8th International Congress of the Asian Society Against 8th Annual Conference of the Association of Srilanakn Neurologists Dementia (ASAD)

Cinnamon Grand Hotel, Colombo, Sri Lanka November 14-16, 2014

NOVEMBER 14, 2014 (Friday)				
7:00 AM	REGISTRATION			
8:30 AM	INAUGURATION 1. Welcome remarks- <i>Asita de Silva</i> (Conference Co-Chair, ASAD 2014) 2. Opening remarks- <i>Arjuna Fernando</i> (President, ASN & Conference Co-Chair 2014) 3. State of the ASAD- <i>Akira Homma</i> (President, ASAD) 4. Address by chief guest- HE The President of Sri Lanka 5. Short cultural presentation			
9:30 AM	PLENARY LECTURE The natural history of Alzheimer's disease - <i>Colin Masters</i>			
10.00 AM	PLENARY LECTURE Vascular mild neurocognitive disorder - <i>Christopher Chen</i>			
10:30 AM	TEA			
11:00 AM	SYMPOSIUM DIAGNOSIS & TREATMENT OF AD a. Normal aging, MCI & early AD — Christopher Chen b. Brain imaging, risk variants & plasma proteomics in AD — Madhav Thambisetty c. Imaging predictors of cognition: diagnosis & prognosis — Ken Nagata	SYMPOSIUM EPIDEMIOLOGY & RISK a. Why do we need more epidemiological studies – Mary Ganguli b. Epidemiology of early-onset dementia – Manabu Ikeda c. Vascular risk, cerebrovascular disease & dementia in Asia – Nagendran Kandiah		
12:30 PM	Lunchtime symposium sponsored by Eisai			
01:30 PM	PLENARY LECTURE Vascular dementia - Ingmar Skoog			
02:00 PM	SYMPOSIUM SMALL VESSEL DISEASE Sponsored by Otsuka a. Cerebral small vessel disease in Asia – Simeon Marasigan b. Cerebral small vessel disease & cognitive impairment – Kamran Ikram c. Small vessel disease – can it be prevented? Vincent Mok	SYMPOSIUM PRIMARY CARE IN DEMENTIA a. Management of cognitive impairment & dementia in the primary care setting — Huali Wang b. Management of cognitive impairment in acute medical setting — Dilhar Samaraweera c. Caregiver burden in dementia — Suh Guk-Hee		
03:30 PM	TEA			
6.30 PM	OPENING CEREMONY J B Peiris Oration The PAQUID prospective cohort for incident cognitive decline and dementia. 1988 – 2013: the first 25 years Jean-Marc Orgogozo			

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8:00 AM	REGISTRATION	
	ASN programme	ASAD programme
8:30 AM		PLENARY LECTURE The continuing evolution of diagnostic criteria for AD – <i>Mary Ganguli</i>
9:00 AM		PLENARY LECTURE Appropriate dementia care models in Asia — Ennapadam Krishnamoorthy
9:30 AM		SYMPOSIUM BEHAVIOURAL & PSYCHIATRIC ISSUES IN DEMENTIA a. Innovative behavioral interventions for neurocognitive disorders – Linda Lam b. Non-pharmacological interventions in patients with behavioural symptoms – Samudra Kathriarachchi c. Prevalence and interventions for neuropsychiatric symptoms in major neurocognitive disorder – Wai-chi Chan
10:30 AM	TEA	<u> </u>
11:00 AM		SYMPOSIUM EARLY DETECTION OF DEMENTIA a. Does dementia screening provide an opportunity for early intervention? – Yuan-Han Yang b. Preclinical interventions for secondary prevention of AD – Colin Masters c. Gait abnormalities: do they predict early risk? – Kenichi Meguro
12:30 PM	Lunchtime symposium sponsored by Kalbe Post-stoke dementia – Nagendran Kandiah	
1:30 PM	Post-stoke dementia	PLENARY LECTURE Impact of silent CVD in AD – Nagendran Kandiah
2:00 PM		SYMPOSIUM HOT TOPICS a. When does AD really start? Ingmar Skoog b. How can we build successful national dementia programmes? Jean-Marc Orgogozo c. Adiposity & insulin resistance in AD: when state meets trait — Madhav Thambisetty
3:30 PM	TEA	
4:00 PM		DEBATE: Treatment for A-beta positive & negative MCI? Colin Masters & Saman Gunatilake Moderator: Christopher Chen
5:00 PM		ASAD board meeting
7:00 PM	FELLOWSHIP	

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	16, 2014 (Sunday)	
8:00 AM	REGISTRATION	T
	ASN programme	ASAD programme
8:30 AM		WORKSHOP/TEACHING SESSION -
		DIAGNOSIS & MANAGEMENT OF DEMENTIA
		a. Clinical classification of dementia & diagnosis – Paulus
		Anam Ong
		 b. Use of imaging techniques for diagnosis – Sanjeewa Munasinghe
		c. A clinical approach: planning management and care based
		on diagnosis – Vorapun Senanarong
10:30 AM	TEA	
11:00 AM		WORKSHOP/TEACHING SESSION
		ESSENTIAL PSYCHIATRY FOR NEUROLOGISTS
		Resource persons:
		a. Ennapadam Krishnamoorthy
		b. Shehan Williams
12:30 PM	LUNCH	
1:30 PM		FREE PAPER SESSION (Oral)
3:30 PM	TEA	
4:00 PM		PLENARY LECTURE
		Lessons from amyloid imaging in vascular cognitive impairment
		- Vincent Mok
4.30 PM		PLENARY LECTURE
		Fronto-temporal dementia – Manabu Ikeda
5.00 PM		ASAD - CLOSING CEREMONY
7:00 PM	BANQUET	