



President's Message

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Dear Fellows and colleagues,

As I write this President's Message for the last issue of the year, my second term of office as President will be coming to a close in a few weeks' time. It has been an extraordinary privilege to be your President over the past four years. It has been an amazing journey for me. I encountered challenges but there were moments of joy and satisfaction that I will remember and carry with me as I move on to a new journey in the years ahead.

I feel very honoured to have the opportunity to work with many extraordinary people in serving the Academy and our Fellows. I wish to thank my Officers, members of our Council and Committees, College Presidents and representatives as well as the staff of the Academy for their unfailing support and efforts. My gratitude also goes to all our Fellows especially those who have contributed their time and expertise generously to the Academy. I have learnt from the best, and gained much knowledge from my peers.

I would like to highlight some of the achievements of the Academy during my presidency. We established the Hong Kong Jockey Club Innovative Learning Centre for Medicine (HKJC ILCM) in 2013 and the Hong Kong Jockey Club Disaster Preparedness and Response Institute (HKJC DPRI) in 2014. We also upgraded the information technology system and launched our iCMECPD mobile applications. Moreover, various renovation projects for the Academy building and its facilities were completed.

It is most gratifying that we have enhanced relations with the World Health Organization (WHO), which has provided support to our work on disaster preparedness and response. Our HKAM / DPRI delegation has visited the WHO offices, including the Headquarters in Geneva, Regional Office for the Western Pacific and Representative Office in China, strengthening our connection and collaboration with the WHO.

We were delighted that the HKJC DPRI was invited to co-organise and host the WHO Emergency Medical Teams (EMT) Global Meeting at our Academy building on 28-30 November 2016. It was our privilege that Minister of the National Health and Family Planning Commission of the PRC (NHFPC) Ms Li Bin and Chief Executive of the Government of the HKSAR The Honourable CY Leung also attended to officiate the opening ceremony. The Global Meeting, gathering different stakeholders of the EMT Initiative, generated fruitful discussions in a number of issues about EMT development.

Many prominent events are now held at the Academy building every year, including some large-scale international scientific meetings. The Academy has also been organising regular conferences for the exchange of experience and sharing of knowledge. Following the success of our first Annual Conference on Disaster Preparedness and Response last year, this year's Conference, titled 'Building a Resilient Health System', was held on 8 October and attracted over 320 local and overseas participants.

Ensuring patient safety is a core mission of the Academy. We partner with government departments and medical organisations to promote safe and quality patient care. The Academy has been working with the Department of Health and Hospital Authority in developing credentialling policies as well as setting guidelines for high-risk or complex procedures. Furthermore, we initiated the establishment of the Hong Kong Simulation Alliance with six other Hong Kong organisations in 2013 promoting scenario-based simulation training in a multi-discipline and multi-sectoral context. With the support of the Center for Medical Simulation in Boston of the United States, the HKJC ILCM has organised various simulation training courses.

In 2015, we were invited to join the International Association of Medical Regulatory Authorities (IAMRA) as a Partner Organisation, following our regular communication with the General Medical Council. The Hong Kong Academy of Medicine is IAMRA's Partner in Hong Kong. Working together we will continue to carry out our mission to foster safe and better medical care in Hong Kong.

We have maintained a close tie with the NHFPC, formerly known as the Ministry of Health. We entered into a new Memorandum of Understanding on Standardisation of General/Specialist Medical Training in October 2015. We also visited the NHFPC office based in Beijing and also the Health and Family Planning Commission of Sichuan Province to meet with their officials and establish closer collaboration in disaster preparedness and response work. The discussions included the standardisation and certification of emergency medical teams for disasters in China, and training of emergency medical teams in Hong Kong.

I engaged in a number of international networking activities over the past four years, which included participating in academic conferences jointly organised by the Academy and other institutions in Hong Kong and overseas, such as Harvard University, University of Glasgow, The University of Manchester, and Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada.

