the relevant descriptive statistics, the statistical techniques for quantitative and qualitative outcomes using Univariate and Multivariate analyses.

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**W1A1**

**Wednesday 10th January 2018, 8.30am – 12.30pm**

Multipurpose Hall 2, Level 3, MD1  
Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine  
National University of Singapore

**DISCOURSE ANALYSIS: AN INTRODUCTION**

**Brian D Hodges**  
Canada

**Workshop Description**

This introductory workshop introduces Discourse Analysis as a research methodology. Three forms of discourse analysis are explored: linguistic, empirical and critical/Foucauldian. Participants will then, through interactive and group work, have hands-on experience in creating a mini-discourse analysis of a health professions education phenomenon.

**Workshop Objective**

1. Outline various approaches to discourse analysis
2. Explore different uses of discourse analysis
3. Practice one type of discourse analysis

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**W1A2**

**Wednesday 10th January 2018, 8.30am – 12.30pm**

Learning Room 03-06, Level 3, MD6  
Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine  
National University of Singapore

**MEDICAL EDUCATION THROUGH THE LENS OF SAMR: AN APPLIED WORKSHOP**

**Ruben Puontedera**  
USA

**Workshop Description**

The challenge facing us as educators today is not just for students to master a rapidly growing array of medical technologies - it is to transform their critical thinking and problem solving patterns through tools such as computer visualization and digital storytelling. In this workshop, we will see how to use SAMR and the EdTech Quintet to accomplish this goal. Examples will be drawn from medical education and practice, including patient safety and communication. Our approach throughout will be hands-on: participants in this workshop will design a SAMR ladder that they can put to use in an area of their interest right away.
W1A3

Wednesday 10th January 2018, 8.30am – 12.30pm
Learning Room 01-01B, Level 1, MD6
Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine
National University of Singapore

USING SIMULATIONS TO LEARN ABOUT TEAMWORK IN HEALTHCARE

Winnie Teo, Tan Keng Teng, Poh Chee Lien, and Wong Teck Yee
Singapore

Workshop Description
Teamwork and interpersonal communication issues have often been cited as major reasons underlying professional issues in healthcare such as burnout, as well as preventable errors in patient safety lapses. However, effective team building skills are seldom explicitly included in medical education curricula. We have devised an interactive session where learners first participate in activities designed to surface important principles in teamwork and collective decision-making, reflect on their teamwork skills, and finally, are introduced to principles and practical tools to enable them to become effective leaders and members of healthcare teams. In addition to experiencing a hands-on activity about team skills, we will also discuss the complexities and challenges associated with integrating teamwork and other “soft skills” in a medical education curriculum.

Workshop Objective
This workshop will enable participants to experience common team dynamics in healthcare, learn about principles and frameworks for building and enabling effective teams, and gain an appreciation of the major issues associated with teaching teamwork in medical education.

Who Should Attend
All who are interested in curriculum design, experiential learning activities or teamwork skills.

W1A4

Wednesday 10th January 2018, 8.30am – 12.30pm
Multipurpose Hall 3, Level 3, MD1
Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine
National University of Singapore

TIPS AND TRICKS FOR SUCCESSFULLY PUBLISHING SCHOLARLY WORK IN AN INTERNATIONAL JOURNAL ON MEDICAL EDUCATION

1Peter GM de Jong and 2Julie K Hewett
1The Netherlands and 2USA

Workshop Description
In publishing scholarly work, not only the writing skills of the author are important. At least as important is choosing the right strategy in submitting the work to the most appropriate journal. It is also useful to know how the Editorial Office and Editorial Board of a journal handle the manuscripts received. Knowledge of these last two aspects can significantly increase the chances for acceptance of the manuscript.

The workshop will give the attendees more insight in the editorial processes of a journal and several concrete strategies to increase the chances of acceptance of their work. First an overview of several journals for Medical Education will be presented and the differences in focuses will be discussed. As an example, the presenters will showcase the internal procedures of one of those journals to explain the attendees what is happening behind the scenes of a journal. Characteristics of several manuscript types available will be discussed and some general advice will be given in order to make the process of submission as successful as possible.

During the session the participants will get a few think-pair-share assignments in order to help clarify the several steps in submitting and the organization of a journal. Based on several brainstorm exercises and actual experiences from the audience, the presenters will provide tips and recommendations.

Workshop Objective
At the end of the workshop the participants will have a better understanding of scientific publishing and the way in how a manuscript should be submitted. The workshop is intended for those with no or little experience in submitting manuscripts to international journals.
**Workshop Description**

To enhance students’ learning outcomes, use of information communication technology has been on the rise, specifically in higher education. Many resources have been invested worldwide to incorporate information technology in the curriculum. One such example is the development of computer applications to assist students to learn. A variety of terms have been used to describe these applications, such as e-learning and technology enhanced learning (Phillips et al., 2012). Littlejohn and Pegler (2007) defined e-learning as “the process of learning and teaching with computer and other associated technologies, particularly through use of the internet” (p.15). However, in nursing education, teaching methods have been evolved to the blended learning that incorporates face-to-face and e-learning. As a result, e-learning has become part of curriculum to deliver core contents in both theory and clinical skills to nursing students. E-learning allows students to study at their own pace and time and achieve learning outcomes similar to face-to-face learning. This is supported by literature, which reported there was no significant difference in the level of knowledge gained by students between face-to-face and e-learning methods (Hugeholtz et al., 2008; Rozar et al., 2011).

The development and design of e-learning must be based on the course objectives and expected students’ learning outcomes. The development of e-learning is a complex, multidisciplinary process, that proceed through multiple design and evaluation cycles (Philips et al., 2012). It consists of numerous phases, such as analyzing the requirements, specifying the design, development, and evaluation. However, many studies found that the e-learning has lacked interactive component. It has been suggested that effective e-learning should have the following components; 1) organized that address the particular needs of the learners, 2) interactive, 3) presenting real-life situations, 4) involving pedagogy, 5) user friendly, and 6) having technical and organization support (Cheng, 2013; Dariel, Wharrad, & Windle, 2012; Button, Harrington, & Belan, 2014). In summary, the development of e-learning must be well planned for the effective e-learning. It is important that faculty members and educators gain more understanding of trends and strategies in developing effective e-learning in nursing education to achieve the optimal students learning outcomes.

**Workshop Objective**

The aim of this interactive workshop is to enable participants to share and discuss trends and strategies for developing and integrating e-learning into their curriculum. After attending this workshop, participants will be able to:

- Reflect on and to identify challenges in developing and implementing e-learning in their own countries
- Discuss global trends of using e-learning in nursing education
- Formulate strategies to evaluate e-learning in the 21st Century
- Explore opportunities for education and research collaboration

**Who Should Attend**

Nurse educators/faculty/stakeholders of nursing education will benefit by attending this workshop. The principles learned in this workshop can be applied to policy and practice related nursing education and curriculum development. There will be in-depth discussion about issues related to e-learning in nursing.
W1A6

**OPTIMISING YOUR EDUCATIONAL ACTIVITY INVOLVING SIMULATED PATIENTS**

Nicola Ngiam and Hor Chuen Yee

**Workshop Description**

Simulated Patients (SPs) are individuals who are trained to mimic the signs and symptoms of real patients. Engaging SPs is a useful avenue to promote realism and encourage experiential learning in medical education. Because the student is not scripted in the interaction between a student and a simulated patient, unexpected events may occur. This may result in a negative impact on learning objectives or an unexpected teachable moment. This workshop aims to highlight the common pitfalls in educational activities involving SPs and participants will discuss how to avoid or overcome these.

SPs are not only able to behave as a real patient, they are also able to observe the interaction with the learner and provide valuable feedback. This feedback frequently leads to a deeper understanding of the doctor patient relationship by the learner. These observation by the SP can be used as formative or summative assessment or feedback. These forms of assessment and feedback will be explored in the workshop and participants will be provided with exposure to various tools that could be modified for use at their local institutions.

**Workshop Objective**

1. Increase awareness of common pitfalls in educational session involving SPs
2. Explore feedback from SPs
3. Explore SP input in assessment

**Who Should Attend**

Educators who are just starting out with standardised or simulated patients and who have encountered challenges in running such sessions. Some experience with SPs is necessary.

W1A7

**WE PASS WITH A: A COMPREHENSIVE APPROACH FOR DESIGNING COMPETENCY-BASED ASSESSMENT**

Gandes Retno Rahayu

**Workshop Description**

Student assessment is a crucial aspect for successful teaching and learning. When designing an assessment system, we have to base on assessment principles: 1) validity; 2) reliability; 3) transparency; 4) fairness; 5) comparability; 6) fitness for reflection; 7) educational impact; 8) feasibility and acceptability

To assist in designing good assessment, we have developed a comprehensive approach, named as **WE PASS with A**. **WE PASS with A** consists of 6 basic steps and 1 step for quality assurance: Writing, Editing, Preparing assessment, Assessment process, Standard setting, Specific feedback and Assessing the assessment.

Interactive approach will be applied throughout the workshop. There will be individual, in pairs and small-group working, as well as brief interactive lecture. A handout about **WE PASS with A**, short power point and video will be used to support the interactivity of the workshop.

**Workshop Objective**

After this workshop, it is expected that the participants will be able to apply the **WE PASS with A** approach in their own contexts.

**Who Should Attend**

Medical and health professional educators, who are interested to learn about designing a comprehensive assessment.
PRE-CONFERENCE WORKSHOPS

W1A8

Wednesday 10th January 2018, 8.30am – 12.30pm
Learning Room 01-02, Level 1, MD6
Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine
National University of Singapore

WORK PLACE BASED ASSESSMENT: TRAIN THE TRAINER WORKSHOP

Kichu Balakrishnan R Nair and Carl Matheson
Australia

Workshop Description
In this workshop, we will train the participants to assess performance using these tools. We will use calibration videos and train them in various assessments. The participants will have the opportunity to use the validated scoring sheets to mark the candidates in the calibration videos.

This will be a very interactive workshop with small group discussions.

Workshop Objective
• To introduce the philosophy of the workshop based assessment and train the participants to use the various tools including MiniCex, DOPS, CBDs and MSF
• To understand the reliability of individual tools and the composite reliability of the tool box

Who Should Attend
Medical educators and senior residents.

W1A9

Wednesday 10th January 2018, 8.30am – 12.30pm
LT37, Level 3, MD1
Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine
National University of Singapore

ASSESSMENT DIAGNOSTICS USING PSYCHOMETRICS

Gominda G Ponnamperuma
Singapore

Workshop Description
How often have you heard examinees, and sometimes even examiners, opining that an exam was too easy, too difficult, asked questions that were outside the curriculum, assessed too much of one content area at the expense of another, etc.? These are all subjective opinions. How can we objectively know how true these subjective opinions are? To answer the foregoing question with certainty, we need to use a battery of investigations to diagnose whether an exam is suffering from one or more ailments that would have led to these subjective opinions/allegations. This workshop will take the participants through several such basic investigative tools (within the domain of assessment psychometrics), using easy to understand examples, to identify problematic items/questions of an examination. There will be opportunity for participants to try out some of these tools and interpret their findings, so that more fit-for-purpose exams could be designed.

Note: It would be easier for the participants to go through this workshop, if they could bring with them a fully charged laptop with Microsoft Excel or its Open Office/Mac equivalent. However, this is not a must.

Workshop Objective
At the end of the workshop, the participants should be able to implement and interpret the basic psychometric measurements with a view to improving the validity and reliability of examinations in health professions education courses.

Who Should Attend
• Health Professions Educators (e.g. teachers, examiners of both undergraduate and postgraduate education programmes)
• Administrators of Health Professions Education programmes (e.g. Deans, Directors of Health Professions Education Institutes)
• Healthcare professionals who would like to know how validity and reliability of examinations could be improved using assessment psychometrics
W1P1

Wednesday 10th January 2018, 1.30pm – 5.30pm
Multipurpose Hall 2, Level 3, MD1
Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine
National University of Singapore

RESILIENCE, GRIT AND EMOTIONAL INTELLIGENCE: KEY PERSONAL QUALITIES FOR EFFECTIVE LEADERSHIP

Judy McKimm, Paul Jones, Kirsty Forrest and Greg Radu

United Kingdom, Australia and Canada

Workshop Description

The workshop aims to provide an introduction to contemporary theories and practices in leadership, management and followership in health professions’ education and healthcare through a consideration of three key personal qualities found in successful and effective leaders. In rapidly changing, fluid and complex environments, leaders need to demonstrate their resilience (the ability to bounce back); their emotional intelligence (so they can control their own and others’ emotions) and ‘grit’: a mix of passion, focus, determination and long term goals that is the subject of recent research and discussion. In the workshop, we will explore these inter-related qualities and work with you on strategies to help you be more effective in leadership situations.

Workshop Objective

As a result of participating in this workshop, delegates will be able to:

• Define some key concepts in leadership, management and followership
• Identify specific skills, behaviours and activities in relation to resilience, emotional intelligence and grit that promote effective leadership and management
• Apply theories and models to your own practice and that of others
• Construct a leadership development plan

Who Should Attend

All those involved in health professions’ education, management and clinical practice will benefit from this workshop, which is designed to be applicable to people at different levels working within organisations, as well as to students and professionals in training. The course has been designed by a highly experienced, international faculty to meet the needs of those who are in leadership or management positions, however junior or senior, and who feel they would like to develop their personal leadership qualities and improve their practice. All our courses are theory informed; practice driven; context specific, interactive, supportive and fun!

W1P2

Wednesday 10th January 2018, 1.30pm – 5.30pm
SMART Classroom, Level 4, MD6
Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine
National University of Singapore

HOW TO BEST ENGAGE LEARNERS DURING PRE-AND PARA-CLINICAL SCIENCES YEARS IN AN ERA OF TECHNOLOGY-ENHANCED LEARNING?

Chen Zhi Xiong, Peter GM de Jong and Neil Osheroff

Singapore, The Netherlands and USA

Workshop Description

This workshop is intended for medical educators involved in the undergraduate curriculum who are keen on learning best practices in the teaching and learning of pre-and para-clinical sciences. Educators involved in clinical years are encouraged to share their input and reflection on how to shape some of these practices. Medical school administrators are also welcome to discuss the feasibility of these pedagogies in terms of planning and resources. The workshop will centre around the theme of developing and harnessing of technological platforms and tools to enhance learning.

Workshop Objective

By the end of the workshop, participants will be able to:

• Apply best practices in their own teaching and learning contexts for pre-and para-clinical sciences
• Reflect on personal teaching and learning practices in the context of own learners’ profiles
• Develop and implement faculty development strategies to enhance learning
Pre-Conference Workshops

W1P3

Wednesday 10th January 2018, 1.30pm – 5.30pm
Learning Room 01-01B, Level 1, MD6
Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine
National University of Singapore

Less is More: The Basis, Value and Practicality of Focused Workplace Placements in Busy Disciplines

Yip Chee Chew, Clement Tan, Anna Tan Wee Tien and Llewellyn Lee Kuan Ming
Singapore

Workshop Description

Direct observation to assess a student’s performance is common in medical education. Well-known validated assessment tools such as mini-CEX and DOPS have been used in many disciplines. However, in a busy surgical discipline like Ophthalmology, the application of these tools is often challenging and not well received by the faculty. Also, increasing the complexity of the judgments increases fallibility and reduces reliability. The long assessment rubrics of some assessment tools pose significant cognitive and multi-task overload to the student and teacher. This workshop provides an insight into the principles and challenges to develop shorter and feasible assessment tools (micro-CEX, OCEX and ODOPS) to evaluate undergraduate and post-graduate students of a surgical discipline.

The workshop will commence with an account of how educational concepts such as the cognitive load theory, “less is more”, “assessment drives learning” and outcome-based medical education can be applied in the formation of an assessment tool. Practical tips on the implementation of the assessment tools in a surgical discipline will be shared. The participants will engage in small group, table exercises to design an assessment tool for their surgical specialty applying the principles taught to them under the guidance of the faculty. A brief account on how to derive at relevant EPAs for inclusion into the curriculum in an undergraduate teaching program will also be shared.

After the workshop, the participant will be expected to achieve the following outcomes:

1. Advances the knowledge and skills in the design of a focused WPA.
2. Applies relevant educational concepts to develop an effective WPA.
3. Understands the challenges in the implementation of a WPA.
4. Learns practical tips to overcome some of these challenges.

Workshop Objective

1. To apply the cognitive load theory in workplace based assessment (WPA).
2. To appreciate the value of re-designing instruction and assessments to reduce extraneous cognitive load in high element interactivity clinical tasks and procedures.
3. To understand the concept of “less is more”: the use of “frequent minimal observations” approach is better than more comprehensive, longer assessment tools.
4. To learn the principles in the development of the entrusted professional activities (EPA) for the curriculum of a surgical discipline.
5. To understand the principles in the development of focused, EPA-based WPAs such as the micro-CEX, Ophthalmic CEX (OCEX) and Ophthalmic Directly Observed Procedural Skills (ODOPS) for surgical procedures.

Who Should Attend

Medical educators involved throughout the undergraduate curriculum, pre-and para-clinical educators for other health professions and medical school administrators. New faculty or educators who are starting to teach are also welcome to join.

The target audience will be faculty or educators of undergraduate and post-graduate training programs.
DESIGNING AN EFFECTIVE IPE COURSE/ACTIVITY – A COMPETENCY- AND THEORY-BASED APPROACH, WITH CASE STUDY ON HOW TO RUN A HEALTH CARE TEAM CHALLENGE (HCTC)™

Wong Mun Loke, Chng Hui Ting, Liaw Sok Ying, Lim Hsiu Chin Keith, Lim Teik Chung Michael, Tai Yuen Ling Esther and Kee Li Leng Janice

Singapore

Workshop Description

Interprofessional education (IPE) is recognised as an important means to prepare current and future health workforce to be collaborative-practice ready, which in turn would provide optimal health services for the patients. How does one design an effective IPE course or activity to achieve its objectives? There are two parts in this workshop. The first part of the workshop will equip educators and practitioners with the knowledge and skills to design IPE courses or activities via a competency- and theory-based approach.

The second part of the workshop is a sharing of the NUH experience in organizing a Healthcare Team Challenge (HCTC). The HCTC is a clinical team based competition for in-flight students/ staff from the Medical, Nursing and Allied Health professions. It provides participants with an opportunity to demonstrate their expertise in teamwork and collaboration as they develop a management plan for a person with complex health and social care needs. This workshop will enable workshop participants to understand the challenges in organizing a HCTC utilise distinct criteria in choosing suitable clinical scenario for IPE use and provide tools for institutions willing to adopt the HCTC to further interprofessional collaboration and practice.

Workshop Objective

IPE in Curriculum

• Introduction on outcomes-based curriculum design and its application in IPE
• Competencies-based approach in designing IPE courses/activity with shared examples from NUS IPE
• Theory-based approach in designing IPE courses/activity with shared examples from NUS IPE
• Hands-on workshop for participants to design an IPE course/activity relevant to their context and needs, based on the principles learnt

IPE in Action – The Healthcare Team Challenge

• Purpose and objective of a Healthcare Team Challenge (HCTC)
• Principles in choosing suitable cases
• Planning and preparation
• Sharing of the Singapore experience - Challenges and achievements

Who Should Attend

Educators, faculty, instructors, practitioners, students and administrators.
**W1P5**

**QUALITATIVE RESEARCH: THE INTERVIEW TECHNIQUE, CODING AND DATA ANALYSIS**

*Lee Shuh Shing, Yanika Kowitlawakul and Calvin Ho Wai Loon*
Singapore

**Workshop Description**

Qualitative research methods have becoming widely accepted in health professions education and many researchers in health professions education are increasingly using this method themselves. However, wider acceptance does not necessarily mean that the qualitative methods are well understood particularly the practical aspect in qualitative studies. There are some researchers assume conducting face-to-face interview and focus group discussion are similar while most are still struggling with analysing qualitative data. Few years back, Skype interview was introduced as one of the methods in collecting qualitative data. Yet, very few workshops were conducted to sensitise researchers on this method.

This workshop aims at offering a practical experience in qualitative research to participants. This workshop consists of two parts. First part of the workshop will provide guidance and practice conducting interview and focus group in small groups. Tips on how to carry out a Skype interview will also be introduced in this first part of the workshop. The second part will begin with the description of analysis of qualitative data and follow by practising coding and analysing qualitative by hand.

