

# Centre for Medical Education Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine

# **Course Faculty**

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# **Course Description**

Qualitative methods are powerful tools to help educational researchers to develop theory, evaluate programs, and design educational interventions. Using qualitative methods, you can collect in depth information that you cannot obtain with quantitative methods. Qualitative methods are used to study human behavior and behavior changes, which are not well captured by quantitative techniques. The purpose of this workshop is to guide researchers in designing and implementing qualitative research projects. An overview of qualitative research design will be provided along with general recommendations for developing research questions, formulating a hypothesis, analyzing qualitative data, and validating the results.

By the end of the workshop, you will have a better understanding of, and be able to:

- Define and describe qualitative research methods
- Discuss the advantages and disadvantages of qualitative research methods
- Describe the data collection methods in qualitative research (interview, observation and focus group discussions)
- Analyse a simple qualitative data

# **Qualitative Research Methods in Health Professions Education**

25<sup>th</sup> May 2016 (Wednesday) 9.00am - 5.30pm

#01-01A, Level 1, Centre for Translational Medicine (CeTM)
Block MD 6, 14 Medical Drive, Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine
National University of Singapore

## **Registration Fees**

NUHS staff - S\$184\*

(including staff on clinical faculty / adjunct scheme)

Others - S\$210\*

\*Fees are inclusive of GST

Registration is on a first-come-first-served basis

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Closing date of registration: 25 March 2016

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## SMC CME / CNE / CPE accreditation are being finalised

Note for NUS Staff: This program is accredited with 1 elective hour by Centre for Development of Teaching and Learning (CDTL), NUS. For more details on CDTL accreditation, please contact Ms Doreen Thia at cdttyy@nus.edu.sg Fax: (65) 6777 0342

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