We are also privileged to have many renowned guests visiting the Academy and delivering lectures as our guest speakers, such as Dr Julio Frenk, the then Dean of Harvard T.H. Chan School of Public Health; Dr Atul Gawande, Executive Director of Ariadne Labs, and a renowned surgeon and writer; and Dr Lincoln Chen, President of China Medical Board, to name a few.

Apart from these events, the Academy also signed and renewed Memoranda of Understanding for continual cooperation with authorities and organisations, such as the two sister academies of Malaysia and Singapore, Health Bureau of the Macau SAR Government and Hong Kong Police Force. These collaborative projects enable knowledge sharing, training, research, and issues related to the accreditation of medical specialists and enhance the prominence of the Hong Kong Academy of Medicine locally and internationally.

During the past summer, whilst trying hard to defend the Academy's position in the Medical Council to enable our carrying out our statutory role and responsibility during debate over the proposed amendments to the Medical Registration Ordinance (MRO), our Council met with criticism from some Fellows who were aggrieved with our support of the Government's amendment. An extraordinary general meeting was held whereby the Academy's position was clarified and a promise was made to survey Fellow's opinion when the MRO discussion resumes. The experience is a good reminder of the changing times we are facing and different values Fellows possess nowadays.

There are costs and risks to a program of action but they are far less than the long-range risks and costs of comfortable inaction.

John F. Kennedy

The sudden change in indemnity policy of the Medical Protection Society towards obstetricians was a wake-up call to our Fellows. The profession needs to proactively look for competitive indemnity insurance to avoid such threats being posed to other specialties. The Academy continues to work with private hospitals to look for a realistic solution.

In 1380, Geoffrey Chaucer wrote, "All good things must come to an end." In the next term, Prof CS Lau will succeed me to be the President of the Academy, and we will also have some new Officers joining us.

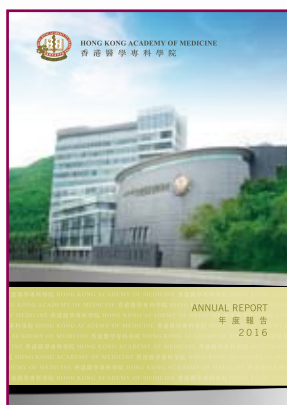
I urge all of you to render the same support to our new President and Officers.

May I wish you a joyful Christmas season, and a prosperous new year ahead.

Dr Donald Li

President

1 December 2016



Annual Report

The Academy's Annual Report has been published and is now available on our website.

CME/CPD Principles & Guidelines 2017–19

Fellows may wish to note that the CME/CPD Principles & Guidelines for the next cycle 2017–19 will remain unchanged, i.e. no more than 75 points can be awarded for passive participation in a 3-year cycle. Fellows are strongly advised to maintain a balanced CME/CPD profile with a mix of different activities, in order to capture the full benefit of different types of CME/CPD activities.

The Principles & Guidelines 2017–19 document is available online at the Academy website: http://www.hkam.org.hk/HKAMWEB/pages_4_51.html.

(Note: Individual Colleges will have their own set of guidelines based on what have been agreed at the Academy level. There may be specific rules or requirements that the Colleges determine to be relevant for their specialties.)

Annual General Meeting, 23rd Annual Fellowship Conferment Ceremony and 2016 David Todd Oration

Annual General Meeting

During the 23rd AGM held on 16 December 2016, results of the election of Officers were announced. In accordance with the HKAM Ordinance, an election was conducted earlier. Six nominations were received before the deadline of 22 August 2016. As there was only one nominee for each of the six posts, the candidates were elected to their respective post *ipso facto*.

Prof LAU Chak-sing	President
Dr LAU Chor-chiu	Vice-President (General Affairs)
Dr Gilberto LEUNG	Vice-President (Education & Examinations)
Prof Henry CHAN	Honorary Secretary
Dr CHOW Yu-fat	Honorary Treasurer
Prof Martin WONG	Editor

The term of office of the six Officers began on 16 December 2016 and will end at the conclusion of the AGM in 2018. The meeting recorded a vote of thanks to Prof TF Fok, Prof William Wei, and Prof Ignatius Yu, for their great contributions during the past four years as Vice-President (General Affairs), Honorary Treasurer, and Editor, respectively.