**Workshop Objective**

At the end of this workshop, participants will be able to:

1. plan and conduct an in depth interviews
2. plan and conduct a focus group discussion
3. differentiate an interview and a focus group discussion
4. describe the process in carrying out a Skype interview
5. code and thematically analyse the qualitative data

**Who Should Attend**

This workshop is suitable for anyone with/without experience in qualitative research - this would include Doctors, Nurses, Allied Health workers, Dentists and administrative staff.

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**W1P6**

**WHEN THINGS DON’T GO AS PLANNED: A SIMULATION-BASED WORKSHOP**

*Nicola Ngiam and Jacqueline Ong*
Singapore

**Workshop Description**

Medical simulation is used increasingly to provide experiential learning environments. Despite preparation and planning, sometimes things don’t go as expected. When this happens, the learning objectives for that session are in jeopardy.

We will explore the following areas in terms of common derailments and the possible solutions to troubleshoot:

1. Session not going as it should:
   - Reasons for this could include the learner doing something completely unexpected, the scenario feels to difficult or too easy for the level of learner or a technical glitch/error occurs.

2. Debriefing gone wrong:
   - A disinterested, emotional or antagonistic learner can disrupt the learning for himself and for the rest of the group during debriefing.
W1P7

Wednesday 10th January 2018, 1.30pm – 5.30pm
Learning Room 03-06, Level 3, MD6
Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine
National University of Singapore

CARING FOR OLDER PEOPLE IN AN AGEING SOCIETY: AN ETHICS CASE DEVELOPMENT AND ANALYSIS WORKSHOP

Jacqueline Chin, Natalie Ling and Matthew Chen Zhixuan
Singapore

Workshop Description
Participants will be guided to use the open access tools for teaching and learning ethics available in Caring for Older People in an Ageing Society: A Singapore Bioethics Casebook vol 2 (available at www.bioethicscasebook.sg), a ground-breaking educational resource for the teaching of clinical ethics and the ethics of care for older people living at home and in the community. Participants will learn about the design features of this free online resource for educators working in health care and allied health professions, and work in groups and lead case presentations moderated by the workshop facilitators.

Workshop Objective
This workshop aims to equip healthcare and allied health professionals with skills to facilitate a multidisciplinary team or handover discussion on the care of older patients with long-term chronic health conditions in which difficult challenges are faced by the patient and his/her professional and informal caregivers.

Who Should Attend
Healthcare and allied health professionals who have clinical experience with elderly patients, with an interest in peer education on ethical issues in the care of older people.

W1P8

Wednesday 10th January 2018, 1.30pm – 5.30pm
Learning Room 03-07, Level 3, MD6
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PROMOTING COMMUNICATION AND TEAM COLLABORATION AMONG HEALTH CARE PROVIDERS IN A MULTICULTURAL CLINICAL SETTING

Manasik Hassan, Ahmed Alhammadi, Hatim Abdulrahman and Magda Ahmed Wagdy Youssef
Qatar

Workshop Description
Effective team communication among Health Care Providers (HCPs) in a hospital setting associated with better patient care, increase teamwork and job satisfaction, such collaboration is challenging and often requiring unplanned communication among busy healthcare providers. Differences in training, communication styles and multi-cultural background of nurses and physicians contribute to communication problems.

The workshop will use didactics and small group discussion to address the importance of communication and collaborations among (HCPs) in a multicultural healthcare environment, share decision and putting plan together, known challenges faced or perceived. Interactive video clips will illustrate different communication gaps in clinical workplace.

Afterwards, through analyzing videos and using role-play, participants will identify different barriers to implement effective communication in culturally diverse healthcare environment. In small groups, participants will then exposed and practice use different tool and strategies to support communication and team collaboration.
**Workshop Objective**

1. Highlights the importance of effective communication and collaboration among healthcare professionals in a cultural difference clinical environment
2. Identify challenges for promoting communication among health care providers
3. Use different communication tools and strategies to promote such collaboration

**Who Should Attend**

The workshop welcomes all stakeholders in medical education, physicians, nurses, other allied health working in any multicultural clinical environment, and educators interested in faculty development.

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**A CONCEPTUAL FRAMEWORK FOR PLANNING LEARNING ACTIVITIES AND ASSESSING LEARNERS IN CONTINUING PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT (CPD)**

*Don Moore*

**Workshop Description**

An outcomes framework will be described that incorporates recent findings in the learning sciences drawing on the work on Ambrose and colleagues (How Learning Works) as well as Cervero and Gaines (Synthesis of Systematic Reviews in CPD).

Next, participants will be asked to engage in an inquiry-based approach to learning that follows the challenge cycle developed by Bransford and colleagues (How People Learn). The approach includes presentation of a challenge, individual reflection about addressing the challenge, sharing among the participants in small groups and then larger groups, reaction and mini-lectures by faculty, reconvening small groups to synthesize what has been presented in the groups and by faculty, and proposing syntheses in the large group. This approach operationalizes an important principle of instructional design: tell people what they need to learn (outcomes framework), provide a worked example, give them an opportunity to practice what they are learning, and provide expert feedback. This approach (inquiry-based and problem-based learning) is a crucial component of the conceptual framework and participants will have an opportunity to practice what they are learning.

After the small groups have proposed their syntheses to the larger group, each participant will be asked to create an action plan for using what they have learned in their work. Each participant will be asked to commit to implementing their action plan.

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**Who Should Attend**

It is anticipated that some of the participants will implement some of what they have learned to planning learning activities in CPD and will be able to report changes in their learner’s competence or performance, and perhaps improvements in patient health status. While the focus of the workshop will be on learning activities in CPD, individuals who have responsibilities for planning and evaluating CPD activities will benefit from participating. With a little thought, however, the approach can be used in graduate and undergraduate medical education, especially as the movement towards population health becomes more widespread.
HEALTH PROFESSIONS’ EDUCATION ‘LEADERS’ TOOLKIT’: ‘LEADERSHIP IN THREES’

Thursday 11th January 2018 (9.00am) | Multipurpose Hall 2, Level 3, Tahir Foundation Building, Block MD1, NUS Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine
Friday 12th (1.00pm) and Saturday 13th January (1.00pm) 2018 | Pisces 2, Level 1, Resorts World Convention Centre
Sunday 15th January 2018 (9.00am) | Multipurpose Hall 2, Level 3, Tahir Foundation Building, Block MD1, NUS Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine

Rationale

Health professions’ educators, whether they work in academic or clinical environments, have some level of management or leadership responsibility. These range from overseeing a project, leading a team or running a module to managing a programme, department or school. A variety of courses and programmes exist that teach management and leadership but these do not always focus on the specific needs of health professions’ educators and the contexts in which they work.

The Leaders’ Toolkit has been designed by a highly experienced, international faculty to meet the needs of those who are in leadership or management positions, however junior or senior, and who feel they would like to learn some theory, skills and approaches to improve their practice. The Toolkit comprises courses run in a highly interactive, supportive, workshop-style sessions on different topics, models and approaches to leadership, management and followership relevant to contemporary health professions’ education. Course design means that, if they choose, delegates can take one or two courses at any one conference with very little overlap between the individual courses or prior knowledge needed. All our courses are:

- Theory informed
- Practice driven
- Context specific
- Interactive, supportive and fun!

‘LEADERSHIP IN THREES’

This course aims to provide an introduction to contemporary theories and practices in leadership, management and followership in health professions’ education and healthcare. ‘Leadership in threes’ is a new developmental model we have presented which brings together key elements from leadership literature and research and applies them to practical, real life situations. We all live and work in a VUCA world: a Volatile, Uncertain, Complex and Ambiguous environment – where part of the complexity arises from our cultural and social diversity. We need therefore to have leadership approaches that are flexible, inclusive and person-centred. In healthcare and health professions’ education, we have to work directly with and in two complex systems (that of education and health) each of which are made up of many, often competing, elements. This can be challenging for leaders grappling with uncertainty and rapid change but an understanding of the theories and related approaches can help us be more effective. Topics include:

- Leadership, management and followership: exploring the differences and interrelationships between each of these approaches;
- Theory in practice: how an understanding of key theories, models and concepts help us to be more effective;
- Leaders as change agents: an introduction to change models and their approaches;
- Adaptive leadership for complex systems: VUCA and RUPT; how to use these approaches in leadership and management;
- Change and complexity: models and frameworks that help stimulate and generate change in a complex world;
- Inclusive and person-centered leadership: putting people at the heart of what we do; working with diversity and how to recognise and address unconscious bias;
- Identifying and developing personal qualities for effective leadership: the Immunity to Change model;
- Developing and communicating the vision: creative ways of setting a vision for change and communicating this to others;
- Post-course report: Participants may choose to submit, within six months of completion of the course, a short report describing the application of the concepts and principles to their own practice.

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Course schedule at APMEC:
Thurs 11 Jan 2018 – 0900 – 1600
Fri 12 Jan & Sat 13 Jan 2018 – facilitated session during lunch
Sunday 14 Jan 2018 – 0900 – 1230

Course Faculty:
Professor Judy McKimm, Wales, UK
Associate Professor Paul Jones, Wales, UK
Professor Kirsty Forrest, Australia
Associate Professor Greg Radu, Canada

Course fee: SGD725

Includes:
• One full-day pre-conference session (11 January 2018)
• Printed course programme
• Workbook
• Set of additional resource materials accessed electronically
• Certificate of participation
• Two facilitated lunchtime meetings during the main conference (12 and 13 January 2018)
• A half day post conference workshop (14 January 2018)

Please note: In addition to the Leaders’ Toolkit ‘Leadership in threes’ course fee, participants are required to register and pay the registration fees for 15th APMEC main conference.
W2A1
Thursday 11th January 2018, 8.30am – 12.30pm
Multipurpose Hall 3, Level 3, MD1
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INNOVATIVE PRACTICE IN MOBILE TECHNOLOGY TO ENHANCE LEARNING, ASSESSMENT AND PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT IN THE CLINICAL WORKPLACE

1Katharine Boursicot, 2Trudie Roberts, 3Sandra Kemp and 4Richard Fuller
1Singapore, 2United Kingdom and 3Australia

Workshop Description
In this workshop, we will set the scene with a review of the theoretical and empirical evidence from the literature about mobile technology and feedback for learning, present some examples of applied mobile technology enhancement, and engage the participants in experiential activities using mobile technology.

There will be opportunities for the participants to consider how to apply the principles of best practice to the design, delivery, feedback, evaluation and outcomes of workplace assessment using novel ways of mobile technology enhancement to their own situations.

Workshop Objective
To highlight modern practice with examples of mobile technology enabled assessment and feedback for learning and development in the clinical workplace.

Participants will:
• Learn about the theoretical and empirical evidence around feedback and mobile technology
• Try out some teaching and learning using mobile device-based assessment
• Gain insights into designing programmes of workplace-based assessment
• Learn about using electronic portfolios and other learning platforms effectively
• Consider possibilities for the future of workplace learning and assessment using innovative mobile technology

Who Should Attend
People involved in teaching and assessment in undergraduate and postgraduate contexts, who want to update on the latest contemporary best practices, and possible future developments, in mobile technology enhanced education.

W2A2
Thursday 11th January 2018, 8.30am – 12.30pm
Learning Room 03-07, Level 3, MD6
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WHAT IS ONLINE COLLABORATIVE LEARNING? WHY IS IT IMPORTANT? AND HOW TO (EASILY) ENHANCE ONLINE MEDICAL EDUCATION COURSES WITH THESE NEW PEDAGOGIES

Linda M Harasim
Canada

Workshop Description
Online networked education, since its earliest days, was based on collaboration and discussion. The earliest and most effective credentialed and/or continuing professional education courses to be delivered online were based on collaborative learning. The pedagogies included group discussion, debate, role-play, teamwork scenarios, and conferring with others to brainstorm and then converge towards a solution, a plan, a product or a perspective.

The pedagogy of an online collaborative learning course or activity based on a discussion forum software is not difficult to implement and results in very positive rates of student satisfaction and learning effectiveness, outcomes critical to medical educators.

This workshop will introduce online collaborative learning as a pedagogy, specifically focusing on SOS: Student-led Online Seminars. The SOS design will be presented in terms of overall goals and anticipated outcomes, role of the educator, student roles, scheduling, moderating an online seminar, intellectual convergence, grading, and how to prepare student participation. Ways to assess online learning will also be demonstrated. Discussion and questions are very welcome in this workshop.
W2A3
Thursday 11th January 2018, 8.30am – 12.30pm
LT37, Level 3, MD1
Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine
National University of Singapore

THE SMORGASBOARD OF TECHNOLOGY-DRIVEN TEACHING STRATEGIES TO ENHANCE LEARNING
Rani Kanth and Kalyani Premkumar
Canada

Workshop Description
This workshop will provide an overview on the various technology driven strategies that are available to enhance the learning environment with a hands on approach to demonstrate such examples in facilitated small groups. Active participation of the attendees is expected and will be facilitated to their creation of an educational module incorporating such strategies with ongoing peer evaluation by the participants. This session will end with a summation of the benefits/ drivers/challenges/barriers faced during this process. Participants are required to bring their mobile devices [smart phones/Ipads/Laptop] for this workshop. This workshop will be of interest to all personnel involved and interested in medical education

Workshop Objective
By the end of this workshop, participants will be able to
1. Provide a repertoire of technology-driven teaching strategies available to enhance the educational encounter
2. Appropriately incorporate such strategies for teaching and learning in medical education
3. Develop a self “preferred” menu of these strategies and design a teaching module incorporating at least one/two strategies
4. Peer evaluate the effectiveness of the ‘onsite designed’ teaching modules
5. Discuss the benefits/drivers /challenges / barriers faced while incorporating technology-driven strategies for learning

Who Should Attend
All personnel involved/interested in education/medical education (experts and novices).

W2A4
Thursday 11th January 2018, 8.30am – 12.30pm
SMART Classroom, Level 4, MD6
Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine
National University of Singapore

MOBILE LEARNING FOR HEALTHCARE EDUCATORS
Vaikunthan Rajaratnam and Dong Chaoyan
Singapore

Workshop Description
The ubiquity of mobile phones makes it possible to create and deliver learning programmes at our fingertips. Learning happens at time and location convenient to learners. It is timely to explore how to tap on the potentials of mobile technologies to facilitate healthcare education. The workshop will focus on the following components:
1. overview of mobile technology in healthcare education,
2. how to set up educational digital presence,
3. mobile learning at the workplace,
4. how to create Open Educational Resources (OERs), and
5. mobile applications for healthcare educators.

The delivery formats include: interactive lectures, demonstration, group activities, and discussions.
**PRE-CONFERENCE WORKSHOPS**

**Workshop Objective**

By the end of the workshop, participants will be able to:

- Explore the benefits of mobile learning in healthcare education
- Practice and share types of programmes that can be used to develop and deliver healthcare education on the mobile platform
- Create a basic mobile learning programme and deploy it for target audience
- Discuss issues and challenges of mobile learning in healthcare

**Who Should Attend**

Healthcare educators.

**W2A5**

*Thursday 11th January 2018, 8.30am – 12.30pm*

*Learning Room 01-01B, Level 1, MD6*

*Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine*

*National University of Singapore*

**DEVELOPING AND ASSESSING RESILIENCE IN MEDICAL AND HEALTHCARE PROFESSIONALS**

*Moi Kok Wah*

*United Kingdom*

**Workshop Description**

Resilience can be understood as ‘the ability to bounce back or positively adapt to ongoing stress or adversity’. Many resilience-enhancing interventions have shown improvements in developing resilience resources in employees so that they can better cope with workplace stressors that lead to increases in goal attainment, productivity, and improved performance.

Drawing from theories of stress inoculation, it is possible that exposing individuals to simulated challenging workplace scenarios, through Situational Judgment Scenarios (SJS), can promote the development of resilience to future workplace challenges. The SJS approach aims to build competence in harnessing resilience resources to deal with workplace stressors relevant to healthcare with the provision of immediate feedback, time for problem-solving, evaluation, and reflection.

The workshop will begin with an overview of different approaches to developing and assessing resilience, to provide participants with an understanding of metrics in this context. Participants will then be introduced to the features involved in developing an effective situational judgement scenario for use in developing and assessing resilience utilising text based or video-based scenarios. Working in small groups, participants will practice developing situational judgement scenarios, as well as developing ‘expert’ rationales for feedback. In the final part of the workshop, groups will consider developing these scenarios into scripts, suitable for the use in a video format.

**Workshop Objective**

By the end of the session, participants will:

- Understand the importance of developing resilience effectively within a healthcare setting
- Consider the different approaches to developing and assessing resilience
- Understand the features important in developing effective situational judgement scenarios for developing and assessing resilience (e.g., designing items, response formats and ‘expert’ rationales)
- Practice the development of situational judgement scenarios for developing resilience
- Consider the pros and cons of using a ‘low fidelity’ text based SJS with ‘medium fidelity’ video-based situational judgement scenarios

**Who Should Attend**

This workshop is relevant for all health professional educators interested in the development and in particular the assessment of resilience at work.
PROFESSIONALISM IN PRACTICE

Shekhar Kumta, Ng Ho-Keung, Alex Yung and Yan Jin
Hong Kong S.A.R.

Workshop Description
We expect our graduates and residents trainees to show professionalism during their training and their subsequent independent practice. What constitutes "professionalism" is often described in broad philosophical contexts and richly centred around concepts such as altruism, empathy and compassion.

The transition from a student to a professional is a difficult period and professionalism involves not only the internalization of norms and values but also their expression in the context of professional conduct with patients and other actors that constitute the healthcare environment.

In this workshop we discuss some of the essential elements that constitute professionalism.

We also introduce the concept of Behavioral Anchors based on a simple template which may help students and assessors identify professional expectations and their failures

Workshop Objective
1. Develop an Understanding of Professional Behaviors in Practice across healthcare disciplines.
2. Develop a Generic Template against which Behaviors can be mapped
3. Define and Exemplify Behavioral Anchors that underpin professional or unprofessional behaviors

Who Should Attend
This workshop is suitable for anyone working in the health care environment - this would include Doctors, Nurses, Allied Health workers and administrative staff.

FROM CONCEPTUALISATION TO IMPLEMENTATION: DEVELOPMENT OF AN ONLINE ASSESSMENT SYSTEM

Vishna Devi Nadarajah and Er Hui Meng
Malaysia

Workshop Description
Assessment is the process of making a judgment on whether the learning outcomes are achieved through a systematic collection, review and use of information. An effective assessment system will enhance learning, and can provide feedback to the teachers for instructional improvement and give a valid indicator on the learner performance in the competency areas intended in the programme. However, the efficiency and effectiveness of assessments can be limited by operational challenges, such as inadequate assessment blueprinting during item development, long results processing time and tedious manual psychometric analysis, which consequently affect the quality of feedback (i.e. timeliness, specificity). An online assessment system (OAS) that is reliable, secure, valid, and can cater for a range of assessment tools including workplace based assessment provides practical solutions to the limitations mentioned above.

In this workshop, the development approaches and features for an online assessment system, contextualised to the institutional needs will be discussed. We will share practical tips from our experience in developing an integrated OAS for outcome-based education with a range of assessment tools for health professions education. To successfully develop an OAS that is aligned with the institutional governance system, continuous stakeholder inputs is necessary. However, the process involves balancing and managing the expectations and practicalities. Participants will be further engaged by working in groups, identifying resources and how to overcome challenges using checklists developed from stakeholders’ perspectives.
Workshop Objective
Participants will be able to propose, project manage and develop online assessment system (OAS) for multiple stakeholders based on educational frameworks with a checklist for anticipating and overcoming challenges.

Who Should Attend
This workshop will be useful for faculty, clinicians, exam and IT administrators, students, e-learning designers and enthusiast alike.

W2A8
Thursday 11th January 2018, 8.30am – 12.30pm
Learning Room 03-06, Level 3, MD6
Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine
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USING THE FOUR QUADRANT MODEL TO ENGAGE THE FACULTY MEANINGFULLY
'Danai Wangsaturaka and 'Indika Karunathilake
'DAssistant Dean for Academic Affairs, Faculty of Medicine, Chulalongkorn University, Thailand, and 'Professor in Medical Education, Faculty of Medicine, University of Colombo, Sri Lanka

Workshop Description
Faculty development in medical education is a process through which medical school faculty works systematically to improve their competency as teachers. It is a complex, multifaceted process due to the diverse roles and responsibilities of a medical educator as a clinician, facilitator, administrator assessor, mentor, researcher, and educational leader. High quality faculty development programs will result in competent faculty who can not only inspire and nurture students and prepare them to deliver high-quality health care, but also cultivate a culture of continued self and institutional development.

