

# FINAL ANNOUNCEMENT

## 18th Continuing Professional Development (CPD) Series



# 'Diabetes Asia Conference 2019' (DAC 2019)



October 10 – 13, 2019  
Hotel Istana, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia



### OBJECTIVES OF THE CONFERENCE

The Continuing Professional Development (CPD) Series as "Diabetes Asia Conference 2019" (DAC 2019) aim to help improve management of diabetes with emphasis on recent advances and practical aspects of diabetes care. Participants are expected to be able to:

- appreciate recent advances and practical aspects of diabetes care
- understand ways of ensuring early diagnosis and optimal management for good control of diabetes, its complications and associated diseases
- apply knowledge gained during the Conference to further improve care for persons with diabetes in the community

Diabetes Asia Conference 2019 (DAC 2019) will emphasise on recent advances in the understanding and care of diabetes, its complications and related diseases

### INVITED INTERNATIONAL FACULTY\*

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| 1. Prof. Chih-Yuan Wang, TAIWAN                         | 7. Prof. Philip Home, UNITED KINGDOM – confirmed       |
| 2. Prof. Elizabeth Paz Pacheco, PHILIPPINES – confirmed | 8. Prof. Robert A. Ritzel, GERMANY                     |
| 3. Prof. Hanan Gawish, EGYPT                            | 9. Prof. Saeed A. Mahar, PAKISTAN – confirmed          |
| 4. Prof. Lawrence A. Leiter, CANADA                     | 10. Prof. Stephen M. Twigg, AUSTRALIA – confirmed      |
| 5. Prof. Maria Craig, AUSTRALIA – confirmed             | 11. Assoc. Prof. Alice P S Kong, HONG KONG – confirmed |
| 6. Prof. Peter Gaede, DENMARK – confirmed               | 12. Assoc. Prof. Daphne Khoo Hsu Chin, SINGAPORE       |

Complemented by more than 40 local experts on diabetes and related fields

\*subject to change

### PLENARY TOPICS\*

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| 1. New Understanding of Mechanisms for Type 2: How It Affects Management? | 5. Diabetes Cure: Fact or Fake News?                           |
| 2. Options for CV Risk Reduction in T2DM: Beyond Glucose Control          | 6. Adjunct Therapy in Type 1 Diabetes: Current Recommendations |
| 3. Recent Advances in Technology to Improve Diabetes Management           | 7. GLP-1 Receptor Agonists: From Desert to Bedside             |
| 4. CV Trials in T2 Diabetes: Should We Change Our Management?             | 8. Medical Nutritional Therapy & Diabetes                      |
|   | 9. The Future of T2DM: New Agents for Glucose Control          |

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### WHO SHOULD ATTEND

Healthcare professionals responsible for managing people with diabetes including:

- Medical and Surgical Specialists
- General Practitioners
- Pharmacists
- Nutritionists and Dietitians
- General Physicians and Surgeons
- Medical and Health Officers
- Researchers (Clinical & Basic Sciences) in Diabetes
- Other healthcare professionals involved in diabetes care
- Primary Care Physicians
- Trainee Lecturers

### REGISTRATION FEES

Completed registration form must be returned with proof of registration fee payment to the Secretariat of the 'Diabetes Asia Conference 2019' by mail or fax. Registration fee covers admission to all NADI 'Diabetes Asia Conference 2019' sessions and trade exhibition, conference bag, identification tag and printed materials, Conference lunches and tea/coffee breaks. The fees are as follows:

REGISTRATION	Local Conference Fee*	International Conference Fee
Early Bird Registration (before July 31, 2019)	RM850	USD500
AFTER July 31, 2019	RM950	USD600

\* Subsidised rates

For ONLINE REGISTRATION & PAYMENT DETAILS, please visit <http://eepurl.com/gh7pZj>

### CONFERENCE AWARDS (CASH PRIZES)

#### "PROFESSOR MUSTAFFA YOUNG INVESTIGATORS' AWARDS"

for Free Paper Presentation

Best Award : RM 5,000

+ Challenge Trophy

Second Award : RM 2,000

Third Award : RM 1,000

The winners of "Professor Mustaffa Young Investigators' Awards" will also receive full sponsorship (registration fee + hotel accommodation & local mileage/travel) by Servier Malaysia Sdn Bhd for DAC 2020

#### "BEST ORAL PRESENTATION AWARDS"

Best Award : RM 2,000

Second Award : RM 1,000

Third Award : RM 750

(Papers submitted for "Professor Mustaffa Young Investigators' Awards" shall not be considered for these awards)

#### "BEST POSTER PRESENTATION AWARDS"

Best Award : RM 1,500

Second Award : RM 750

Third Award : RM 500

(Papers submitted for "Professor Mustaffa Young Investigators' Awards" shall not be considered for these awards)

\*A Certificate of Award will also be presented to the winners. THE JUDGES' DECISION IS FINAL. No further correspondence is allowed "Closing date for abstracts: September 8, 2019"

#### "PROFESSOR MUSTAFFA YOUNG INVESTIGATORS' AWARDS"

Participants are invited for "PROFESSOR MUSTAFFA YOUNG INVESTIGATORS' AWARDS" which is open to those accepted for oral presentation with the following criteria \*\*:

1. Age 35 years or less (at the time of submission)
2. Main researcher (> 60% contribution) of an original research for the paper to be presented
3. First author and must be a registered participant
4. First author shall present the paper again at the awarding ceremony (when applicable)

\*\*Please download and fill-in the Declaration Form

For further information and updates regarding the 18th "Diabetes Asia Conference 2019" (DAC 2019), please contact:  
The Secretariat (Attention: Ms. Rosmawati / Ms. Farah / Ms. Hidayah / Ms. Suhana / Ms. Mardhiyyati)

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