Annual Fellowship Conferment Ceremony

Congratulations to the 292 Academy Fellows conferred at the Ceremony. President commended the achievements of the new Fellows and wished them all the best for their professional career. The full list of new Fellows is available on the Academy website.



Presentation of Plaques and Awards

Best Original Research by Trainees (BORT)

Award	Winner	Research Topic
Gold Medal	Dr Kendrick C SHIH (College of Ophthalmologists of Hong Kong)	Transcorneal electrical stimulation prevents secondary retinal ganglion cell death after acute ocular hypertensive injury through modulation of microglia-mediated local inflammatory response
Silver Medal	Dr Michael YX NI (Hong Kong College of Community Medicine)	Longitudinal predictors of depression trajectories following major social protests in Hong Kong
Bronze Medal	Dr Vincent WK CHAN (Hong Kong College of Orthopaedic Surgeons)	Effect of steroid in local infiltration analgesia in one-stage bilateral total knee arthroplasty. A paired-randomized controlled study

Best Original Paper Award (BOPA)



Dr Kwok-yin Leung received the BOPA for the paper entitled "Effect of non-invasive prenatal testing as a contingent approach on the indications for invasive prenatal diagnosis and prenatal detection rate of Down's syndrome" (KO Kou et al; Hong Kong Med J 2016;22:223-30).

Plaques of Appreciation

During the Ceremony, several Plaques of Appreciation were presented to the following ex-Council Members for their years of service to the Academy Council.

1. **Dr Ares Leung** — Ex Officio Council Member (Jan 2013 – Dec 2015)
2. **Prof Peter Chiu** — Ex Officio Council Member (Dec 2014 – Dec 2016)*
3. **Dr Patrick Li** — Ex Officio Council Member (Oct 2010 – Oct 2016)*
4. **Prof Stephen Cheng** — Ex Officio Council Member (Nov 2013 – Sep 2016)

* Unable to attend the ceremony

Plaques of Appreciation were also presented to some Secretariat staff for their years of service in recognition of the dedication and contributions to the Academy.

10-year service award

5. Ms Joanne Ho, Administrative Assistant
6. Ms Justin Ng, Deputy Manager (Event Team)

15-year service award

7. Ms Yvonne Kwok, Managing Editor

A souvenir was presented to Mr Elmer Wan, who has served the Academy for over 22 years, for his retirement.

At the ceremony, Dr Donald Li, the outgoing President, also handed over the Presidential Badge to the new President, Prof Chak-sing Lau.



2016 David Todd Oration

David Todd Oration was inaugurated in 1995 to honour our Founding President of the Academy, Professor Sir David Todd, in recognition of his profound Contributions to the Academy. The Academy was privileged to have Professor Peter Mathieson, President and Vice Chancellor, Honorary Professor of Medicine of The University of Hong Kong, delivered the Oration this year. The Oration was entitled "The Rising Tide of Kidney Disease".



Prof Sir David Todd presents a souvenir to Prof Peter Mathieson

Council Dinner with Distinguished Young Fellows, 22 September 2016

The Academy organised a Council Dinner with Distinguished Young Fellows to recognise their achievements in respective specialties. Honorary Fellow Prof Rosie Young, Past President Dr David Fang, Officers, Council Members, and College representatives joined the dinner to congratulate the young Fellows. President welcomed the young Fellows, and gave an introduction to the Academy's work and upcoming activities. In Prof Young's speech, she highlighted the importance of continuing medical education in building a successful career. She hoped the young Fellows would contribute not only locally to their College, the Academy and the medical profession in Hong Kong, but also internationally. Three young Fellows were drawn out by Honorary Secretary, Dr CC Lau, to share their experience and feelings. It was an enjoyable dinner with a lot of sharing among the participants.