However, challenges for implementing high quality Faculty development are multiple and include; the multi-dimensional roles of health professionals; attitudes towards teaching; conflicting opportunities; the shortage of teachers; the increased demand for physicians, nurses and midwives; developing health professionals for a teaching role; and rewards for teaching. In resource-constrained settings, heavy teaching loads, a shortage of educators, limited infrastructure and competing demands for research and clinical services further complicates these challenges.

This workshop will discuss Four Quadrant Model as a conceptual framework to overcome the above challenges and engage the faculty meaningfully. In planning faculty development, this model acknowledges four agendas (directions) from various stakeholders: Strategies (N), Competencies (E), Resources (S) and Wish lists (W). The model then describes four avenues for faculty development offerings (quadrants): Foundation (NE), Innovation (SE), Response (SW) and Motivation (NW) (i.e. outputs, activities).

During the workshop, participants will share their experiences in implementing faculty development in the Asia Pacific region.

W2P1
Thursday 11th January 2018, 1.30pm – 5.30pm
Learning Room 01-02, Level 1, MD6
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HOW TO CREATE AND USE DEVELOPMENTAL ASSESSMENTS TO GUIDE RESIDENTS TO BECOME EFFECTIVE PRACTITIONERS
Eric Holmboe
USA

Workshop Description
The rise of outcomes-based medical education (OBME), also known as competency-based medical education (CBME), has forced educators to rethink approaches to curriculum and assessment. Competency frameworks such as CanMEDS and the AGME General Competencies are being used to implement OBME in many countries.

A major aspect of CBME is greater attention to the developmental process in becoming a healthcare professional. This more explicit focus on the developmental process is leading to innovative and much needed new approaches to assessment. This 4 hour pre-course will focus on the important shift to developmental assessments using competencies, milestones and EPAs. This pre-course will highlight the important role of work-based assessments and group process in developmental models of assessment.
W2P2
Thursday 11th January 2018, 1.30pm – 5.30pm
Learning Room 01-01B, Level 1, MD6
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MASTERCHEF FOR RESIDENCY SELECTION
Sarah Lu Qinghui, Tham Kum Ying, Habeebul Rahman and Terence Huey Cheong Wei
Singapore

Workshop Description
The literature on residency selection shows a lack of correlation between performance and exam scores, letters of references and interviews. Most of us know that selection is as much a science as it is an art. Hence for our surgical residency we developed a novel way of selection, leveraging on principles from MasterChef whereby teamwork, dexterity, ability to follow instructions, ability to adapt and a focus on outcome are interwoven into the exercise.

This workshop will be an interactive session with videos and audience participation in hands-on tasks to execute the most critical steps of a recipe a la MasterChef. The link between the tasks and the attributes we are looking for in the residency-applicants will be explained.

We will guide the participants to innovate and develop their own selection process.

Workshop Objective
1. To share the framework and educational principles we used to design our own selection process
2. To demonstrate the use of practical/hands-on tasks to assess non-technical attributes
3. To assist our participants to develop their own unique selection process

Who Should Attend
Faculty and program coordinators involved in residency selection.

W2P3
Thursday 11th January 2018, 1.30pm – 5.30pm
SMART Classroom, Level 4, MD6
Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine
National University of Singapore

HOW TO USE DATA (ANALYTICS) TO INFORM ETEACHING AND ELEARNING
Poh-Sun Goh, Sergio Hernandez-Marin and Lim Wee Khee
Singapore

Workshop Description
The workshop will be based on actual case studies from an experienced medical educator (GPS), who has been using Google Blogger (with built data analytics), exclusively (rather than PowerPoint) for clinical teaching, and medical education faculty development over the last 6 years (in undergraduate, postgraduate and CME/CPD settings). Co-facilitators in the workshop (SHM and LWK) will share added insights from a technical-strategic (SHM) and market-engagement (LWK) perspective. Participants will have the opportunity to build their own prototype teaching blog (with use of Google Blogger as an illustrative freely available, and free to use platform), together with seeing how embedding additional online tools into a teaching blog (like Slideshare, SurveyMonkey, and Padlet) can give educators further data and visibility of student engagement, and actual learning within an eLearning process and platform. Participants will be expected to have engaged in one to two hours of pre-reading, and a pre-workshop exercise. Participants should bring a WiFi enabled laptop or tablet computer to the workshop.

Workshop Objective
To illustrate and demonstrate the utility of off the shelf/free/ly available) data analytics to inform eTeaching and give visibility of eLearning (activities) by our students.

Who Should Attend
Health professions educators (Medical, Nursing and Allied Health), and staff who have an administrative and leadership role in supporting and working with eLearning/Technology enhanced learning teams.
W2P4
Thursday 11th January 2018, 1.30pm – 5.30pm
LT37, Level 3, MD1
Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine
National University of Singapore

HOW DO WE APPLY EVIDENCE OF INTERPROFESSIONAL EDUCATION AND COLLABORATION IN ASIA?
Junji Haruta, Sachiko Ozone and Ryohei Goto
Japan

Workshop Description
The necessity of interprofessional education (IPE) and collaboration (IPC) is globally recognised. There are few evidence of IPE or IPC in Asia, however, we cannot help applying the evidence in the Western culture even if different background. For example, to enhance respect for different professional roles clearly through IPE, we need to be more conscious of explicit communication because Asian countries have a higher context than the West. Thus, the workshop aims to acquire a cultural relative viewpoint at the application of appraisal IPE or IPC evidence to practice.

Workshop Objective
Participants will be able to:
1) Recognise and discuss cultural context through Cultural Map
2) Overview evidence of IPE or IPC in Asian and Western countries based on cultural difference
3) Understand how to apply evidence of IPE and IPE by adopting a cultural perspective

Who Should Attend
All those who are engaged or planning IPE and IPC and researchers interested in IPE and IPC.

W2P5
Thursday 11th January 2018, 1.30pm – 5.30pm
Learning Room 03-05, Level 3, MD6
Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine
National University of Singapore

TECHNOLOGY ENHANCED LEARNING AND DESIGN THINKING PROCESS: THINK GLOBALLY, ACT LOCALLY AND INNOVATE!
Ardi Findyartini, Diantha Soemantri and Anindya Pradipta Susanto
Indonesia

Workshop Description
Transformation of healthcare requires dynamic improvements in medical and health professions education. In a globalized and ‘flat world’ nowadays, teaching and learning processes are borderless. Medical and health professions students who are the member of current generation are capable of exploring unlimited knowledge and evidence for their future. The use of technology enhanced learning has been widely adopted and adapted, and it requires further holistic evaluation to provide evidence of its effectiveness for students’ learning and motivations for learning (Pickering JD & Joynes VCT, 2016).

Any new teaching-learning approaches, including those utilize technology, should also consider the characteristics of the users, i.e students, teachers, course organizers, etc, and the available resources. The design thinking process which has been widely used in areas such as business, commerce and engineering, can be used to guide innovations in technology enhanced learning in medical and health professions education. The approach highlights the need to empathize the users, define the problem to be solved, ideate the broadest range of solution possibilities, build the prototype, and test the innovation. Therefore, medical and health professions educators can challenge themselves to innovate and find the best solutions for their practices. Those innovations at the same time should also consider the learning processes that will take place and be enhanced.

This interactive workshop will include individual and collaborative activities in:
1. exploring key principles of learning theories and technology enhanced learning;
2. identifying challenges in current teaching and learning practices in own setting;
3. identifying the steps of design thinking process;
4. discussing examples of technology enhanced learning innovation that used the design thinking process;
5. implementing the steps of design thinking process by considering local wisdom and resources;
6. developing a draft for technology enhanced learning innovations.
Workshop Objective
At the end of the workshop, the participants will be able to discuss the principles of learning processes that can be enhanced by technology, and explore technology enhanced learning innovation using design thinking process approach. This workshop will also encourage participants to elaborate their local wisdom and resources in developing cost effective and sustainable technology enhanced learning innovations.

Who Should Attend
Medical and health professional educators with interest in technology enhanced learning and innovations. Workshop participants will be invited to engage in an active discussion and also share their own ideas in developing technology enhanced learning innovations. The lessons learned identified during the workshop as well as the blueprint for innovation will be highly useful as take-home messages for workshop participants to apply in their own medical and health professions education institutions.

W2P6
Thursday 11th January 2018, 1.30pm – 5.30pm
Learning Room 03-06, Level 3, MD6
Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine
National University of Singapore

CHANGES IN THE TEACHING METHODS AN ESSENTIAL NEED OF THE HOUR: AN INTEGRATED TEACHING TO MEDICAL STUDENTS BY WHO, WHOM, HOW AND WHERE

1BK Manjunatha Goud, 1Joan Kumar and 2Aruna Chanu Oinam
1United Arab Emirates and 2India

Workshop Description
The pace of changes in medical education has increased dramatically driven by exponentially increased knowledge and need to train a large group of learners using limited resources. The modern medical education requires changes to suit the needs of the current learning aspects. The medical education stands on the three pillars; Education, Patient care and Research, but now a days the first two aspects have become less relevant to our students and research area has been focused more by the faculties. In our institute the traditional teaching such as horizontal integration has been replaced with vertical integration. The advantage is that, the student will have the content which will be similar to clinical years. This can be achieved by focusing on student oriented teaching method rather that lecture based. Teaching has been recognised not only for providing information and the exchange of experiences, but also for creating the atmosphere and facilitating the learning environment.

This is achieved by revamping and restructuring medical curriculum with teaching, learning approaches so designed as to ensure that students acquire appropriate clinical and scientific knowledge along with practical, procedural and communication skills. So, overall outcome of introducing changes in medical education is to make a competent doctor.

Workshop Objective
To teach various subjects from first year with clinical co relations
To achieve integration across the subjects
To make students more attentive in the class
To encourage students to have discussion in the form of cases
To make an competent doctor

Who Should Attend
All graduates who have done MBBS (Compulsory) and / or MD (Doctor of medicine) and involved in teaching medical students.

W2P7
Thursday 11th January 2018, 1.30pm – 5.30pm
Multipurpose Hall 3, Level 3, MD1
Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine
National University of Singapore

FAMILY PRACTICE PRECEPTORSHIP: FROM THEORY TO PRACTICE

Doris Young, Goh Lay Hoon and Victor Loh
Singapore

Workshop Description
Doctors need to impart their knowledge, attitudes and skills to the next generation of learners. As family practitioners, this obligation to teach and act as roles models is particularly important because well trained family practitioners are much needed in the community. However, being a teacher or preceptor in family practice offers unique challenges as family physicians deal with a heavy patient load and having learners in their consultations slow down and affect their one to one relationship with their patients. Moreover, many tutors lack confidence in their own ‘teaching’ abilities are uncertain about the ‘curriculum’.
This workshop addresses teachable family medicine moments ranging from problem solving, preventive medicine, relationship and continuity care to family and community aspects and how to deal with uncertainty and indecision. The changing dynamics of the doctor patient relationship with a learner present in the consultation will result in a triadic relationship between GP preceptor, patient and learner. These changing roles can be incorporated into the consultation without interrupting clinical care and the Doctor-Patient relationship. The learner can be an observer, deliver partial care and/or collaborative care. The preceptor can provide supervised care and also act as a facilitator when the learner becomes more confident and independent. Strategies on how to organise the clinic appointment systems and engage the clinic staff and patients will be shared. Finally, characteristics of effective role modelling, supervision, engaging the learners and providing constructive feedback to learners will also be discussed and demonstrated.

**Workshop Objective**

This workshop will address how family medicine may be taught in the busy family practice setting. Strategies to address the teaching of problem solving, preventive medicine, relationship and continuity care, family and community aspects, to how to deal with uncertainty and indecision will be shared.

**Who Should Attend**

Family physicians who interested in the craft of imparting knowledge, attitudes and skills to the next generation of doctors will enjoy the role plays, the discussion of ideas, and the sharing of experiences in this interactive workshop.

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**W2P8**

_Thursday 11th January 2018, 1.30pm – 5.30pm_

_Learning Room 03-07, Level 3, MD6_

_Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine_

_National University of Singapore_

**USING A WEB-BASED PLATFORM (EMEDICI©) TO ENHANCE STUDENTS’ LEARNING AND IMMEDIATE FEEDBACK ACROSS THE HEALTHCARE PROFESSION**

_Michael Wan_

_Australia_

**Workshop Description**

The aim of the workshop is to guide the participants in developing high quality and authentic case scenarios online; to produce interactive questions for immediate feedback to students; and to share online e-resource with other institutions worldwide. The workshop format will be very interactive in ways where participants could have hand-on experience in developing new cases, immerse themselves as candidates answering the questions followed by discussions on further collaboration and research into medical education.

**Workshop Objective**

By attending the workshop, attendees will be able to:

- understand the educational theories underpinning the use web-based interactive platform to develop authentic case scenarios to enhance students’ learning in the health profession
- develop high quality questions with appropriate explanatory information designed to provide immediate feedback to students online
- embed clinical images, radiological images & videos to facilitate students’ interpretation of investigation findings
- have hands-on practice of using the web base platform to develop, edit and publish cases online for sharing with other institutions
- collaborate with other institutions in sharing and researching of online case-based learning.

**Who Should Attend**

Academics and clinical educators in medical education who are interested in developing and sharing online case based learning resources in the health profession (medicine, dentistry, nursing, physiotherapy, pharmacy, etc.) as faculty development.
TECHNOLOGY, COMPASSION AND HEALTHCARE EDUCATION IN AN INTERCONNECTED WORLD

Brian D Hodges
Professor, Faculty of Medicine and Ontario Institute for Studies in Education, University of Toronto; The Richard and Elizabeth Currie Chair in Health Professions Education Research, Wilson Centre; and Executive-Vice President Education, University Health Network, Canada

Goals for the talk
1. Explore the challenges of sustaining compassionate care in an increasingly technical healthcare education environment
2. Consider factors that tilt health professionals and healthcare settings either toward burnout and compassion fatigue or in the direction of engaged, compassionate, patient centred care

The 21st century is already characterised by profound discussions about what health professionals are and should be. Unprecedented levels of burnout among clinicians is coupled with growing demands for equitable, safe and compassionate care - the delivery of which is more often systems-based than under the control of individual clinicians.

Simultaneously the explosion of technological advances including computers that increasingly solve problems and display forms of empathy, challenges us to question what a health professional of the future will be.

This presentation argues that while healthcare will continue to be underpinned by cognitive skills and technical prowess, it is an anchor in humanism and compassion that will prove the value of the (human) health professional of the future.

TECHNOLOGY ENHANCED EDUCATION: GOOD THING OR FLASH IN THE PAN?

Erle Lim
Associate Provost (Undergraduate Education), National University of Singapore; and Associate Professor, Department of Medicine, Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine, National University of Singapore, National University Health System, Singapore

With the advent of new “tech toys”, there has renewed interest in incorporating such cool technology into clinical training and medical education, with the result that some faculty are like workmen brandishing hammers looking for nails, rushing to incorporate them into curricula without the right pedagogical and conceptual framework. Such an ungrounded approach could lead to the unproductive consumption of meagre resources.

In this talk, the presenter will discuss the educational environment which has necessitated the development and use of VR and AR devices to enhance the students' learning experiences, whilst being mindful of learners' outcomes, and asks – is it good or bad that we use tech devices in teaching, and when should we use them?
LEADERSHIP FORUM - THE FUTURE OF MEDICAL EDUCATION IN A TECHNOLOGY ADVANCED WORLD

How We Can Strategise for the Future of Medical Education in a Technology Advanced World
Yeoh Khay Guan, Singapore

Moving Beyond the Cerebral Hard Drive: Leveraging Technology to Improve Medical Education and Clinical Care Through Co-production
Eric Holmboe, USA

Preparing the Future Medical Workforce for the Use of Technology Across Their Career Lifespan
Julie Quinlivan, Australia

Medical Education in an Information Technology- Empowered Age: The Philippine Experience
Alfaretta Luisa T Reyes, Philippines

Effective Use of Technology to Benchmark and Set Standards in Health Professions Education Programs for the Future
Adeeba Kamarulzaman, Malaysia

HOW WE CAN STRATEGISE FOR THE FUTURE OF MEDICAL EDUCATION IN A TECHNOLOGY ADVANCED WORLD
Yeoh Khay Guan
Dean, Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine, National University of Singapore, National University Health System, Singapore

We live in an era of technology unprecedented in history. In order to prepare tomorrow’s doctors, medical education must be bold and innovative in order to develop their skills and mindsets. Technology can enhance learning and experience, enhance access to knowledge, support skills training by simulation, and by learning portals to electronic libraries, simulation training and continuing education. We must prepare our students to practice in a technologically advanced world, this includes skill sets for informatics and to understand and adopt technology.

Students at the National University of Singapore use online learning portals, simulation and virtual reality training and receive hand-on experience with electronic health records. In our ASEAN community, there is a diversity of settings in terms of resource, contexts and culture. Technology can be easily shared and will be a leveller. Using an online link, users may gain access to electronic libraries, simulation training and continuing education, overcoming physical or site resource limitations.

Above all we must remember that technology may facilitate care, but it cannot replace the heart of medical practice, the doctor-patient relationship and our ethos of care. More than ever, our patients want our care, compassion and reassurance and this cannot be given by machines.

MOVING BEYOND THE CEREBRAL HARD DRIVE: LEVERAGING TECHNOLOGY TO IMPROVE MEDICAL EDUCATION AND CLINICAL CARE THROUGH CO-PRODUCTION
Eric Holmboe
Senior Vice President, Milestones Development and Evaluation, Accreditation Council for Graduate Medical Education (ACGME), USA

The solo expert physician is a nostalgic hallmark of 20th century medicine, the physician who brought their deep expertise to the bedside to diagnose and treat complex conditions. We now know that this was perhaps too much a romantic notion, a conception of clinical practice clearly insufficient for current health care needs and systems. No health professional can carry all knowledge in their head or possess all the skills needed to care for patients and populations. Health care is an interprofessional team activity that must now embrace emerging technologies that can support both patients and health care teams in co-producing health and health care.

In this session the presenter will review the growing impact of technology in supporting co-production of healthcare and education, managing uncertainty, supporting clinical decisions (e.g. artificial intelligence), and supporting better educational and assessment processes to promote professional growth.
PREPARING THE FUTURE MEDICAL WORKFORCE FOR THE USE OF TECHNOLOGY ACROSS THEIR CAREER LIFESPAN

Julie Quinlivan
Professor, University of Notre Dame Australia; and Director, Professional Services Review of Australia, Australia

Students currently studying to enter a career in medicine must be prepared for the use of technology across their future working lifespan.

In undergraduate medical education, technology enables lectures and learning resources designed to impart knowledge to be available online to provide students with flexibility to increase their knowledge at a pace relevant to their clinical rotations, exposure to patients and timetable. This means University faculty resources can be directed to those activities where face to face learning is beneficial such as supervision of history taking, clinical examination skills, bedside teaching and clinical reasoning.

In postgraduate medical education, technology is now used to deliver compulsory core training modules in areas identified by health service boards as relevant for their staff. This can include modules in organisational culture, occupational health and safety, safe prescribing, record keeping and other identified areas. Technology will also be used for staff credentialing, to facilitate access across multiple hospital sites, and to monitor past and future continuing medical education activities and performance reports.

Technology will also be used to assess clinical performance by benchmarking length of stay, hospital acquired complications, SAC 1 events and other selected measures to drive improvements in quality and safety at the individual, organisational, hospital and wider health service levels.

Finally, technology will be used at governmental level to identify clinicians who fall out of step with peers in terms of billing, prescribing or clinical activity. This can help reinforce messages about continuing to practice in an appropriate manner.

MEDICAL EDUCATION IN AN INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY-EMPOWERED AGE: THE PHILIPPINE EXPERIENCE

Alfaretta Luisa T Reyes
Professor Emeritus and Past Dean, College of Medicine, University of the East Ramon Magsaysay Memorial Medical Center, Inc., Philippines

There is an increasing global interest and activity in enhancing the healthcare workforce to better address the changing healthcare needs of society. Educational institutions are now urged to align their curricula with the patient and population needs and to provide medical education that assures smooth transition at all points to continuing professional development.

Today’s generation of millennial learners are accustomed to technology-enhanced learning environments. They expect the contents and methods to be coherent with technology applications. Technology integration as an instructional tool for delivering the subject matter in the medical curriculum is now in place.

A study by CPJ Bagain, ALT Reyes, RMG Macaraig entitled “Keeping Up with a Technology-Advanced World: A Descriptive Study on How Philippine Medical Schools Integrate Technology in Medical Education” was conducted to describe how Philippine Medical schools cope in an advancing technology world. The Survey consisting of 10-item questionnaire were generated and were distributed to 50 Philippine medical schools through their respective Deans.

The results of the survey were categorised in the following domains: role of technology in medical education, the administrative support in embracing technology used for medical education, technological sources of teaching-learning activities, problems or challenges in using technology for medical education, and the strategies being applied when technology resources are limited.

Results have shown that all schools that responded to the survey have been using technology as part of the teaching learning activities. With the support of the school administration, internet have been provided for both students and teachers to apply innovative methods in the learning process. Common challenges such as inadequate budget, lack of training with the software, and poor internet connectivity were noted. However, despite the challenges mentioned, Philippine medical schools have been resourceful in utilising other strategies that made learning successful and have nurture and produced competent, compassionate, ethical, civic-minded and socially responsive physicians.
LEADERSHIP FORUM

EFFECTIVE USE OF TECHNOLOGY TO BENCHMARK AND SET STANDARDS IN HEALTH PROFESSIONS EDUCATION PROGRAMS FOR THE FUTURE

Adeeba Kamarulzaman
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Existing and emerging technologies have the potential to enhance health professionals’ teaching, learning, and performance assessment across the learning continuum—from undergraduate to graduate education, continuing professional development, and maintenance of lifelong competency.

The use of educational technologies will enable the transformation of health professions education to a system that is competency-driven, affordable, and accessible to each learner. Increasingly educational technologies are utilised to document formative and summative assessments, and track continuing professional development activities of health professionals’ practices across their careers. In turn, this will allow education programs to develop systems to measure and aggregate data assessing the performance of individuals, cohorts, curricula, and institutions over time, and use this information to intervene in cases of poor performing individuals and facilitate program improvements. Additionally educational technologies can be leveraged to enable innovation and greater efficiency in fulfilling health professions accreditation standards and licensure, certification, and regulatory requirements. Using examples from the undergraduate medical curriculum and the postgraduate medical curriculum project, we will illustrate how the use of educational technology has the potential to transform undergraduate and postgraduate medical education in Malaysia.
THE FUTURE ROLE OF THE BIOMEDICAL SCIENCES IN TEACHING AND LEARNING MEDICINE

Over the years medicine has evolved into a modern profession using numerous new biomedical technologies. In this high-tech clinically oriented healthcare arena, is there still a role for the basic sciences? Is there any value left for the foundational sciences in teaching our students and in learning medicine? In this international panel the presenters will share their views on the importance of the basic sciences in the overall training of our healthcare students. Short presentations will be followed by a general discussion with the audience.

CAN FUTURE LEARNING AND PRACTICE OF MEDICINE BENEFIT FROM ‘BIOMEDICAL SCIENCE THINKING’ AS A WAY OF LIFE?

Chen Zhi Xiong
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The learning of biomedical sciences has always served as the foundation for the understanding of medicine. A cornerstone that resides at the bottom of the scaffold - under-appreciated, overlooked, misunderstood. In this session, we will discuss the ‘meta-purpose’ for the learning of biomedical sciences, why it is important in enhancing the future learning and practice of medicine, and potential ways for implementation.

INTEGRATION OF BIOMEDICAL SCIENCES INTO THE POST-CLERKSHIP CURRICULUM

Neil Osheroff
Professor, Vanderbilt University School of Medicine, USA

It is important for physicians to have a strong understanding of the biosciences that underlie clinical practice. To address this issue, many medical schools are attempting to introduce foundational sciences into the clinical years. Although most modern undergraduate medical curricula have successfully integrated clinical materials into the pre-clerkship curriculum, the overt integration of foundational sciences into clinical courses has proven to be challenging. Effective incorporation of foundational sciences into the post-clerkship curriculum requires a commitment to integration at the program, course, and session levels, which will be addressed during this panel discussion.

WILL FUTURE TECHNOLOGY REPLACE THE BIOMEDICAL SCIENCE EDUCATOR?

Chan Lap Ki
Associate Professor, The University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong S.A.R.

Our world is transforming at an unbelievable speed due to advances in digital technology. Quantum computing is on the horizon and one can only guess what further explosive changes it can bring. Even now, it is already predicted that many human jobs will be lost to artificial intelligence in the not too distant future. Is biomedical science educator one of them? In this talk, examples of how biomedical educators have introduced technology into teaching and learning will be examined. Technology assists and enriches teaching and learning, and in some cases, even creates learning opportunities that were not possible before such technology. However, in all cases, the educator is not replaced, but in fact needs to take on even more responsibilities to ensure that technology is incorporated effectively to support learning. Moreover, an analysis of the work of biomedical science educators makes it plain clear that they possess many characteristics that are beyond what technology can offer, at least at this time of the digital revolution: innovativeness, creativity, and perhaps most importantly, the human touch.
USE OF SIMULATION - STRENGTHS AND PITFALLS

Siau Chiang
Senior Consultant, Department of Anaesthesia, National University Hospital, National University Health System, Singapore

Simulation-based training is an education technique that provides experiential learning opportunities for psychomotor, cognitive and team-working skills. With repeated deliberate practice and guided feedback, learners can hone their skills in a safe environment. Standardised clinical encounters can be simulated and further tailored to meet the needs of learners. This on-demand training has been shown to be effective in skills training and translation to improved patient care and safety.

There are potential pitfalls when using simulation-based training. Logistics constraints, scheduling conflicts and faculty concerns are some of the challenges that may be encountered when developing simulation-based learning activities. The integration of simulation-based training into existing curriculum will need a programmatic approach and close collaboration between all stakeholders.

SIMULATED PATIENTS: ESSENTIAL FOR THE EDUCATION OF A NEW GENERATION

Nicola Ngiam
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Communication skills are sine qua non to good patient care and outcomes. In the face of changing communication needs in this digital age, effective face-to-face communication is still integral to the establishment of appropriate doctor-patient and inter-professional relationships. There are many benefits of using simulated patient methodology in healthcare education. Importantly, they contextualise the theory that many curriculums are laden with. Simulated patients provide an opportunity for safe practice of skills and allow the learner to receive constructive feedback. They could arguably be more important than before in the training of communication skills in a new generation of students who have grown up in an age where cyber-conversations are their predominant mode of communication. As real patients become less accessible for ethical and patient safety reasons, simulated patient experiences will continue to provide a transition from simulation to real practice for students. The challenge would be to identify the new learning needs of these students and develop meaningful learning encounters.

SHAPING SIMULATION LEARNING FOR THE FUTURE

Fatimah Lateef
Director, Singhealth Duke NUS Institute of Medical Simulation; and Senior Consultant Emergency Physicians, Singapore General Hospital, Singapore

Simulation has become increasingly embedded into medical education over the last 2 decades. Many healthcare and educational institutions are including simulation in their blueprint and curriculum. In discussing how simulation will continue to influence and shape our thinking and practice we have to also consider the future of healthcare and the direction we are taking.

Simulation, up to now, is still very much based in institutions, teaching hospitals, resuscitation suites, operating rooms and specialist care area. In future, it is more likely that simulation will also come to be based in community and primary care, as we make the move towards more community based and primary care as well as more patient self-management and empowerment. Simulation centres will also become more open access so that learners at all levels can use them as they need to. With the cost being driven down and enhanced technology making simulation tools very accessible, home based learning and more online simulations, may become a reality.
Simulation will also be likely to be more closely linked to assessment in the future. This will focus on assessment for learning. This can be the test bed for simulation as well. The learner of the future will even have the capacity to being continually assessed through simulation and this can be done either by machine or man.

The future is exciting and limitless and is going to be directed by ourselves, the “medical futurists”. It is up to us to utilise simulation, simulation based learning and tools to help optimise efficiency.

THE FUTURE OF SIMULATION FOR RURAL AND REMOTE PRACTICE TRAINING

Richard Hays  
Professor of Remote and Rural Health, James Cook University, Australia

Medical practice in rural and remote communities is more ‘generalist’ in almost all specialties and includes a broader scope of practice than in larger communities. This broader scope usually includes procedures, which vary according to the specialty concerned, but often are at the more acute care end of the spectrum. This is because patients are more likely to be encountered in more acute presentations and helpers may be less likely to be close by. These skills are likely to be used less frequently than in larger centres, because of the smaller populations and the broader scope of practice. Further, procedures are more likely to be performed by all members of the health care teams, requiring an interprofessional approach. This context means that health professionals working in rural and remote communities benefit from having close by a range of simulation equipment for not just initial training, but also regular and frequent practice close to their normal work environment. In Australia, where there are many rural and remote communities, small skills labs are located in many smaller locations, supported by technicians, telehealth and mobile units. There is strong support for these facilities at Governmental, health department and university level.
SYMPOSIUM 1 - LEVERAGING TECHNOLOGY TO OPTIMISE CME/CPD, CLINICAL CARE AND PATIENT ENGAGEMENT

How Can Backward Planning in CME/CPD Help Align the Needs Assessment and Program Outcomes?
Lisa Sullivan, Australia

Taking an Integrated Approach to CME, CPD, and Patient Engagement: Deploying a Blended Learning Model to Optimise Clinical Performance and Patient Engagement
Sherlyn B. Celone-Arnold, USA

Applying Facebook and Other Social Network Approaches into Interprofessional Continuing Education
Alvaro Margolis, Uruguay

The Rise of Digital Engagement of the Physician and their Patients
Dale Robert Kummerle, USA

LEVERAGING TECHNOLOGY TO OPTIMISE CME/CPD, CLINICAL CARE AND PATIENT ENGAGEMENT

In this symposium, the faculty will explore a model that develops a strategic approach to developing innovative CME/CPD through an eLearning and Performance Ecosystem within the workplace. Starting from an organisational performance focus, this session pulls together the problems seen and responds to the underlying causes. Throughout the session the faculty and learners will proceed through the strategic components, indicating principles, tools, examples and trade-off of this model. This will provide a systematic way of viewing the goals of eLearning, which can guide in developing strategies that makes sense of and integrates tactics (like asynchronous and synchronous courses, web 2.0, mobile, simulations, portals and more) into an integrated, coherent and comprehensive whole.

HOW CAN BACKWARD PLANNING IN CME/CPD HELP ALIGN THE NEEDS ASSESSMENT AND PROGRAM OUTCOMES?

Lisa Sullivan
Immediate Past President, Global Alliance for Medical Education (GAME), Australia

The planning of any educational event needs to start with the identification of the gap between what is and what should be. A needs assessment is a systematic process for determining and addressing needs, or “gaps” between the current situation and the desired situation. A needs assessment in CME forms part of the planning process and can be an effective tool to clarify problems and help identify appropriate interventions.

Describing the gap, particularly practice gaps, enables CME planners to make decisions about content, learning and assessment strategies which are organised to reduce the gap.

Backwards planning is where we start with the end in mind. What change in knowledge or performance or patient health status do we need to fill the gaps that our needs assessment found? How does defining the gaps help us to identify the nature of the interventions required and whether they can achieve what we want them to achieve?

This presentation will cover some of the key elements in the process for backward planning using the constructs of the expanded outcomes frameworks from Don Moore and his colleagues and will provide insights into how summative assessment should be designed to determine if desired results – “what should be” were achieved, and how a formative assessment approach should be designed to measure the progress of learners towards reducing or eliminating the gap.

TAKING AN INTEGRATED APPROACH TO CME, CPD, AND PATIENT ENGAGEMENT: DEPLOYING A BLENDED LEARNING MODEL TO OPTIMISE CLINICAL PERFORMANCE AND PATIENT ENGAGEMENT

Sherlyn B. Celone-Arnold
Founder and CEO, Integrated Learning Partners, LLC., USA

In this session participants will learn practical strategies to develop integrated learning programs for providers, staff and patients. Building off the foundation of a comprehensive needs assessment, we will explore how to develop a multi-modal blended learning program that is grounded in adult learning principles and drives change in knowledge, skills, competence, confidence and behaviors. We will examine “high and low tech” learning formats, while developing an understanding that successful solutions require may be lower-tech and higher-touch.
We will discuss adult learning preferences and tools that continuing medical education and continuing professional development departments can use to optimize learner engagement. Faculty will review examples of live and enduring activities that are designed for healthcare providers and their patients, and share examples of programs that significantly impact clinical performance and educational outcomes.

Lastly, we will review outcomes methodologies and appropriately match outcomes plans to various formats to more efficiently and effectively measure change in learners’ knowledge, skills, confidence, competence and performance.

As a result, in participating in this session, participants will be better able to:

1. Build and deploy rapid needs assessments to determine clinical and professional competency gaps
2. Design and manage blended learning activities that incorporate a mix of live and eLearning activities to optimize learner engagement for providers, staff and patients
3. Develop effective outcomes plans to measure change in knowledge, skills, competence, confidence and performance.

APPLYING FACEBOOK AND OTHER SOCIAL NETWORK APPROACHES INTO INTERPROFESSIONAL CONTINUING EDUCATION

Alvaro Margolis
President and CEO, EviMed., Uruguay

This presentation will showcase how Facebook and other social network concepts and approaches can be used to promote social learning in health care teams, both for online and for combined online and face-to-face learning.

The underlying problem is that frequent chronic conditions such as diabetes, ischaemic heart disease, asthma or depression account for most of the burden of disease of the population, including outpatient visits, hospitalisations, health-related quality of life, mortality and health care costs. The chronic care model provides a framework to address chronic conditions, and it requires teamwork. Interprofessional practice-based learning of health care professionals and teams is therefore necessary.

How can we address training of large numbers of professionals and teams in frequent conditions, such as the ones mentioned above, in a manner that allows for reflection and practice change? One possibility is to include qualitative and quantitative information about contacts of course participants, and then use this information the same way Facebook and other social networks use it, to automatically allow for an exchange with your closest peers, rather than with a random selection of group members. This also allows to scale up the size of online courses, since the number of tutors required to foster exchange may diminish, as discussions occur among known peers.

This session is based on the methodology published in JCEHP by one of the panelists (1).


THE RISE OF DIGITAL ENGAGEMENT OF THE PHYSICIAN AND THEIR PATIENTS

Dale Robert Kummerle
Director of Medical Education, Bristol-Myers Squibb Company, USA

The use of technology to enhance education has been around for many years, but it is utilised to varying degrees around the world. Webinars and online meetings are popular in Latin America. Streaming technology provides a much wider audience to provide learning across India. In Europe and the US, the strategic focus in providing quality education will not change, but tactics around digital engagement, such as apps, patient simulation, AI, and other online education, will continue to mature. While some medical education companies are embracing the new focus on digital, others are waiting to see what happens, as utilisation of these technologies is not inexpensive. I will provide concrete examples of the current use of technology in CME, and with the increased reach of digital media, provide some of the outcomes that demonstrate the power to educate for a fairly inexpensive cost per learner.

I will explore questions that have been asked many times by key stakeholders and maybe even yourself, providing answers to questions such as:

1) How will increasing the use of digital technology enhance the level of engagement of physicians?
2) Will these technologies help to change behavior towards improved patient care?
3) What is the cost of live meetings as compared to digital initiatives, and
4) Just how is digital CME more cost effective?

So come learn about the current state of medical education in other parts of the world and the movement to provide quality medical education to HCP’s to improve patient health through digital technologies.
How to Foster the Academic-Private Partnership in Developing Technology for Education – A Perspective from an Academic Clinician
Kelvin Foong, Singapore

The Application of Digital Technology in Medical Education
Frank Voon, Singapore

Virtual Reality and Augmented Reality for Medical Training
Desmond Ng, Singapore

Capitalising on Opportunities for Developing Technological Resources for Learning: Lessons Learned
Kalyani Premkumar, Canada

HOW TO FOSTER THE ACADEMIC-PRIVATE PARTNERSHIP IN DEVELOPING TECHNOLOGY FOR EDUCATION – A PERSPECTIVE FROM AN ACADEMIC CLINICIAN
Kelvin Foong
Associate Professor, Faculty of Dentistry, National University of Singapore, National University Health System, Singapore

The basis for a healthy and thriving academic-private partnership is reciprocity. Because time and resources, both scarce and expensive, are most needed in developing educational technology, the partnership must be grounded on the principle of reciprocity. One perspective on cultivating the academic-private partnership is academic leadership, which in turn fosters a culture of cooperation where there is a willingness from both partners to commit and share expertise. Three examples of healthy academic-private partnerships in developing technology for education will be shared. These focus on how simple ideas of educational need grew into collaborative partnerships between the NUS Faculty of Dentistry and industry.

THE APPLICATION OF DIGITAL TECHNOLOGY IN MEDICAL EDUCATION
Frank Voon
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Advances in information technology can be applied towards enabling a better understanding of the spatial relationships of structures in the human body. One approach is for academics to combine knowledge of their field of specialisation with the technological expertise of industry and commercial partners. This was the way used in a project aimed at helping dental students attain a conceptual and confident mastery of the knowledge of relevant nerves, blood vessels, connective tissue and muscles that were located in a specific region of the oral cavity frequently used as a site for local anesthesia, with the used of augmented reality and 3-D technology.

VIRTUAL REALITY AND AUGMENTED REALITY FOR MEDICAL TRAINING
Desmond Ng
Director, Business Development, EON Reality, Singapore

Medical VR applications, such as augmented surgery, remote VR medical training, are becoming increasingly common worldwide. In Singapore, new techniques are being pioneered that go further to help provide non-invasive and completely safe learning outcomes without consequences if mistakes are made. The new VR and AR technologies today will enable trainees to experience realistic 3D medical scenarios, allowing digital feedback and overlay information to be integrated with existing medical images. In other words, trainees will be able to experience and practice fully immersive, on-the-spot decision-making scenarios.

CAPITALISING ON OPPORTUNITIES FOR DEVELOPING TECHNOLOGICAL RESOURCES FOR LEARNING: LESSONS LEARNED
Kalyani Premkumar
Professor, Department of Community Health and Epidemiology, College of Medicine, University of Saskatchewan, Canada

With the rapid advances in technology, there are ample, ongoing opportunities for the creation of innovative learning techniques by both faculty and students. In this presentation, Dr. Premkumar will share her experiences and lessons learned in partnering with national and international players, and the process involved in the creation of learning games, annotated video player, and OSCE software authored by her.
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INNOVATING MEDICAL EDUCATION

David Game
Digital Product Director, Education, Elsevier Ltd, United Kingdom

Creatively brainstorming solutions to critical challenges faced by faculty; building on insights from the recent medical education hackathon Elsevier Hacks @AMEE.
Where is Assessment Going? An Overview of Latest Developments and Future Directions in Assessment
Katharine Boursicot, Singapore

The Extended Mind - Knowledge Tests of the Future
Trudie Roberts, United Kingdom

Personalised Immersive Testing: The OSCE of the Future?
Katharine Boursicot, Singapore

A BAN on Big Testing: Behaviours, Adaptations and Nudges
Richard Fuller, United Kingdom

TECHNOLOGY IN ASSESSMENT: CONTEMPORARY BEST PRACTICES AND FUTURE DEVELOPMENTS TO ENHANCE EDUCATION FOR THE IMPROVEMENT OF PATIENT CARE

As advances and innovations in both technology and assessment are rapidly changing the landscape of health professional assessment, this symposium is designed to provide a perspective on contemporary best practices and give a preview of possible future directions.

WHERE IS ASSESSMENT GOING? AN OVERVIEW OF LATEST DEVELOPMENTS AND FUTURE DIRECTIONS IN ASSESSMENT
Katharine Boursicot
Director, Health Professional Assessment Consultancy, Singapore

This introductory presentation will set the scene for the symposium, with a summary overview of the most significant developments in assessment and related technology in the last 10 years, and a look at possible future directions using modern technology.