Survey to Fellows – Academy's representation in MCHK

As reported earlier, the work of the Tripartite Platform on the reform of Medical Council of Hong Kong (MCHK) has commenced last month. The Academy would like to hear Fellows' voice in relation to its representation in MCHK which will be very useful for the Academy Council's consideration. Relevant views will be relayed to the Tripartite Platform through our Academy representative. We plan to conduct a survey to seek views from Fellows in early 2017. The Social Sciences Research Centre of University of Hong Kong (HKU SSRC) has been engaged to help design and conduct the survey. An online survey form will be sent to Fellows directly by HKU SSRC in due course which will contain relevant details.



CMS Plaque Presentation Ceremony, 7 November 2016

Since 2013, Hong Kong Jockey Club Innovative Learning Centre for Medicine (HKJC ILCM) of the Academy has been working collaboratively with the Center for Medical Simulation (CMS) to develop and provide simulation-based training in Hong Kong. HKJC ILCM has recently been recognised as an affiliate of the CMS. Dr Robert Simon, Senior Director (Educational Leadership and International Programs) of the CMS, presented a plaque to the Academy signifying the affiliation, which aims to achieve a common goal of improving patient safety.



Dr Robert Simon presents a plaque to Dr Donald Li (President) and Dr PP Chen (Honorary Director, HKJC ILCM)

Dinner with WHO Regional Director for the Western Pacific, 26 November 2016

The President and Officers hosted a dinner in honour of Dr Shin Young Soo, Regional Director for the Western Pacific of the World Health Organization. The dinner was also attended by Dr PY Lam, former Director of Health; Dr Cindy Lai, Deputy Director of Health; and Dr KH Wong, Controller of Centre for Health Protection.

Luncheon in Honour of the WHO Director-General, 27 November 2016

The President and Officers hosted a luncheon in honour of Dr Margaret Chan, Director-General of the World Health Organization (WHO), at the Sha Tin Racecourse on 27 November 2016. It was a very enjoyable lunch with the participation of WHO delegation and emergency medical experts who were attending the WHO Emergency Medical Teams Global Meeting held at the Academy Building on 28-30 November, as well as government officials and sponsor of the Global Meeting.

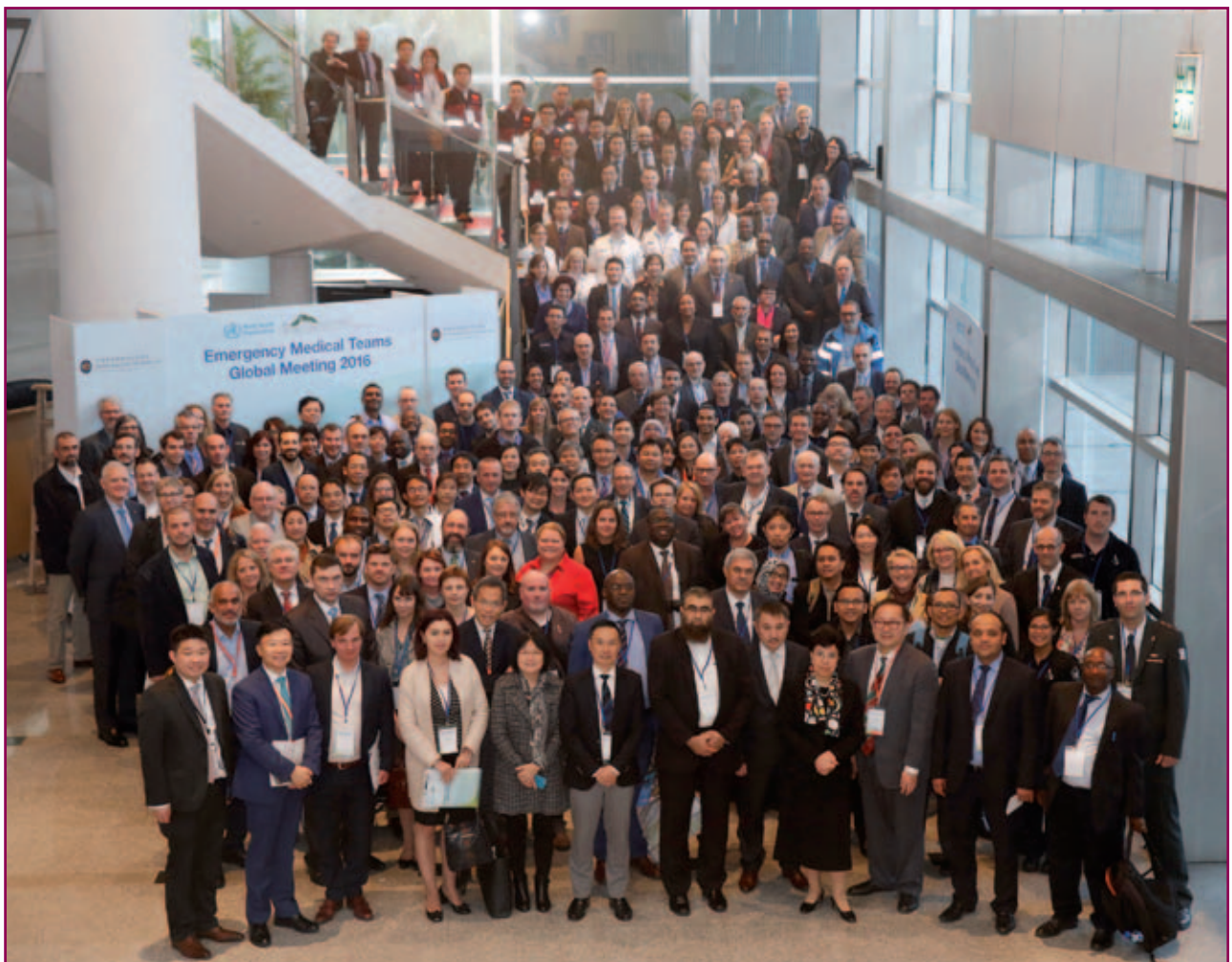


WHO EMT Global Meeting, 28-30 November 2016

Co-hosted by the World Health Organization (WHO) and Hong Kong Jockey Club Disaster Preparedness and Response Institute (HKJC DPRI) of the Academy, the WHO Emergency Medical Teams (EMT) Global Meeting was successfully held at the Academy building on 28-30 November 2016, gathering a wide range of stakeholders from the international EMT community.

The opening ceremony was officiated by The Hon CY Leung, the Chief Executive of the Government of the HKSAR; Dr Margaret Chan, Director-General of the WHO; Minister Li Bin, Minister of the National Health and Family Planning Commission; Mr Anthony Chow, Deputy Chairman of The Hong Kong Jockey Club; and the Academy's President. The Global Meeting attracted over 270 EMT experts from more than 60 countries. Discussions were fruitful and productive recommendations on the way forward were made.

During the Global Meeting, President and Officers had a dinner meeting with delegates from the National Health and Family Planning Commission of the PRC to discuss EMT initiatives as the collaboration progresses.



HKAM Golf Tournament 2016, 30 November 2016

The HKAM Golf Tournament 2016 was completed successfully and smoothly at Hong Kong Jockey Club Kau Sai Chau Public Golf Club on 30 November 2016. All 71 golfers had a great time and enjoyed the game on a beautiful day perfect for golf. Mr Richard Yuen, Former Permanent Secretary for Food and Health (Health), also joined the tournament.

Dr Hon Pierre Chan, Legislative Council Member (Medical), graced the award presentation ceremony with his presence and presented the awards to the winners.

Winners are listed below:

	Champion	Champion (Lady)	1st Runner Up	2nd Runner Up
HKAM President's Cup	Dr CM Chan (PH)	Dr Dacita Suen (SU)	Dr CK Ching (PH)	Dr Wilson Lee (DS)
CUHK Medical Alumni Cup	Dr Godwin Leung (PH)		Dr Henry Ho (OS)	Dr Thomas Fung (OT)
HKU Medical Alumni Cup	Dr KL Chu (OT)		Dr Gary Au (GP)	Dr Ida Mah (SU)
Best Gross	Dr Kelvin Inge (PH)			

The Academy also wishes to thank members of the Organising Committee for their time and effort and MEDA Pharmaceutical Hong Kong Limited for its generous support.