THE EXTENDED MIND - KNOWLEDGE TESTS OF THE FUTURE
Trudie Roberts
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In recent decades, an intriguing view of human cognition has been postulated. Accordingly, to this view, - ‘the hypothesis of extended cognition,’ human cognitive processing extends into the environment of a person. Clark and Chalmers put this hypothesis forward in a seminal publication in 1998. In this paper, the authors present the idea of active externalism in which objects within the environment function as a part of the mind. They argue that it is arbitrary to say that the mind is contained only within the boundaries of the skull.

Given the explosive increase in medical knowledge what should we expect medical students commit to memory ie within the skull and what information would we expect them to obtain from the Internet, say via a mobile phone?

These questions are important as they will shape our knowledge tests in the future and may mean that rather than preventing students taking their smart phones into assessments we actively promote this.

PERSONALISED IMMERSIVE TESTING: THE OSCE OF THE FUTURE?
Katharine Boursicot
Director, Health Professional Assessment Consultancy, Singapore

OSCEs have changed considerably since their first description over 40 years ago. The fundamental basis of a fair and objective test of clinical and communications remains, but there have been substantial changes to the design, implementation, scoring, examiner recruitment and training and methods of standard setting, as well as innovative technological enhancements, which bring OSCEs into the 21st century as a powerful assessment tool. With the development or VR and AR, the possibilities of individualised tests are becoming reality and these possibilities will be explored.
A BAN ON BIG TESTING: BEHAVIOURS, ADAPTATIONS AND NUDGES

Richard Fuller
Director, Medical Education Programmes, Leeds Institute of Medical Education, University of Leeds, United Kingdom

The rise of competency based education and growth in Health Professions Courses worldwide has led to a ‘massification’ of education and assessment. This has resulted in large scale, high stakes tests with a greater focus on psychometric rigour than learner feedback and development.

With the rise of more workplace and programmatic approaches to assessment, can we support learners more effectively? Can we provide more customised forms of assessment based on learner ability? Is the era of large scale ‘one size fits all’ testing coming to an end?

This concluding presentation within the symposium will focus on some of the emerging approaches to more customised, personalised assessment via sequential and adaptive testing. Using behaviour change models, the presentation will conclude with an exploration of educational nudges and the impact on ‘at risk’ learners and their assessment outcomes.
PANEL DISCUSSION 4 - MENTORING IN HEALTH PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION:
HOW TO APPROACH THE MILLENNIALS

Building Health Professional Students Through Multi-Model Mentoring
Tan Chay Hoon, Singapore

Building Empathy, Resilience and Professionalism in the Millennials
Jen-Hung Yang, Taiwan

Developing Resilience and Emotional Intelligence through Mentoring
Judy McKimm, United Kingdom

Mentoring, Reverse Mentoring and Collegial Conversations: Agile Strategies to Meet Changing Needs
Chinthaka Balasooriya, Australia

BUILDING HEALTH PROFESSIONAL STUDENTS THROUGH MULTI-MODEL MENTORING
Tan Chay Hoon
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Research has shown that those who have multiple mentors have received greatest benefits in their career and professional development. Mentors listen, advise, and make appropriate referral to appropriate specialist when needed. Mentoring is a multiple faceted role. Therefore, it is logical to have Multi-Model Mentoring.

In Medical School, we have endeavoured to provide mentors to medical students from the time they are accepted to medical school. School assign both pre-clinical and clinical faculty who have volunteered as mentors to take care of the newly enrolled students in a formal way. Student affair too provide mentoring guidance. On the other hand, there are countless willing faculty, who mentor students when the latter initiate, seek for advice and guidance. The students are able to bring up their personal fear and frustrations, to discuss with mentors academic challenges as well as professional development. This informal mentoring see the students grow over the years. Many students are able to actively seek the counsel of more than one mentor at various part of their educational journey.

Through the multi-model mentoring structure, many of our students progress happily and continue to maintain mentor-mentee relationship over years.

BUILDING EMPATHY, RESILIENCE AND PROFESSIONALISM IN THE MILLENNIALS
Jen-Hung Yang
Dean, Tzu Chi University (TCU) College of Medicine, and Professor, Department of Dermatology, TCU School of Medicine, Tzu Chi University, Taiwan

Traditionally, medical students and physicians are trained to be knowledgeable, dutiful, altruistic, and are accustomed to exonerating personal and family time in service to patients. Medical students to junior doctor are highly stressful, and could lead to burnout because of poor stress management skills. The prevalence of physician burnout was 38%-60%, and was significantly higher than the general population (27%) in USA, and burnout prevalence was 42.9% from a survey in Taiwan. Burnout has been known as an important risk factor in patient safety, and the patients might suffer serious medical errors. Empathy is the ability to understand and share the feelings of another, and informal and hidden curriculum is more effective to learn from, e.g., experiential service learning and the Silent Mentor Program of Tzu Chi University (TCU). Resilience is the ability to adapt to and bounce back from the stress of the training and/or clinical environment. An appeal of self-care, mindfulness, and relationships are primary factors to build physician's resiliency. Appreciative inquiry is an example to construct positivity culture in our institution, and is of value to build resilience to cope with stress and to balance quality of work (patient care) and life (self-care). I will share our experiences on silent mentor program, reflective writing, and appreciative inquiry to provide insights into the longitudinal development of professional identity and professionalism.
DEVELOPING RESILIENCE AND EMOTIONAL INTELLIGENCE THROUGH MENTORING

Judy McKimm
Professor of Medical Education and Director of Strategic Educational Development, Swansea University Medical School, United Kingdom

Whilst much has been written about the need for health professionals to have good coping strategies to handle the emotional labour of working in busy, often under-resourced health services, relatively little attention has been paid to the role of the mentor or supervisor in helping to nurture resilience and emotional intelligence in their mentees. This presentation will draw from the leadership and other literature to highlight models and strategies that mentors can adopt to support the health professionals and students with whom they are working.

MENTORING, REVERSE MENTORING AND COLLEGIAL CONVERSATIONS: AGILE STRATEGIES TO MEET CHANGING NEEDS

Chinthaka Balasooriya
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We live in exciting times which pose new and exciting challenges. To remain relevant in a rapidly changing world, education needs to adapt quickly and embrace new thinking. We have boldly re-imagined learning and teaching; mentoring deserves some re-imagining too.

Traditional mentoring, where a senior executive advises a junior staff member, with the intention of guiding them to succeed in their careers, still has an important role to play. Recent reports however suggest that there is a need for a wider range of strategies that can cater to the needs of the next generation. This is driven in part by the changing preferences of our younger colleagues and in part by the changing values and beliefs of a global community. Questioning traditional hierarchies and the assumptions that underlie them, is an example of change in values that drives such change. As we let go of assumptions linked to hierarchies, we allow ourselves to embrace a new range of mentoring strategies. These include reverse-mentoring, where relatively junior colleagues are encouraged to lead mentoring conversations in their areas of expertise, and collegial conversations, where peers exchange feedback with no perceived hierarchy.

We will explore these ideas in more detail and engage in a collegial discussion that will broaden our perspectives on mentoring.
SYMPOSIUM 3 - USING NEW TECHNOLOGIES IN BIOMEDICAL SCIENCE TEACHING

Applying MOOC Technology in Biomedical Science Education
Peter GM de Jong, The Netherlands

The Use of Novel Technologies to Enhance Student Assessment
Neil Osheroff, USA

The Role of Technology in Active Learning
Sandy Cook, Singapore

USING NEW TECHNOLOGIES IN BIOMEDICAL SCIENCE TEACHING

The last decade the role of new educational technologies in medical education has increased. New teaching methodologies and online materials bring new opportunities for educators to use high quality teaching materials and techniques in their own classroom teaching. In this symposium an international panel of presenters will address current developments in educational technologies in teaching the biomedical sciences. Short presentations will be followed by a general discussion with the audience.

APPLYING MOOC TECHNOLOGY IN BIOMEDICAL SCIENCE EDUCATION

Peter GM de Jong
Staff Adviser and Assistant Professor, Technology Enhanced Learning, Leiden University Medical Center, The Netherlands

Nowadays, more and more course materials and training programs are offered and shared online. One of the latest technical innovations in medical education is the Massive Open Online Course (MOOC). MOOCs are a new way of delivering interactive online learning activities providing free access to academic courses for an unlimited number of participants worldwide. Learners can study the content at their own pace with interactive learning materials and asynchronous online forums with international peers. Within medicine, the number of MOOCs worldwide has markedly increased in the last few years. In this presentation an overview will be provided of the current MOOC technology and the opportunities for teaching the biomedical sciences.

THE USE OF NOVEL TECHNOLOGIES TO ENHANCE STUDENT ASSESSMENT

Neil Osheroff
Professor, Vanderbilt University School of Medicine, USA

Because clinicians require skills and attitudes beyond medical knowledge, many medical schools are moving to the use of competency-based assessments. In these systems, students are assessed in domains that include knowledge, behavior, and communication skills. Although the use of competency-based milestones provides students with rich and holistic feedback, it requires considerable logistical support in order to catalog a myriad of quantitative and qualitative data. Thus, the use of computer-based systems to accumulate and monitor assessment data greatly enhances the ability to use competency-based strategies. This presentation will describe how resources that currently are being used in the Vanderbilt University School of Medicine and enhance student assessment.

THE ROLE OF TECHNOLOGY IN ACTIVE LEARNING

Sandy Cook
Professor, Senior Associate Dean, Deputy Head, Office of Education, Duke-NUS Medical School, Singapore

More and more educators are trying to move to a more engaged and active learning environment. However, the logistics of coordinating and running such activities can sometimes overwhelm a teacher, making the process less attractive or feasible. In this presentation, I will review the various technologies that Duke-NUS has used to facilitate the implementation one type of active learning (Team-based Learning (TBL)), that can be also used in other active learning strategies.
SYMPOSIUM 4 - DEVELOPMENT OF NATIONAL STANDARDS AND CORE CLINICAL TRAINING CURRICULUM FOR MEDICAL SCHOOLS IN SINGAPORE

Developing the National Medical School Standards for Singapore
Koh Dow Rhoon, Singapore

Developing a National Core Clinical Training Curriculum for Medical Schools – The Burning Platform
Mabel Yap, Singapore

A Medical School’s Perspective on the Development of the National Medical School Standards
Lau Tang Ching, Singapore

The Importance of Education Standards, Quality Assurance and Quality Improvement - Local and International Perspectives
Ian Curran, Singapore

Standards for Medical Education in Singapore: An Opportunity to Enhance Collaboration and Promote Excellence
Naomi Low-Beer, Singapore

Setting Standards for Medical Schools Programs for Quality Assurance and Quality Improvement
Theanne Walters, Australia

DEVELOPMENT OF NATIONAL STANDARDS AND CORE CLINICAL TRAINING CURRICULUM FOR MEDICAL SCHOOLS IN SINGAPORE

Singapore has three medical schools which are distinctly different from each other due to their affiliation and pedagogies. While diversity is valued, a set of national standards is needed to ensure alignment with healthcare needs and international best practices. There is also a need for a common set of clinical training curriculum to guide schools and training institutions on the core skills and knowledge students would require to meet Singapore’s evolving healthcare needs. The aim of this symposium is to provide various perspectives on the development of a set of national standards for medical schools in Singapore as well as the core clinical training curriculum - the processes involved, the challenges faced, and the lessons learnt.

DEVELOPING THE NATIONAL MEDICAL SCHOOL STANDARDS FOR SINGAPORE

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The primary purpose of Singapore’s three medical schools is to nurture fit-for-purpose doctors for Singapore. By design, the three medical schools have different aspirations and philosophies with distinctive design and delivery of their respective education programmes. While we embrace diversity, it is imperative for the schools to fulfil a core set of educational standards to ensure quality medical education is delivered. The development of the National Medical School Standards for Singapore is in-line with international practices, and it sets the broad parameters for the schools’ mission and objectives, curriculum and assessment, student, staff, and programme management, as well as its educational resources and governance, within which the schools could design their own educational initiatives. This presentation discusses the broad implications to the management of medical schools in Singapore, and the areas still to be addressed in the implementation.

DEVELOPING A NATIONAL CORE CLINICAL TRAINING CURRICULUM FOR MEDICAL SCHOOLS – THE BURNING PLATFORM

Mabel Yap
Director, Professional Training and Assessment Standards Division, Ministry of Health, Singapore

To meet the future challenges in our healthcare landscape and the changing model of healthcare, a set of core clinical training curriculum has been developed to guide medical schools on the development of key training outcomes and educational programmes to ensure that our students are equipped with the right skills to meet Singapore’s evolving healthcare needs. The focus areas would include health promotion and disease prevention, provision of appropriate cost-effective care throughout the healthcare continuum and care for the elderly patient. The core curriculum prepares medical students for postgraduate year 1 and residency training. This presentation covers the framework and processes used to develop the core curriculum by all the stakeholders.
A MEDICAL SCHOOL’S PERSPECTIVE ON THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE NATIONAL MEDICAL SCHOOL STANDARDS

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Achieving the National Medical Schools Standard (NMSS) should be a meaningful and enjoyable process. After all, medical schools and NMSS are aligned in their purpose to deliver quality healthcare professionals to serve the needs of the country. The processes and delivery of quality education in medical schools should be imbued with the ideals of the NMSS such that achieving these ideals becomes natural. The medical schools were in existence before the NMSS. Therefore, effective communication and relationship building amongst the stakeholders will ensure the alignment of purpose and collaboration for success during the formative stage of the framework and standards. At the same time, standards are yardsticks to measure the attainment of “acceptable quality”. In a world where resources are precious commodities, we have to go beyond standards, and consistently improve by sharing, learning and improving together, so that we can have better value in our quality education.

THE IMPORTANCE OF EDUCATION STANDARDS, QUALITY ASSURANCE AND QUALITY IMPROVEMENT - LOCAL AND INTERNATIONAL PERSPECTIVES

Ian Curran
Vice Dean, Education and Co-Director of Academic Medicine Education Institute (AM.EI), Duke-NUS Medical School, Singapore

Prof Curran will explore how Duke-NUS Medical School supports the new national standards for medical schools and clinical training to promote and encourage the highest quality medical education and training in Singapore. Drawing on his experience at the UK medical professional regulator, the General Medical Council, Prof Curran will make some general observations about the challenges and opportunities when developing or revising national education standards. He will explore how in his new role as Vice Dean for Education, the revision of the Duke-NUS curriculum presents an interesting case study to explore and test the new standards and strategic objectives in practice. The new standards will be deemed successful if they enable Singapore’s medical schools to train high quality doctors that meet the current and future needs of Singapore, and if they allow an innovative and progressive culture of educational innovation and excellence to develop across Singapore’s healthcare system. Duke-NUS Medical School seeks to play its part in this ambitious and important policy initiative.

STANDARDS FOR MEDICAL EDUCATION IN SINGAPORE: AN OPPORTUNITY TO ENHANCE COLLABORATION AND PROMOTE EXCELLENCE

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The Lee Kong Chian School of Medicine (LKCMedicine) is Singapore’s newest medical school. Its first cohort of students will graduate this year, receiving a degree awarded jointly by its parent universities, Imperial College London and Nanyang Technological University (NTU), Singapore. Rather than a ‘lift and shift’ of the Imperial MBBS programme, all aspects of LKCMedicine’s programme – admissions, curriculum, pedagogy, assessment, evaluation and student welfare – were developed bespoke through collaboration between teams in Singapore and in London. In this talk I will describe the challenges and opportunities afforded by development and delivery of the LKCMedicine MBBS programme, with a focus on meeting the necessary academic and regulatory standards, ensuring a distinctive and relevant curriculum, and providing learning outcomes that prepare doctors for the future practice of medicine. The advent of national medical school standards and core clinical training curriculum provide an important opportunity to strengthen the collaboration between Singapore’s medical schools, to enhance medical training nationally and to provide a framework for excellence in medical education that should have an impact locally, regionally and internationally.

SETTING STANDARDS FOR MEDICAL SCHOOLS PROGRAMS FOR QUALITY ASSURANCE AND QUALITY IMPROVEMENT

Theanne Walters
Deputy Chief Executive Officer, Australian Medical Council, Australia

The Australian Medical Council is the national standards and accreditation authority for medical programs in Australia, and collaborates the Medical Council of New Zealand to apply its standards to New Zealand medical programs.

The AMC works in a national system of accreditation and regulation that has both quality assurance objectives (protecting the public by ensuring that only practitioners who are suitably trained and qualified to practise in a competent and ethical manner are registered) and quality improvement objectives (enabling innovation in the education of health practitioners and the development of a flexible, responsive and sustainable health workforce).

This presentation will outline how the AMC sets and applies standards to manage the tension between setting minimum requirements that remain up to date and satisfy quality assurance objectives, and encouraging and facilitating diversity and innovation.
PANEL DISCUSSION 5 - INTERPROFESSIONAL EDUCATION FOR THE FUTURE

Incorporating IPE in an Academic Medical Centre
Lim Boon Leng, Singapore

Preparing Nurses for Future Interprofessional Collaborative Practice: Tips and Pitfalls
Serena Koh, Singapore

Findings and Cultural Characteristic of IPE in Japan - Experience from Japan and Asia
Junji Haruta, Japan

Incorporating IPE Strategies in Health Professional Education: Lessons Learnt from the Indonesia Experience
Ardi Findyartini, Indonesia

INCORPORATING IPE IN AN ACADEMIC MEDICAL CENTRE
Lim Boon Leng
Deputy Group Director, Education (Graduate), SingHealth, Designated Institutional Official, SingHealth Residency, Singapore
Health Serves Pte Ltd, Singapore

A strong team of physicians, nurses, pharmacists, and allied health professionals is akin to a well-orchestrated symphony performed by competent musicians in harmony. The care continuum for patients, likewise should be aligned to defined clinical pathways, which are comprehensive and systematic, to enable best health outcomes. In Singapore, most of the health organisations are Academic Medical Centres (AMCs) stepping into maturity. As AMCs mature, it is important to discourage practices in silos, and establish interprofessional teams around patient-centric care, as well as care pathways of high volume, complexity and impact. With the new model of collaborative care, it is also essential for different health professionals to learn together (IPE), to attain excellence in medicine and patient care.

PREPARING NURSES FOR FUTURE INTERPROFESSIONAL COLLABORATIVE PRACTICE: TIPS AND PITFALLS
Serena Koh
Associate Professor, Alice Lee Centre for Nursing Studies, Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine, National University of Singapore, National University Health System, Singapore

The presentation in the Moderated Panel Discussion will provide a broad overview of the interprofessional education (IPE) Curriculum, which comprises Interprofessional Core Curriculum (ICC) and Interprofessional Enrichment Activity (IEA). The curriculum is designed around the six core competencies such as Roles & Responsibilities, Communication, Patient, Family & Community Focus, Learning & Reflection, Ethical Practice and Teamwork. The different (IPE) programmes for NUS Nursing which includes Effective Communication, Patient Safety, Joint Ethics on Principle of Respect, Consolidated Clinical Simulation Practice and Advanced Cardiac Life Support will be shared. The Patient Safety Workshop will be highlighted as an example of an ICC developed for Medical, Nursing and Pharmacy students and insights into the development, implementation as well as challenges will be shared.

FINDINGS AND CULTURAL CHARACTERISTIC OF IPE IN JAPAN - EXPERIENCE FROM JAPAN AND ASIA
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In Japan, Interprofessional Education (IPE) and collaboration (IPC) are needed to cope with the rapid aging of the population. We developed an Interprofessional Competency Framework based on IPE and clarified the findings of IPE and IPC in the Japanese context. Therefore, we shared knowledge about the research and emerging cultural characteristic served in Asian countries.

First, we developed the interprofessional competency framework in Japan in 2016. Our competency framework included two core domains of “Patient-/Client-/Family-/Community-centered” and “Interprofessional Communication”, and four peripheral domains of “Role Contribution”, “Facilitation of Relationships”, “Reflection” and “Understanding of Others”. It is clarified that each healthcare professional should focus on the roles and functions of their profession as domains of “Role Contribution” and “Understanding of Others”. Moreover, we had to recognize the difference between “interprofessional collaboration” and “team as group cohesiveness” deliberately.
Second, we created the Interprofessional Facilitation Scale (IPFS) which we translated into Japanese. The original factor “Encouraging interprofessional interaction” was divided into two factors. Through this result, we found that most Japanese might understand that “facilitation” encourages relationships as contextual belonging that is distinct from relationships based on respect for others.