Media Luncheon, 7 December 2016

President hosted a luncheon with the media at the Hong Kong University Alumni Association on 7 December 2016. He shared the major accomplishments of the Academy during his tenure as the President in the past four years as well as his views on recent health topics. Reporters from ten media organisations joined the luncheon.





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Disaster Preparedness and Response Institute

Annual Conference on Disaster Preparedness and Response 2016: Building a Resilient Health System, 8 October 2016

Co-organised by the Hong Kong Jockey Club Disaster Preparedness and Response Institute (HKJC DPRI) of the Academy and the Hong Kong College of Community Medicine (HKCCM), the 2nd Annual conference on Disaster Preparedness and Response 2016, titled 'Building a Resilient Health System', was held successfully on 8 October 2016, attracting over 320 local and overseas participants.



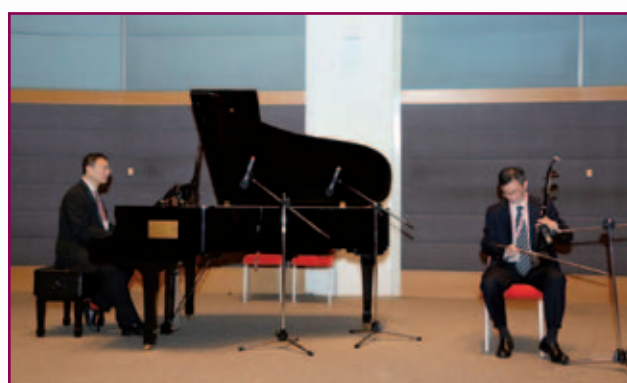
The Opening Ceremony was held at the Run Run Shaw Hall and was officiated by the Honourable Lai Tung-kwok, Secretary for Security of the Government of the HKSAR; Mr Patrick Nip, Permanent Secretary for Food and Health (Health) of the Government of the HKSAR; Mr Anthony Chow, Deputy Chairman of the Hong Kong Jockey Club; Dr Bernhard Schwartlander, WHO Representative in China; Prof Fung Hong, President of the Hong Kong College of Community Medicine; and Dr Donald Li, President of the Hong Kong Academy of Medicine. The officiating guests kicked off the Conference by introducing the five elements to build a resilient health system: Crisis Leadership and Planning, Primary Health Care, Hospital Infrastructure and Operational Planning, Community-based Actions, and Multi-sectoral Actions. These five elements constituted the five sub-themes of the Conference.





Following was the Opening Keynote Address delivered by Dr Bernhard Schwartlander introducing the features of resilient health system and the work of the WHO Emergency Medical Teams Initiative; and the two sessions of Keynote Speech delivered respectively by Prof Gabriel Leung, Dean of Li Ka Shing Faculty of Medicine of The University of Hong Kong and Prof EK Yeoh, Director, the Jockey Club School of Public Health and Primary Care of The Chinese University of Hong Kong.

The Conference also included a pre-conference workshop titled 'Mobile Surge Capacity Teams for Medical and Public Health Emergencies (local and global)' held on 7 October 2016. At the Conference, distinguished local and overseas speakers presented on a wide range of topics highlighting the essentials of the development, maintenance, and promotion of a preventive safety and health system towards building international and national capacity for disaster risk management, conducted in concurrent sessions. Poster and free paper sessions were also held during the Conference. Before the Closing Ceremony and Award Ceremony of the Best Papers, panelists from different sectors shared their views at the round table discussion on multi-sectoral contributions to a resilient health system. The Conference ended with the networking cum HKCCM's 25th anniversary reception, featuring a music jamming session performed by Prof Fung Hong and Dr Thomas Tsang.