Third, we explored the doctor socialisation in Japan. This study indicated that doctors integrated personal role and identity into organisation or/and professional group. Through the socialisation, they adapted as a member of the hospital doctors or professional group, and they tended to participate in the organisation fully when they regarded their speciality as clear as “an extremely, public persona”.

These findings indicated that we might unconsciously define the interests of the group as our own professional interests and place the group’s needs above their own. When the rules of communication in a group would be primarily transmitted using contextual elements, we frequently would not explicitly state. This mindset is likely based on the notion of “relationalism” and “high-context”. Considering these cultural characteristic, individuals in our culture come to intentionally understand the concepts, performance, emotions, and values of other professionals. Additionally, we should be explicit regarding professional and interprofessional roles but also own cultural context comparing to Western countries.

Finally, IPE and IPC in Japan is likely to affect the “high-context” and “relationalism” taken root in the healthcare organisation. Japan could be identified as within the Confucian Asia cluster. Therefore, these findings might be helpful for other Asian countries developing IPE and IPC.

**INCORPORATING IPE STRATEGIES IN HEALTH PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION: LESSONS LEARNT FROM THE INDONESIA EXPERIENCE**

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Interprofessional Education (IPE) has been considered as an important strategy to enable health professions students to learn and develop commitment to collaborate for better Interprofessional Collaborative Care (IPC) in the future. Interprofessional collaboration in healthcare cannot be initiated later once the health professional graduates come into workplace. Ability to work in the interprofessional team and to collaborate in fulfilling the aim of healthcare indeed requires multiple competencies on the health system, competence and authority of health professionals, ethical practice, interprofessional communication, self-reflection and teamwork. Therefore, IPE should incorporate the building blocks of knowledge, skills and attitude in the relevant areas and enable health professions students to learn with and for each other early in their academic life as well as in the workplace.

The philosophy and basic principles of IPE has been implemented in the formal curricula of some medical and health professions education in Indonesia. Success stories in the implementation are supported by students’ and faculties’ satisfaction and evidence on the learning results. Further challenges in the Interprofessional Education in Indonesia centralised in the needs to provide good Interprofessional Collaborative Care role model in practice both in hospital and community settings. The Ministry of Health and Ministry of Research and Higher Education have been supporting the Interprofessional Collaborative Care and the Interprofessional Education initiatives strongly. This support shows a great political will which is necessary in the IPE implementation in various settings in Indonesia. Some studies highlighting the success as well as the challenges of the implementation of Interprofessional Education in Indonesia setting and future direction will be highlighted in this talk. In addition, another key challenge in the IPE implementation is the different sociocultural aspects of individuals, groups and professions involved in the program. Learning with and for each other requires deep understanding of how health professions students and practitioners perceive each other professions’ roles and responsibilities. Finally, IPE implementation in Indonesia should strengthen future evidence by evaluating the translation of IPE competencies into practice. This effort has to still realize the richness of sociocultural contexts in IPE implementation in Indonesia as well as great variations in leadership, faculty readiness and competences and facilities across health professions education schools in Indonesia.
Ronald M Harden  
**Professor of Medical Education (Emeritus), University of Dundee; and General Secretary and Treasurer, Association for Medical Education in Europe (AMEE), United Kingdom**

Previous APMECs addressed important issues relating to curriculum planning, teaching and learning methods, approaches to assessment and teachers in the context of a medical school. The 15th APMEC explores the key aim of medical education – to improve patient care – and looks at how technology can help. This is an exciting and important time to examine in the context of patient care the transformative role of technology and learning. The intelligent use of technology allows us not just to do better what we were already doing but to challenge our current approach to education.

To appreciate this, we need to look at the continuum of education from undergraduate through postgraduate to continuing or lifelong education and how technology can contribute to the curriculum of the future. The multifaceted aspects of this challenge include:

- The use of technology to deliver an authentic curriculum where students learn in the context of the practice of medicine using virtual patients, virtual reality, augmented reality, gamification, learning analytics and other technologies.
- A move from “just-in-case” learning, where students are overwhelmed with information about more than 60,000 possible medical diagnoses and 6000 practical procedures, to “just-in-time” learning or “on-the-job” learning, where as a doctor they practice as a doctor with performance support tools, acquiring information as they need it. Students are provided with core information and are taught how to ask a question, how to access sources of information and how to evaluate the answers they receive.
- A collaborative approach to education involving all of the stakeholders, including teachers, educationalists, educational technologists, students and, importantly, patients. Students and patients should be partners in the process.
- A recognition that the role of the teacher changes from an information provider where they are the conduit or transmitter of information to one where they are a curator of information and an information coach developing in the student a digital literacy. The role of the teacher also changes from an emphasis on information provider to one of a facilitator of learning.
- The need to train students who are master adaptive learners.

The transformative application of technology to education will move education from the “Ivory Tower” to the “Real World” and is likely to benefit patient care.
SIG 1: ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE, ROBOTICS AND THE CHALLENGES OF ADAPTING HEALTH PROFESSIONS EDUCATION

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Everywhere we look, dramatic shifts in technology are changing the way we conduct our lives. Banking and buying are on line. We enter a concert, a movie or board a flight with a barcoded piece of paper printed at home. Inside our clinics and operating rooms, robotics and systems that employ artificial intelligence are augmenting, and in some cases will one day replace, the work of human health professionals. The word often used to describe this changing landscape is “disruption”.

Despite this, health professions education is proving very slow in preparing for the changes ahead. Though ripe for their own disruption, education models seem oddly resistant to change. Yet our students will be practicing in 2050 and need an education to prepare for what will be a very different workplace. Professional scopes of practice are going to change significantly and some professions may be reconfigured or made obsolete. It is time to take a hard look at what aspects of health care should remain firmly in the heads, hands and hearts of human health professionals.

SIG 2: THE FUTURE ROLE OF ONLINE LEARNING IN BIOMEDICAL SCIENCE EDUCATION

Peter GM de Jong
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The number of available online learning opportunities is increasing rapidly. Following the text and lecture based online learning materials such as Massive Open Online Courses, new technologies like virtual and augmented reality and 360 degree interactive video are being introduced in biomedical science education. These new technologies provide opportunities for students to engage in unique learning experiences which were not available before. The session will discuss some recent examples of these technologies and will explore its value for the future.
TECHNOLOGY AND STUDENTS: YEA OR NAY? - A STUDENT'S PERSPECTIVE

Norman Lin
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Educators around the world are increasingly tapping into the power of technology to augment students' learning. In recent years, many universities around the world have initiated new educational programmes like mobile learning and virtual reality to improve teaching, engagement and efficacy. However, what does it mean to be a student on the receiving end? Do the digital natives necessarily benefit from technology? Hear from a student about what technology means to him and how learners can be better involved in the design and implementation of educational technology.

RESIDENCY - A SINGAPOREAN PERSPECTIVE

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In 2010, Singapore adopted an American-based Residency system. This has met with considerable controversy since it started, with many raising the concern that medical students were being pushed into sub-specialty training too early on in their careers. My presentation centres around my own journey as a resident in Internal Medicine, and how it shaped my views towards medical training of the future. First, I will talk about key aspects of an effective Residency Program. Next, I will provide a perspective on the value of generalist-driven care, and how it can meet the changing healthcare needs of an ageing population. Finally, I will conclude with an exhortation to inspire this generation of doctors to practice medicine with compassion.
AI (ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE) AND COLLABORATIVIST LEARNING FOR MEDICAL EDUCATION

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Medical educators today stand at the forefront of human destiny in many profound ways. Both the field of medicine and of education are facing immense disruptions by the rapid advance of Artificial Intelligence (AI), which seeks to automate and replace the human educator and reduce learning to the simple repetition of content. Augmented Human Intelligence (AHI) technologies and pedagogies, on the other hand, seek to advance and augment human cognitive ability rather than replace it. Educators have the historical role of promoting human intelligence. Today we need to be able to understand and choose between two opposing technological and intellectual trends: one which replaces human intelligence, the second which advances it.

This keynote introduces Medical Educators to the two trends, AI and AHI, and the implications of each. AI is being developed with immense investment by companies such as Facebook and Google, to automate instruction; the educator is replaced by a proprietary software algorithm that transmits content and generates and auto-corrects quizzes. This approach is evident in such AI-based technologies and pedagogies as MOOCs, courseware, Personalized Learning Systems, and Adaptive Learning Systems. The human educator is replaced by AI.

The second trend, AHI is characterised by technologies and pedagogies that promote collaboration and knowledge building through such pedagogical approaches as peer discussion, argumentation, and team projects, rather than transmission/repetition of a “correct answer”. The AHI approach is to develop technologies and pedagogies that augment but not replace human thinking. The value and need of such an approach in medical education, and education in general, is far-reaching.

A LEARNER’S EXPERIENCE DOES NOT MEAN LEARNING EFFECTIVENESS: LESSONS FROM THE LEARNING SCIENCES

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We often assume that the job of teachers (and education technology) is to make learning easy and fun for the learner. We believe that asking our students how well they learned using a particular pedagogical approach; how satisfied they are with their lessons or how happy they are with their instructor is directly related to how well they learned. In fact, we often rely heavily on our student’s judgements about our faculty and our pedagogical approaches in making important decisions, such as faculty promotion or curriculum/pedagogical development.

“Make the technology do the hard work, so that learners can learn more!” is a common mantra. We assume that our new generation of “digital native” learners not only prefer learning using technology but they also learn better that way.

In this talk I will present some interesting and sometimes counter-intuitive research findings from the science of learning.
PANEL DISCUSSION 6 - GAMIFICATION IN HIGHER EDUCATION - USEFULNESS AND IMPACT ON LEARNING AND PRACTICE

Should Learning be Fun?
Scott Stevens, USA

Trials and Tribulations of Developing Gamifications for Medical Students
Alfred Kow, Singapore

Gaming and Learning - Learning to Game or Gaming to Learn
Hoon Heh, P.R. China

SHOULD LEARNING BE FUN?
Scott Stevens
Professor, Entertainment Technology Center, Carnegie Mellon University, USA

Marshall McLuhan claimed, “Anyone who tries to make a distinction between education and entertainment doesn’t know the first thing about either.”

Today’s technology that will “transform” education is gamification. However, simply overlaying a game on educational content is seldom very effective. Educational games that have been designed based on theories of learning and fun go back to the early 1980s. As William Butler Yeats said, “Education is not filling a bucket, but lighting a fire.” This talk will give a brief overview of the game design pillars that create engaging, challenging, fun environments and enable deep learning, experiences that will ‘light a fire’ in students.

TRIALS AND TRIBULATIONS OF DEVELOPING GAMIFICATIONS FOR MEDICAL STUDENTS
Alfred Kow
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Serious games is a well-established tool in education of technical related arenas. Areas such as airplane simulation training has seen the great ability in driving innovative learning behavior among trainee pilots to learn in a safe environment until competency is achieved. On a similar note, this can also be used in medical training for both the undergraduate and postgraduate medical education.

Key concepts of using gaming in medical educations include – portability, reproducibility and mobile – games can be created on large machine using simulators or small mobile devices such as IPAD or mobile phone to allow easy connectivity and big group experience concurrently.

We have created Ipad games to teach concepts of patient safety through gaming. It was shown to increase the understanding of patient safety concepts among undergraduate medical students.

The crucial step to start identifying if gaming a possible pedagogy to enhance teaching and learning is by careful analysis of existing curriculum and identifying gaps that may potential b filled using new educational methods. In this case, gaming can be an alternative. It has been shown that students learn better by taking tests, i.e. embedding questions in games, we can actually evaluate the ability of the students applying concepts that have been taught in conventional classrooms. It is important to recognize that not all modules or learning encounters can be achieved using gaming methods.

One of the key challenges is renewal of game modules. Novelty of the games will be important to keep learners interested. Students who experience the game at later modules compared to those who did earlier may already know the contents and will try to “game” the game scores. Leakage of contents will spoil the novelty for the subsequent students. However, as long as the game scores are not used in a formative manner, this issue will be less of a concern in the larger picture. Ultimately, as long as the students have learnt the concepts well and applied them, the objectives have been achieved.

Gaming is an exciting avenue to make learning fun and interactive. Educators who are keen to explore this must put in careful planning to ensure that it fits the overall educational pedagogy. It is a journey that is enjoyable and worth exploring.

GAMING AND LEARNING - LEARNING TO GAME OR GAMING TO LEARN
Hoon Heh
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Everyone love to play games; computer games, board games, sport games, card games, all types of games. Not everyone love to learn, pre-school, K1-K12, higher learning, and even corporate learning. Why is that so? Understand the traits and touch points behind the brain enjoying games will pave us some interesting directions how these reactions can be used in the learning environment.
CME/CPD Learning Insights from Around the Globe
Lisa Sullivan, Australia

Disruptive Innovations in CME, Helped by IT. Examples from Latin America
Alvaro Margolis, Uruguay

Seven Strategies to Elevate and Enhance the Virtual Classroom Experience
Sherlyn B. Celone-Arnold, USA

Future of Virtual Reality in Healthcare and Educating Healthcare Professionals
Dale Robert Kummerle, USA

INNOVATION IN EDUCATION TECHNOLOGY: INSIGHTS FROM GLOBAL LEADERS IN CME, CPD, AND PATIENT ENGAGEMENT

Ms. Lisa Sullivan (Moderator) will open the panel discussion and set the stage for the faculty and participants to reflect on what innovation in education means to them. We will review a series of video clips from thought leaders around the globe as they present innovative solutions that are designed to impact CME, CPD and patient engagement. The panelists will then talk about their experiences in Disruptive Innovations, Use of New Learning Technologies and Formats from Virtual Classrooms, to Virtual and Augmented Reality solutions that use artificial intelligence and engage learners in 3-D educational experiences. Each panelist will share his/her experiences and practical strategies or key points to ponder if learners wish to leverage these technologies in their educational program. Time will be allocated for the audience to ask questions of the panelists throughout the session.

CME/CPD LEARNING INSIGHTS FROM AROUND THE GLOBE
Lisa Sullivan
Immediate Past President, Global Alliance for Medical Education (GAME), Australia

A video presentation will set the stage as we review innovative learning technologies and how they are being used to optimise educational impact, learner engagement, clinical performance and patient experiences. Leaders from the US, Europe, South America and Asia will present innovative tools and applications being used in training and clinical practice settings to improve team-based care, shared decision-making and patient engagement. The panelists will have had experience working or collaborating with the solutions being presented and can discuss ways in which they have integrated select solutions into their CME/CPD learning programs.

DISRUPTIVE INNOVATIONS IN CME, HELPED BY IT. EXAMPLES FROM LATIN AMERICA
Alvaro Margolis
President and CEO, EviMed., Uruguay

Latin America is a diverse region with one million physicians, living in over 20 middle-income countries, who speak Spanish and Portuguese.

Some global trends in CME, such as the increasing use of the Internet, the need for accountability through recertification and the change in sources of funding with a decrease from commercial sponsors, allow for disruptive innovations in the educational and funding models, through international interactive online CME.

An introductory analysis of the topic will be done, to foster interaction among panelists and with the audience, and discuss transfer issues to other regions, including Asia and globally.
SEVEN STRATEGIES TO ELEVATE AND ENHANCE THE VIRTUAL CLASSROOM EXPERIENCE

**Sherlyn B. Celone-Arnold**  
Founder and CEO, Integrated Learning Partners, LLC., USA

Over the past 15-years, there has been a significant decrease in traditional classroom didactic presentations. The larger the institution, the less likely that it is continuing to rely on this face-to-face delivery method for training healthcare provider teams. Training has increasingly moved online and is becoming more mobile. In some industries, almost 32% of training is now delivered using blended learning techniques while about 26% of training is delivered completely online, including virtual, instructor-led training. In this session, expert faculty will discuss how to use web conference platforms to reduce training time and travel costs, and how you can optimize virtual classrooms efficiently and effectively with modest budgets both for institutions and external CME/CPD.

If you want to lead virtual training sessions that participants clamor to attend, then join us to explore the design techniques used by the best virtual facilitators. You will learn to capitalise on the visual strengths of web conferencing, rethink interactive participation, increase collaboration, and captivate with a good story.

FUTURE OF VIRTUAL REALITY IN HEALTHCARE AND EDUCATING HEALTHCARE PROFESSIONALS

**Dale Robert Kummerle**  
Director of Medical Education, Bristol-Myers Squibb Company, USA

As the adaptation of virtual reality (VR) and augmented reality (AR) continues to unfold, it could prove to be a godsend for the healthcare industry. VR could be the link that connects the massive amount of data with the evolution of artificial intelligence, sensors, bio-feedback and increased computing power.

In some educational programs, VR and AR experiences allow learners to speak in natural language to avatars in the virtual world and have them reply in kind. In this segment, you will learn how VR and AR are being used in CME/PCD and the data that is being collected to measure outcomes. Some examples of VR solutions also assist nurses at the point of care to manage healthcare decision-making.

BMS’ Global Independent Medical Education team is exploring solutions that leverage IBM Watson technology with cloud-based learning to provide extraordinary results.
TEACHING FAMILY MEDICINE: CHALLENGES OF COMPETENCIES AND COMPLEXITIES

Family Medicine (FM) has at its core, the tenets of patient care which is personal, primary, preventive, comprehensive, continuing and coordinated. The three local medical schools in Singapore faced challenges in teaching Family Medicine in the following:

1. Embedding the competencies into the Entrustable Professional Activities, which are more complex to apply in FM curriculum than procedures such as in surgery.
2. Balancing clinical content in depth versus the breadth of diagnostic and management skills required to be a quality FM practitioner.
3. Knowing the rare diseases versus the presentations of common problems, the masquerades and common things common.
4. Teaching students doing their FM terms when they vary in their clinical exposures.
5. What to teach in the Department of FM vs the GP placements in e.g. polyclinics, private GPs and community hospitals.

Having identified the complexities, we use technology to deliver our curriculum to have more self-directed learning, online case discussions, standardising what is learnt in the various clinical placements, connecting up the curriculum and facilitating students to find their own gaps in knowledge.

This symposium will highlight the solutions used in the 3 local medical schools to deal with the competencies and complexities of FM teaching and how the schools help the students to learn Family Medicine more effectively and efficiently so that they are able to complete EPAs.

TEACHING PATIENT CENTEREDNESS IN THE CONTEXT OF FAMILY MEDICINE

Lee Kheng Hock
Associate Professor, Duke-NUS Medical School, Singapore

Patient centeredness is a universal virtue in medicine that is shared across disciplines. In family medicine, it is a core concept and we seek to teach this in our family medicine clerkship through a modular course. The objective of the module is to help students appreciate the illness experience from the perspective of the patient and their care-givers. Each student is assigned 2 patients with chronic illnesses that are complex and requires long term follow up. The students clerk the patients in the hospital, perform home visits and follow them up over a period of one academic year. Each student keeps an on-line electronic journal of the experience which is shared with a team of peers and a faculty member. Interaction and sharing of experiences is achieved through peer group discussions.

THE FM VIDEO PROJECT: THE FAMILY MEDICINE PERSPECTIVE THROUGH THE LENS OF THE MEDICAL STUDENT

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What is it about family medicine and the role of the family physician that differentiates it from other specialties? We posed this as a question to our students. In addition to facilitated observations and reflections of their experience at family medicine placements, we added the challenge of scripting shooting, and then screening what they learnt using digital-videos. The FM project videos celebrate what we most treasure in family medicine. We share our experience in this presentation.
WORKPLACE–BASED ASSESSMENT (WBAs) IN THE FAMILY MEDICINE SETTING

Wong Teck Yee
Family Physician, Senior Consultant, Dept of Continuing and Community Care, Tan Tock Seng Hospital; and Associate Professor and Assistant Dean (Year 4 & Family Medicine), Lee Kong Chian School of Medicine (LKCMedicine), Nanyang Technological University, Singapore

In LKCMedicine, Family Medicine is a rotation in Year 4 involving attachment to both polyclinics and private FM practitioners. Due to the multiple community-based locations of students, a mobile solution was conceived to support the tracking of student progress with regards to WBA’s. Students are expected to complete the following WBA’s: mini-CEX, direct observed procedures (DOPS) and multi-source feedback (MSF) during their FM rotation. To meet these diverse geographic and progress challenges, LKCMedicine students are all issued iPads which features a customized iFolio app specifically developed to ensure ‘on-the-spot’ completion and recording of all WBAs performed. This has the advantage of minimizing paperwork for the administrative staff, while also providing immediate and timely feedback to the posting Leads on the progress of their students’ WBA.
Required Resources for Learning: An Australasian Perspective
Pete Ellis, New Zealand

Educational Resources for Medical Education in Japan: Strengths and Weaknesses
Yasuyuki Suzuki, Japan

Medical Curriculum Innovation at University of Medicine and Pharmacy at Ho Chi Minh City
Tran Diep Tuan, Vietnam

The College of Medicine Nursing and Health Sciences (CMNHS) in Fiji: 133 Years Old with Its Challenges- Update 2018
William May, Fiji

REQUIRED RESOURCES FOR LEARNING: A WESTERN PACIFIC REGIONAL PERSPECTIVE

Medical schools around the world are increasingly adopting sophisticated technologies in the delivery and assessment of the curriculum, but there are a range of other resources which are involved in supporting student learning. In setting standards for medical school accreditation, the World Federation for Medical Education lists a number of requirements under the area of Educational Resources, including physical facilities, clinical training resources and educational expertise, as well as Information Technology.

In this Symposium, the Western Pacific Association for Medical Education (formerly AMEPWR) will present several perspectives on these required resources for learning, illustrating how they are met in a number of different national and cultural settings, which are limited to a varying extent by the overall availability of financial resources to support medical school programs. From this discussion, insight will be provided into the range of resources available for medical education in countries of the WHO Western Pacific region, and a focus will be brought on the relative importance of each.

REQUIRED RESOURCES FOR LEARNING: AN AUSTRALASIAN PERSPECTIVE

Pete Ellis
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Medical schools in Australia and New Zealand must meet the standards of the Australian Medical Council for basic medical training. These are based on the World Federation for Medical Education standards.

While the essence of medical education is the triad of student, patient and doctor educator, physical facilities are necessary for learning of both clinical and foundation medical sciences. Changes patterns of health care delivery, with increased community-based care, and fewer but sicker inpatients, and increased awareness of patient safety and patient rights, has seen a considerable increase in utilisation of simulation, to facilitate learning of both technical skills and communication skills prior to direct patient contact. The increasing complexity of health care, requiring an integrated team approach, has led to a requirement for inter-professional learning. A particular feature of the Australian standards is a requirement for students to gain some understanding of indigenous cultures and skills in culturally appropriate health care delivery.

Information technology has become central not only to health care delivery and learning, but to the underpinning educational framework. Schools are expected to have a curriculum map and assessment blueprint, so the learning objectives for the program and related assessment are transparent to students, staff and accreditation authorities, and provide those responsible for the program with a mechanism to ensure comprehensive but efficient delivery of integrated learning. Closely aligned to this is medical educational expertise, to ensure curriculum development and review, and to support all those involved in helping our students learn in their educational roles.

This presentation will review current expectations and practice in these areas in Australia and New Zealand.
EDUCATIONAL RESOURCES FOR MEDICAL EDUCATION IN JAPAN: STRENGTHS AND WEAKNESSES

Yasuyuki Suzuki
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Since 2012, Japan started a pilot accreditation program for medical education, and the official organization, Japan Accreditation Council for Medical Education (JACME), was established in 2016. Of six standards in Area 6 (educational resources), physical facilities of medical schools and related sites are generally well prepared in Japan. The level of research activities and scholarship of faculties is beyond the standard, however, the number of faculty staff is not enough, and many of them devote mainly on the research. Hospitals as clinical training sites are increasing, however, many of them are acute care hospitals. We need to expand the training sites to the ones for general care, chronic diseases, disabilities, and disease prevention. The infrastructure of ICT is generally well prepared, however, development and utilization of learning materials (mostly in Japanese) is still underway. As for the educational expertise, 80 out of 82 medical schools have education centers and more than 600 full- or part-time faculties in total are working. Japan Society for Medical Education (JSME) have also started a certification system for education expert since 2014.

MEDICAL CURRICULUM INNOVATION AT UNIVERSITY OF MEDICINE AND PHARMACY AT HO CHI MINH CITY

Tran Diep Tuan
President, University of Medicine and Pharmacy, Vietnam

The Faculty of Medicine of the University of Medicine and Pharmacy at Ho Chi Minh City (FM-UMP) is one of the largest medical faculties in Vietnam, highly regarded for its medical education, training, research and services. As FM-UMP prepares itself to educate the next generation of Vietnamese physicians and leaders, FM-UMP has recognized the need for a comprehensive reform of its 6-year medical education curriculum.

To address the identified weaknesses, the main goals/objectives of the project are to (1) revise the current 6-year curriculum towards a more integrated, competency-based, community-oriented curriculum, (2) to reinforce students’ abilities in knowledge application, problem-solving, clinical competence, and soft-skills, (3) develop a comprehensive students assessment program, (4) introduce a series of faculty development workshops to assist the Faculty to carry out the project objectives and activities, (5) set up a Medical Education Unit to accompany and assist the Faculty in its development and implementation of the reform project, and (6) introduce the needed curriculum governance and working infrastructures to accompany, facilitate, and implement the reform process and activities.

In addition, quality assurance implementation in medical schools is still weak and sporadic. To address MOET's last decision, the present project proposes a comprehensive and continuous quality-monitoring program that would provide FM-UMP with a good opportunity to follow its reform process and achievements as well as to establish a needed database for its future self-evaluations. This will also ready UMP to address the standards and criteria set by the MOET's higher education institution review process.

Overall, the success of FM-UMP project will help overcome challenges facing the FM-UMP, MOH, and MOET in improving health professional education. In addition, this project will help FM-UMP be on par with other regional and international institutions.

THE COLLEGE OF MEDICINE NURSING AND HEALTH SCIENCES (CMNHS) IN FIJI: 133 YEARS OLD WITH ITS CHALLENGES- UPDATE 2018

William May
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The CMNHS was formed after amalgamation of five separate tertiary institutions in Fiji in 2010 under the umbrella of the Fiji National University. There are now five colleges in the university. The College of Medicine Nursing and Health Sciences, College of Humanities and Education, College of Business, Hospitality and Tourism, College of Agriculture Fisheries and Forestry and the College of Engineering, Science and Technology.

We were formerly known as the Fiji School of Medicine and this year would have been our 133 years of existence making us one of the oldest medical training institutions in the region. We serve Fiji and the Pacific Island countries including the United States Affiliated Sates in the Northern Pacific region. I intend to discuss our existing infrastructure, staffing and students learning environments. There are five schools in our College namely the school of nursing, school of oral health and dentistry, school of health sciences, school of medical sciences and school of public health and primary care. We run about 65 programs annually across the five schools at postgraduate and undergraduate levels.

Our enrolments numbers have increased by 60-70% in the last seven years. As such it has implications on our physical and human resources capacity and challenges. We will discuss current IT and learning technology and the directions we are taking to improve student learning environments and experience.

This presentation will discuss our resources and latest update on our programs, mode of delivery and challenges in a classical country of low resource setting.
Teaching and Learning in Confucius Culture
Hiroshi Nishigori, Japan

Influence of Culture in Education Decision Making
Matthew C E Gwee, Singapore

Teach to Serve
Aymeric Lim, Singapore

Cultural Competence in International Collaboration in Education and Healthcare
Lambert Schuwirth, Australia

TEACHING AND LEARNING IN CONFUCIUS CULTURE
Hiroshi Nishigori
Associate Professor, Medical Education Center, Kyoto University, Japan

Discussing cultural influence in medical education, the presenter from Japan focuses on Confucianism. For more than 1000 years, people living in far east, like Japan, Korea, Taiwan and China, have been teaching and learning, partly but surely, based on Confucian philosophy. It can explain, for example, why students are listening to lectures without asking questions, which may be perceived "not active". Valuing "being" rather than "doing" is also another features of medical professions in this region. The presenter will talk general picture of Confucianism and discuss how it influences medical education in the 21 century’s context.

INFLUENCE OF CULTURE IN EDUCATION DECISION MAKING
Matthew C E Gwee
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Disruptive forces have made it imperative for, both, healthcare practice and education (two inter-dependent systems) to undertake major reforms. In education, academic faculty from various institutions (organisations) will necessarily be actively engaged in intense argumentation and negotiations to decide whether to accept and implement or to reject the reforms strongly advocated for 21st century healthcare education and training. Such education decisions will determine the outcome of the overall education which healthcare students receive.

This presentation will elaborate on how potentially powerful hierarchical forces existing among academic faculty can strongly influence the decision making process and, consequently, its outcome as well. More importantly, the powerful hierarchical forces can influence the quality of the education programmes accepted and implemented and, therefore, the quality of the end-products of education (the healthcare practitioners) and, ultimately, the quality of healthcare of a nation.

TEACH TO SERVE
Aymeric Lim
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The purpose of teaching medical students and doctors is for them to be able to serve patients better. Medical tradition calls for a certain amount of sacrifice on the part of healthcare professionals. It is enshrined in their duty to their patients. This paper examines the tensions in the hospital between service and teaching when teaching becomes an end in itself.
CULTURAL COMPETENCE IN INTERNATIONAL COLLABORATION IN EDUCATION AND HEALTHCARE

Lambert Schuwirth
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Two aspects that are currently gaining popularity in education and healthcare are complexity and situativity.

Complexity implies, amongst other things, that much of our practice is largely unpredictable and that there are fuzzy boundaries between acceptable and unacceptable practices.

Situativity implies that an approach/method or instrument has certain affordances – what you can do with the instrument/approach - and that the user has certain effectivities – the ability of the user to use the affordances.

The utility of education and healthcare lies in the continual and successful interactions between affordances and effectivities in a complex context.

The conduit for these interactions in the complex context is communication which in intercultural collaborations is reliant on intercultural competence. However, cultural upbringing with its values, norms, beliefs, and heroes and symbols shapes and colours the interpretations between communication partners in this complex process.

This has implications for training of cultural competence with a firm grounding in the cognitive psychology on learning and expertise development.

In this presentation the educational implications for the development of cultural competence will be discussed from situativity and complexity perspectives.
PANEL DISCUSSION 8 - LEARNING SPACE: CLASSROOM OF THE FUTURE

Build Bridges, Not Walls*
Trudie E Roberts, United Kingdom

Fostering Complex Learning through a Connected Curriculum
Johan Geertsema, Singapore

Let’s Get Down to Basics: What is the Role of the Technology in Learning? And What Does that Mean for Medical Education?
Linda M Harasim, Canada

Pathways Towards the Classroom of the Future: Incremental vs Sustaining vs Disruptive
Nabil Zary, Singapore

BUILD BRIDGES NOT WALLS*

Trudie E Roberts
Director, Leeds Institute of Medical Education, University of Leeds, England; and President, Association of Medical Education in Europe (AMEE), United Kingdom

The days of classrooms where a teacher desk sits at the front of the classroom and students’ desks are neatly aligned in rows are over. Learning technologies, and changing pedagogical methods, are not only changing the way we teach but also the physical environments we teach in. As education moves well into the 21st century, the ways in which we learn and the things we use to learn are constantly changing and evolving. One of the most far-reaching changes is the easy and increasingly inexpensive access to information technology.

The flattened classroom is the idea of Vicki Davis and Julie Lindsay based on Thomas Friedman’s book The World is Flat. They have developed a project to ‘flatten’ or lower the classroom walls so that instead of each class working isolated and alone, two or more classes are joined virtually to become one large classroom that can be across the globe.

However, maybe even the idea of a classroom at all is obsolete and in the future there will be no classrooms at all only, personalized learning spaces. So that learning spaces in the 21st century should foster discovery, innovation and scholarship and not merely contain them; thereby allowing provision to change from basic access to integrated services.

In my allotted ten minutes I will explore these two concepts and their contribution to student learning and pedagogy.

*adapted from Isaac Newton

FOSTERING COMPLEX LEARNING THROUGH A CONNECTED CURRICULUM

Johan Geertsema
Director, Centre for Development of Teaching and Learning (CDTL), National University of Singapore, Singapore

The fast-changing higher education landscape compels us to reconsider how best to design learning environments that can foster complex learning. As new technologies take over routine tasks, machines move towards artificial intelligence, and information becomes obsolete more and more quickly, it is imperative that institutions of higher education find ways of better supporting those abilities, skills, and competencies that would enable students to engage in creative problem solving. One way in which this might happen is by rethinking the curriculum in such a way as to connect its different components to one another so as to enable students to combine what they learn into an integrated whole that links theory and practice within authentic, research-rich learning environments. These brief remarks will elaborate on how one might foster complex learning through a more integrated, connected curriculum.

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LET'S GET DOWN TO BASICS: WHAT IS THE ROLE OF THE TECHNOLOGY IN LEARNING? AND WHAT DOES THAT MEAN FOR MEDICAL EDUCATION?

Linda M Harasim
Professor of Communication, Simon Fraser University, Canada

Technology and human learning have had a symbiotic relationship since the dawn of human civilisation. Humans are defined by our ability to collaborate, and the technologies that we have developed to promote learning also promote collaboration: Speech, Writing, Printing, Internet working. However, in recent years social technology is being replaced by digital technology, and that shift is making a world of difference in the role of technology in learning, and the role of humans overall. This panel will discuss and explore the implications of digital technology and pedagogy in promoting individualised learning but also seriously consider how digital technologies might support and augment collaborative knowledge building in medical education.

PATHWAYS TOWARDS THE CLASSROOM OF THE FUTURE: INCREMENTAL VS SUSTAINING VS DISRUPTIVE

Nabil Zary
Acting Director, Medical Education Research and Scholarship Unit, Lee Kong Chian School of Medicine, Singapore

My presentation will focus on a continuum of plausible scenarios for the classroom of the future. From an incremental evolution oriented scenario building on ongoing learning space innovations identified by an increased use of technology and stronger alignment with the intended curriculum experience. To a scenario defined by niche innovations already in the works and with the potential to significantly disrupt the learning space ecosystem with interesting implications on how we learn and who we learn with.
CULTURAL ANTHROPOLOGY AND MEDICAL EDUCATION

Cultural anthropology, a field of social science, is a discipline which can offer collaborative opportunities for medical educators. For example, we medical educators often apply teaching and assessment strategies used in other institutions (and sometimes in other countries) to our own ones. In this process, contextual adjustment is the key for success, which we can (and should) learn from cultural anthropology. Another example is qualitative research in medical education. Collaboration with cultural anthropologists who are experts in ethnography can inspire those who are involved in qualitative research in medical education. Final example is teaching behavioral and social sciences. Collaboration between medical doctors and cultural anthropologists in clinical education can be a practical and transferrable educational model. In this panel discussion, we will share our experiences of collaboration between cultural anthropologists and medical educators in Japan.

COLLABORATING IN TEACHING BEHAVIORAL AND SOCIAL SCIENCES –CLINICAL CASE CONFERENCE WITH CULTURAL ANTHROPOLOGISTS

Junko Iida
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While the social sciences are seen to play an important role in medical education, barriers to their implementation remain in many countries. To overcome these barriers, previous studies have suggested that a collaboration between social scientists and health professionals is necessary. As an example of such collaboration, I introduce a case conference that we have been developing, where anthropologists participate in discussing clinical cases with medical students and doctors, and participants learn anthropology in a clinical context. In 2015 and 2016, we conducted four case conferences for medical students at two universities and four case workshops as part of wider conferences for family physicians in Japan. Before each conference, one or several of the medical students or physicians chose a case that they felt was difficult to deal with due to the social and cultural background of the patients and families. At each conference, after the presentation of each case, the audience including anthropologists participated in a group discussion concerning the questions raised in the presentation. This was followed by comments about the case given by the anthropologists, a further question-and-answer session, and a short introductory lecture on anthropology. The active discussions deepened the examination of the sociocultural aspects of the cases. For example, an exploration of the patient's background helped participants to understand that the patient's narratives and behaviour had meaning within the context of the patient's life story and social relationships. Both medical students and physicians found that the anthropologists' questions, comments and conceptual frameworks offered them eye-opening experiences. The conferences were also an opportunity for anthropologists to learn about clinical practice and to be inspired by the discussion. It is suggested that this clinical case conference could provide both medical educators and anthropologists with a model for collaborating with each other for teaching anthropology in clinical contexts.

COLLABORATING IN QUALITATIVE RESEARCH –COLLABORATIVE ETHNOGRAPHY IN MEDICAL EDUCATION RESEARCH

Yosuke Shimazono
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Individuals who are involved in the field of medical education are divided into two groups: those who are practically involved in medical education, namely clinical-teachers who usually do not receive formal training in social science, and social scientists who bring their own academic agenda in their research on the medical education practice. Although there are some exceptions, few individuals can cross the boundary between them and ‘theories’ and methods in social scientists appear esoteric and pedantic for medical practitioners. Medical anthropology has developed as a discipline through cross-over between medicine and cultural anthropology. Some of renowned medical anthropologists are also medical practitioners. In fact, medical anthropology can be considered not so much a social scientific discipline as a place for dialogue and translation between medicine and anthropology. However, even in medical anthropology, there is not a serious discussion on collaboration between medical doctors and anthropologists thereby alienating many medical practitioners from it. Here, I consider the meaning of collaboration between medical doctors and anthropologists in the context of medical education research and what form this collaboration can take and how they can be made fruitful both for clinical teachers and anthropologists. I particular explore various forms of collaborative ethnography.
COLLABORATING IN FACULTY DEVELOPMENT - CULTURAL ANTHROPOLOGY IN MEDICAL EDUCATION CERTIFICATE PROGRAM

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In medical education, we experience a variety of cultural conflicts, because we often “import” educational strategies or methods from other institutions, and sometimes even from other countries. For example, Ho argued whether patient-centered cultural competency could be effective in non-Western countries (Ho, et al. 2008). Gwee discussed difficulties in implementing problem-based learning in Asian countries (Gwee. 2008). When applying them to our own institutions, contextual adjustment is necessary, which we medical educators may not be good at. Considering this background, in the Medical Education Certificate Program at Kyoto University, we develop and implement a “cultural anthropology” module for our participants who are clinician educators. In this module, first, we ask them to present their experiences of cultural conflicts when they apply educational strategies or methods used in other institutions to their own ones. Then cultural anthropologists analysed and commented on them with anthropological perspectives. Among all the contents in our Medical Education Certificate Program, the cultural anthropology module has been evaluated with very high satisfactory comments. In this talk, I will share our experiences with available evidences in this theme and discuss how medical educators can collaborate with cultural anthropologists in faculty development or medical education program.
TRANSFORMING NURSING EDUCATION FOR THE FUTURE

Tan Soh Chin
Chief Nursing Officer, Ministry of Health, Singapore

As our healthcare system transforms to meet future needs, care will shift from hospitals to the community. Today’s emerging health care challenges require nurses to think and act beyond institution-based care to enlarge the boundaries of community-based practice. Nurses who form the core of our healthcare workforce play a key role in partnering healthcare professionals in different settings to ensure patients remain well-supported in the community and home.

As nurse leaders and educators, our role in Nursing Education is to ensure the Nursing Education and Training system is preparing our nurses with the right competencies and skills required to practise in a transformed health care system to meet increasingly complex health needs across settings. We need to transform nursing education to strengthen nursing curriculum, competency-based assessment methods and quality of education.

THE CHANGING PARADIGM IN TRAINING ADVANCED PHARMACY PRACTITIONERS

Lita Chew
Head, Pharmacy Department, National Cancer Centre Singapore, Singapore

Pharmacists are expected to acquire advanced level competencies to enhance their professional and clinical skills through postgraduate education and clinical training programmes as they progress in their career. In cases where management of medications is complex, advanced practice pharmacists are needed to ensure safe and appropriate medication use and also to complement the clinical care delivery together with other healthcare professionals towards a shared passion to provide the best care for patients.

Pharmacy residency training is one of the most effective methods for an entry-level pharmacist to attain advanced level clinical skills. Pharmacy Residency is designed to train pharmacists in a systematic fashion for the purpose of achieving professional competence in delivery of team-based patient-centred care. The residents will be prepared to provide high-quality pharmaceutical care as clinical pharmacists in an acute, tertiary care facility and/or continue into an advanced residency in an area of pharmacy practice. They will also learn to demonstrate professional leadership and to develop lifelong learning skills that will lead to greater career satisfaction.

To support the specialised pharmaceutical care provided by pharmacists, MOH has started giving out overseas Pharmacy Residency Training Scholarships since 2008. The pharmacist scholars are now serving as Programme Directors and preceptors of the National Pharmacy Residency Programmes. MOH has also appointed the Office of Residency Training in NUS Pharmacy Department from January 2016, to support the 6 MOH-funded National Pharmacy Residency Programmes. As of September 2017, a total of 19 pharmacists have enrolled in the 12-month accredited national programmes and nine of them have completed their training as at June 2017.

MOH is also developing pharmacy practitioners through the Advanced Practice Competency Framework, which articulates a pharmacist’s scope of practice and defines the knowledge, skills and attributes that are required in advanced practice. This framework serves as a broad-based developmental tool to enable pharmacists to systematically identify needs for continuous professional development and to acquire new competencies to advance their practice.
CHALLENGES IN RESIDENCY TRAINING IN SINGAPORE: A PERSPECTIVE FROM THE JOINT COMMITTEE OF SPECIALIST TRAINING (JCST) AND THE DIVISION OF GRADUATE MEDICAL STUDIES, NUS MEDICINE

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Postgraduate medical training in Singapore started in 1969 with the setup of the School of Postgraduate Graduate Medical Studies, National University of Singapore. Training and examinations were conducted in collaboration with the Royal Colleges in the United Kingdom and Australia / New Zealand. In 2010, postgraduate training was modified and followed the requirements as stipulated by the Accreditation Council of Graduate Medical Education (ACGME) of the United States.

The ACGME is a private non-profit council that evaluates and accreditates medical residency training. Its main focus is on competency-based education. Residents were trained and assessed on competencies in patient care, medical knowledge, practice based learning and improvement, system based practice, professionalism and interpersonal skills and communication. Training changed from being opportunistic to one of being structured where resident education supersedes that of service. Training hours were limited to 80 hours per week of supervised practice, and yet required fulfilment of a specified number of cases before they were allowed to move to the next phase of training. Simulation training was allowed, if there were insufficient clinical cases.

The transition from an existing training system that has been in existence for 40 years to the ACGME program necessitated reorganisation in the training system. There was a requirement of the residents to pass the ABMS MCQs in addition to the existing MMed and exit examinations that were the summative examinations before the transition. In the presentation, these challenges will be discussed.

A very positive effect of the incorporation of ACGME into Singapore was the structured training, the introduction of formative assessments as well as examiner training. We are not able to ascertain currently if the residency produced better doctors, but it certainly raised the standard of teaching and assessments in our postgraduate programmes, and created a lot of interest in medical education in Singapore.

POSTGRADUATE MEDICAL EDUCATION – MOVING TOWARDS COMPETENCY-BASED EDUCATION AND PROGRAMME OF ASSESSMENT

Mabel Yap
Director, Professional Training and Assessment Standards Division, Ministry of Health, Singapore

Postgraduate medical education in Singapore has undergone major reforms in the past decade in response to evolving healthcare needs. An aging population and changing disease patterns require a right mix of specialists and generalists to meet the needs of both the acute and primary care sectors. In addition, development of new care model and subsequently, the training curriculum, is crucial to ensure that learners are equipped with the relevant skills and knowledge to practice safely and competently. It is also critical that the whole spectrum of professional training in Singapore, from the undergraduate to postgraduate programs, remain responsive to the national healthcare needs.

Singapore has moved towards adopting the Competency-Based Medical Education (CBME) approach in professional education and training. CBME focuses on a learner's demonstration of desired training outcomes as central to the learning process using a competency framework. The use of Entrustable Professional Activities (EPAs) and programme of assessment are core elements of CBME. The aim of this presentation is to discuss the journey of developing CBME in Singapore, its challenges and future directions.
USING DATA (ANALYTICS) TO INFORM eTEACHING AND eLEARNING

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The central thesis of this symposium will be to demonstrate and illustrate how data (analytics) can inform an educational practitioner (in their educational practice), and anchor scholarly teaching and educational scholarship.

The three panelists bring (to the audience) long standing practical frontline and academic experience in their roles as a clinical teacher and in medical education faculty development (GPS), in data analytics and strategic thinking (SHM), and in the real world application of social media analytics in business (LWK).

This interactive symposium and panel discussion (with the audience) will be anchored by a purpose built dedicated presentation online blog (for approximately 30 minutes to one hour of pre-session online review BEFORE the session), each symposium presenter giving a (maximum) 10 minute short overview presentation, followed by ONE HOUR of interactive live discussion (during the session) with the audience (who should bring a WiFi enabled mobile phone, Tablet or Laptop to the session to engage with the panelists – both synchronously and asynchronously, the day before, during, and day after the symposium).
Overview of Theoretical Frameworks in Simulation-Based Education  
Lim Wee Shiong, Singapore

How Do Theories of Motor Skills Learning Inform Simulation-Based Education  
Charlotte Ringsted, Denmark

Sim-Round: Easing Transition into the Clinical Clerkship  
Tham Kum Ying, Singapore

Debriefing: Taking Relational Aspects into Consideration  
Charmaine Krishnasamy, Singapore

CONCEPTUAL FRAMEWORKS THAT ILLUMINATE AND MAGNIFY: HOW THEORY CAN DRIVE SIMULATION DESIGN AND DELIVERY

Lim Wee Shiong, Charlotte Ringsted, Tham Kum Ying and Charmaine Krishnasamy

Conceptual frameworks are like lighthouses that illuminate and lenses that magnify the scholarship of simulation-based education. When used to underpin the design and delivery of the simulated clinical experience, theories of learning and instruction help to enhance effectiveness of learning acquisition, affirm educational credibility, and develop appropriate research questions. Yet, challenges abound in the consistent, thoughtful and explicit application of theory to inform the design and delivery of simulation based education. In the area of simulation research, the field should aspire to move beyond descriptive (“What was done?”) and justification (“Did it work?”) research, toward conducting clarification studies that address “Why or how did it work?” questions.

In this symposium, four panelists will explore how clarification studies using conceptual frameworks as a foundation can inform the design and delivery of simulation-based education. After an overview of common theoretical frameworks used in simulation-based education, we will share specific strategies in three different settings, namely using theories to optimize the learning of motor skills, simulation rounds to ease transition of junior medical students into clinical clerkship, as well as the critical role of rapport management in optimizing learning during the debriefing session. In a concluding panel discussion, the opportunities and challenges of actively incorporating theory-driven strategies to illuminate and magnify simulation design and delivery, with faculty development at the vanguard of these initiatives, will be discussed.
Augmented Reality for Palpation Training: MediSIM, Marrying a Medical Mannequin with a Virtual Patient Using a HoloLens
Scott Stevens, USA

Knowledge Management through Curriculum Mapping
Kang Yew Beng, Malaysia

The Use of Technology in Medical and Health Professions Education: Bridging Different Generations and Preparing Future Medical and Health Practitioners
Ardi Findyartini, Indonesia

The Role of Technology in Ensuring Clinicians Are Fit to Practice
Ian Curran, Singapore

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**Augmented Reality for Palpation Training: MediSIM, Marrying a Medical Mannequin with a Virtual Patient Using a HoloLens**

Scott Stevens  
Professor, Entertainment Technology Center, Carnegie Mellon University, USA

Learning is a constructive task where learners assimilate information into existing schemes and simultaneously accommodate those schemes to reality. No two people assimilate an experience in precisely the same way as no two people bring to the task the same history. One of the most important roles of educators is to provide students with purposefully designed experiences that acknowledge an individual's apperception and promotes their self-regulation, i.e. the change of patterns of reasoning, advancing from one level of understanding to another.

This talk will briefly outline technology-based educational design that applies challenge, sensory and cognitive curiosity and fantasies (story), especially intrinsic fantasies where the fantasy depends crucially on the task under study. The goal is to find ways to aid students to construct their own knowledge and to give them opportunities to generalise that knowledge. The outcome is engaging, challenging, fun environments that enable deep learning.

The notion of ‘stealth’ evaluation will be introduced, where, in part, successfully completion of an experience is evidence of learning. Finally, a case study, MediSIM will be presented. MediSIM married a medical mannequin (ABE) used to teach palpation, with a virtual patient registered to the mannequin as viewed through a HoloLens. This allows medical students to inspect a patient visually, with context aware information available, while getting a realistic tactile experience of palpation.

**Knowledge Management through Curriculum Mapping**

Kang Yew Beng  
Associate Dean of E-Learning, International Medical University, Malaysia

Technology is used everywhere around us and had been offered as a panacea for education. This is a romanticised view of technology, and although technology has great potential in teaching and learning, it is only effective if used appropriately. One such appropriate use is to leverage how technology can be used to manage knowledge that resides in a curriculum, or in the case of the International Medical University, the curricula of 1 foundation programme, 12 undergraduate and 5 postgraduate programmes. The use of knowledge management through curricula mapping allows us to locate and analyse the curriculum of any programme, facilitating curriculum review, administrative management of resources, generation of student learning plans, and identification of learning outcomes and constructive alignment of assessments.

**The Use of Technology in Medical and Health Professions Education: Bridging Different Generations and Preparing Future Medical and Health Practitioners**

Ardi Findyartini  
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Future medical and health practitioners will face a completely different landscape of healthcare in which society has more access to health information and may rely more on self-management before coming to health professionals. In addition, current students are all millennials who have been engaging with social media and networks at a very early age, hence are technology
savvy and have certain characteristics which should be considered in facilitating their learning processes. The use of technology enhanced learning in any platforms possible both in preclinical and clinical years is expected to motivate the learning of current generation of students. Utilisation of online learning, redesigning of learning spaces which incorporates ‘smart rooms’, increased focus on open educational resources, and exploration of data for personalised learning experience are currently happening. Future efforts should cultivate more widespread and cost effective innovations and collective actions among medical and health professions education institutions. This talk will highlight current implementation of technology-enhanced learning in undergraduate medical and health professions education with several examples considering range of available resources and contextual challenges. A more empathetic approach in embarking technology enhanced learning is emphasised in the presentation by pinpointing necessary faculty development to support medical teachers in optimising the approaches. The talk will also reflect on the advantage of blended learning in medical and health professions education given the need of close interaction between medical and health professions teachers and students especially in facilitating the development of professionalism. Finally, further challenges in enabling students and teachers to work in an interconnected world of semantic web, big data, modeling technologies and innovations in which they may use as well as contribute in the advancement of the resources, will also be elaborated. Regardless approaches and innovations used in the medical and health professions education curricula, the aims are to provide meaningful learning experiences, and to develop competencies and wisdom for medical and health professions students as future global citizen and practitioners.

THE ROLE OF TECHNOLOGY IN ENSURING CLINICIANS ARE FIT TO PRACTICE

Ian Curran
Vice Dean, Education and Co-Director of Academic Medicine Education Institute (AM.EI), Duke-NUS Medical School, Singapore

Prof Curran will explore some of the challenges and opportunities of employing technology in the training and accreditation of professionals. Using examples, he will describe approaches where technology can be used to improve learning and performance. He will also outline some of the limitations and how they might be mitigated.
SYMPOSIUM 11 - INNOVATIVE eHEALTH TOOLS FOR CHANGING THE CULTURE OF PATIENT CARE

Use of Mobile Simulation for Training Rural Health Professionals
Kalyani Premkumar, Canada

The Utilisation and Impact of Electronic Health Records in Patient Care
Rani Kanthan, Canada

Regulations for Sharing Electronic Patient Information
Anurag Saxena, Canada

Ivar Mendez, Canada

INNOVATIVE eHEALTH TOOLS FOR CHANGING THE CULTURE OF PATIENT CARE

Rapid changes in technology have affected the medical education continuum and patient care tremendously. To keep up with the changes, a large number of innovative tools have been developed and are continuing to be developed. In this symposium, the audience will be introduced to some of the innovative eHealth tools used in patient care such as electronic health records; robotics, medical training using virtual reality, mobile simulation and regulations for sharing electronic patient information, among others. The benefits and challenges of utilising these tools and its impact on the culture of patient care will be discussed.

USE OF MOBILE SIMULATION FOR TRAINING RURAL HEALTH PROFESSIONALS

Kalyani Premkumar
Professor, Department of Community Health & Epidemiology, College of Medicine, University of Saskatchewan, Canada

Rural health care professionals often find themselves in professional isolation with limited opportunities for formal continuing education or professional support, and scarce opportunities for interaction, shared experiences and mutual support with colleagues. To promote safe patient care and address concerns expressed by health care providers, programs have been organised in support of continuing professional learning that includes practical, case-based training using mobile medical simulation. In this presentation, the resources required, implementation, challenges and outcomes of using mobile simulation will be explored.

THE UTILISATION AND IMPACT OF ELECTRONIC HEALTH RECORDS IN PATIENT CARE

Rani Kanthan
Professor, College of Medicine, University of Saskatchewan, Canada

The use of electronic health records (EHR) provides quick access to important information about a person’s health not only to health-care team members, but also to the patient thus providing transparency of clinical decision-making process using a single repository of information. Benefits of EHR include better patient centered-personalised health care by improving all aspects of patient care including safety, effectiveness, communication, education, timeliness, efficiency and equity. Besides being a static repository by combining data, knowledge and technology patients can become active participants in their own care. In this presentation, definitions with system characteristics, technical architectures, benefits, barriers to adoption and implementation challenges to the global role of EHR in transforming health care in Canada will be discussed.

REGULATIONS FOR SHARING ELECTRONIC PATIENT INFORMATION

Anurag Saxena
Associate Dean, Postgraduate Medical Education, College of Medicine, University of Saskatchewan, Canada

The focus of this presentation will be on using social media with a dialectic approach to balancing optimal and timely patient care with ethical approach to patients’ privacy and confidentiality rights. Effective use of social media leads to rapid and accurate answers, however, there have been many instances of violations of privacy on Facebook and Twitter. Social media has the potential to educate and conduct research and the professionals need to understand and manage ethical concerns. Limiting access and having strict regulations are likely to negatively affect the potential of social media and adversely impact patient care. Conscientious use based upon proper education and appropriate regulations will have a positive outcome for the patients, health care professionals and health care.
REMOTE PRESENCE ROBOTICS AND VIRTUAL REALITY: MEDICAL TEACHING TOOLS OF THE 21ST CENTURY

Ivar Mendez
Fred H. Wigmore Professor and Unified Head of Surgery, University of Saskatchewan and the Saskatoon Health Region, Canada

We will focus in the use of remote presence robotic technology that enables teaching of clinical and surgical skills to learners located in any geographical area with regular cellular or Wi-Fi connectivity. This innovative technology enhances a distributed medical education model and places the clinician teacher at the bedside with the students in real-time regardless of their location. The technology also utilises peripheral diagnostic tools such as digital stethoscope, dermatoscope, otoscope and ultrasound.

The use of virtual reality (VR) for teaching neuroanatomy will also be presented. A virtual brain has been created from the MRIs of human brains that allow the student to virtually enter the brain and study its structures. Early indications suggest that VR significantly enhances textbook learning.
PLENARY 4 – TECHNOLOGY IN HEALTH PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION: FUTURE OF MEDICINE

GETTING BETTER (FASTER): THOUGHTS ABOUT THE (NEAR) FUTURE OF MEDICAL EDUCATION

Ruben R. Puenteudura  
Founder and President, Hippasus, USA

In 1968, Doug Engelbart demoed all the key computer features that have come to define modern information technology. His goal was not to show off technology for technology's sake - rather, it was to identify the necessary toolset for "getting better at getting better", i.e. augmenting human intellect. Fifty years later, how does the ubiquitous presence of this toolset help us rethink the path that leads from medical education to physician practice? And what new cognitive and problem-solving skills will be required of today's medical students so that they can make the best use of new diagnostic and treatment tools such as those afforded by machine learning tomorrow?

DESIGN THINKING IN HEALTHCARE: DISCOVER, DEFINE, DEVELOP, DELIVER

Suranga Nanayakkara  
Assistant Professor, Singapore University of Technology & Design, Singapore

The power of computers and technology has reached a critical point compared to the generations before. Machines are now capable of new skills – speaking, hearing, seeing, understanding and answering. These, on one hand, will be a disruption to the process oriented jobs across. On the other hand, creativity, discovery and innovations will be thriving in such a society. This talk offers a fresh perspective on design innovation with the goal of helping technically sound professionals to appreciate, understand and apply design innovation in their efforts to identify and solve problems that impact positively on our daily activities.
Dental Simulation
Kelvin Foong and Frank Voon, Singapore

MediSIM - Medical Simulated Interactive Manikin
Erle Lim, Singapore

Mysticraft, the First Ever VR Open Platform, Bringing Reality into Virtuality
Hoon Heh, P.R. China

Friday 12th January, 10.15am – 3.30pm

DENTAL SIMULATION
1Kelvin Foong and 2Frank Voon
1Associate Professor, Faculty of Dentistry, National University of Singapore, National University Health System, Singapore, and
2Associate Professor, Department of Anatomy, Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine, National University of Singapore, National
University Health System, Singapore

The Faculty of Dentistry at NUS leverages a variety of technology platforms for simulation training of dental students in operative
skills and clinical decision making. These comprise stereoscopic and non-stereoscopic virtual reality (VR) haptic and non-haptic
simulation technologies, and 3D printed anatomic models and Augmented Reality for sharpening visualisation and operative skills.

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MEDISIM - MEDICAL SIMULATED INTERACTIVE MANIKIN
Erle Lim
Associate Provost (Undergraduate Education), National University of Singapore; and Associate Professor, Department of Medicine,
Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine, National University of Singapore, National University Health System, Singapore

Hololens MediSIM is a holographic avatar superimposed on abdominal manikin to simulate various disease states, and to teach
the abdominal examination.

Palpation skills are paramount to effective osteopathic practice, but teaching students how to palpate and learning palpation
is a real pedagogical challenge as it requires the right combination of knowledge, skills, and attitude.

By visually simulating a 3-D, CG interactive patient and with the HoloLens superimposed on the Abe, including the simulated
patient’s facial and auditory reactions to palpation, students will see a moving, interactive person – lending greater verisimilitude
to the experience. The student may also need to make decision on what organs need to be palpated by the corresponding
medical records.

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MYSTICRAFT, THE FIRST EVER VR OPEN PLATFORM, BRINGING REALITY INTO VIRTUALITY
Hoon Heh
Global Business Development Director, Netdragon Websoft Holdings, P.R. China

Netdragon Websoft Holdings is excited to share the first global open VR platform in APMEC this year. We understand most
of VR images, videos, games or even learning materials requires sophisticated software and tools to develop, processed and
even consumed. Only the privileged ones with the right skills and knowledge can get to work on the VR space. Netdragon
wants to bring VR to the rest of the world, we developed the first global VR Open platform, MystiCraft, where everyone canedit, play with, create their own VR images, videos, games and even learning materials to share with all the friends they know.
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Michael Siu Wan, Australia

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Ikuo Shimizu, Japan

BP03 A Six-Year Experience to Assess Infectious Diseases Fellows in Training by Utilising Infectious Diseases Society of America Examinations from 2012 to 2017 in Japan
Harumi Gomi, Japan

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Milagros Rabe, Philippines

BP05 Clinical Observership and E-Learning in 2nd Year Optometry Students in Singapore
Si Qi Chua, Singapore

BP06 Can Anonymised Competition Influence Neurology Faculty Feedback Scores in GME?
Yasmin I Jion, Singapore

BP07 A Review of Undergraduate and Postgraduate Mentoring – Studying the Mentoring Relationship in its Environment
Simone Quek, Singapore

BP08 Junior Resident Led OSCE Workshop Enhances Preparation for Transition to a First Year Doctor
David Ng, Singapore

BP09 Facilitating the Mentoring and Supervisory Skills of Faculty in the National Psychiatry Residency Program
Lay Ling Tan, Singapore

BP10 Clinical Skills Training and Supervision Framework and Effectiveness in Medical Internship – Evidence on Catheter-Associated Urinary Tract Infection Rates
Shu-Hung Huang, Taiwan

BP11 Does Student Feedback Improve the Quality of Teaching Among the Clinical Tutors in the Middle East?
Kathryn Strachan, Bahrain

BP12 Doctors’ Professional Socialisation from Medical Students to Staff Doctors in Japan
Junji Haruta, Japan

BP13 Medical Students’ Peer Role-Playing for Education of Psychosocial Approach
Sachiko Ozone, Japan

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Manasik Hassan, Qatar

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Claire Ann Canning, Singapore

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Rathi Mahendran, Singapore

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Yao Chi Gloria Leung, Singapore

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