After the Conference, President and Officers of the Academy hosted a networking dinner at the Hong Kong Golf Club, Deep Water Bay, with distinguished overseas guest speakers including Dr Bernhard Schwartlander, Prof Pratap Prasad, Dr Zhang Bike, Dr and Mrs Darren Walter, and Prof Jennifer Leaning. Under Secretary for Food and Health of the Government of the HKSAR, Prof Sophia Chan, also joined the dinner.

More photos on this event are available on the Academy website.



Events Attended by the HKAM President and Other Officers

Conferment Ceremonies of Specialty Colleges

President, Officers, and Elected Council Members attended ceremonies celebrating and congratulating the newly admitted College Fellows on their remarkable accomplishments.



Hong Kong College of Anaesthesiologists, 2 September 2016



Hong Kong College of Community Medicine, 10 September 2016



The College of Surgeons of Hong Kong, 17 September 2016



Hong Kong College of Physicians, 15 October 2016



Hong Kong College of Emergency Medicine, 28 October 2016



Hong Kong College of Radiologists, 12 November 2016



Hong Kong College of Otorhinolaryngologists, 19 November 2016



Hong Kong College of Pathologists, 26 November 2016



College of Ophthalmologists of Hong Kong, 20 November 2016

Delegation from West China Hospital of Sichuan University, 2 September 2016

A delegation from West China Hospital of Sichuan University visited the Academy on 2 September 2016. President, two Vice-Presidents, Honorary Secretary of the Academy, and the Vice-President of the College of Surgeons of Hong Kong received the delegation, and shared experiences in training local specialists. More collaborations between the Academy and West China Hospital are expected.



HKU Year 1 Professionalism in Practice Programme Briefing Session, 2 September 2016

President was invited by the Department of Family Medicine and Primary Care, The University of Hong Kong to share with Year 1 medical students on the topic of 'Professionalism in Clinical Practice: Family Doctors in Private Practice'. The main purpose of this briefing session was to nurture the development of the attributes of professionalism.



Annual Meeting of CACM, 8 September 2016

President was invited to attend the Annual Meeting organised by the China Association of Chinese Medicine (CACM) in Shanghai. During the meeting, he delivered a presentation on the global trend in primary care and had fruitful exchanges with other delegates.

Networking Lunch with the Permanent Secretary for Food and Health (Health), 9 September 2016

The President and Officers hosted a networking lunch on 9 September 2016. It was a very enjoyable lunch with the participation of Mr Patrick Nip, Permanent Secretary for Food and Health (Health) of the Government of the HKSAR, officials from the Food and Health Bureau as well as the Academy Council Members.



HKDMA Symposium, 10 September 2016

President attended the Annual Symposium organised by the Hong Kong Disaster Medicine Association Ltd as an officiating guest. Community engagement was the theme for this year's symposium aiming to enhance and increase the community's preparedness level.



White Coat Inauguration Ceremony of the Faculty of Medicine, 10 September 2016

President officiated at the White Coat Inauguration Ceremony for Medical Freshmen 2016 of the Faculty of Medicine, The Chinese University of Hong Kong. Doctors are facing uncontrollable factors than ever including terrorism, epidemics, and natural disasters. President gave advice to the freshmen on how to equip themselves in his inspiring remarks.



CAS Officers Mess Dinner, 13 September 2016

President attended the Officers Mess Dinner of the Civil Aid Service (CAS), which was also officiated by the Chief Secretary for Administration of the Government of the HKSAR. CAS Commissioner, Dr Ernest Lee, reported the remarkable achievements of the CAS in the past year and pledged that the CAS will continue to better serve the public by providing emergency and community services. All the participants enjoyed the dinner with live band performance.



12th International Conference on Medical Regulation, 20-23 September 2016

Vice-President (Education & Examinations) attended the Conference organised by International Association of Medical Regulatory Authorities in Melbourne. Entitled 'Medical Regulation – making a difference', the conference attracted over 500 participants from more than 42 countries. The theme was explored through plenary sessions, workshops, oral and poster presentations focusing on needs and expectations of the community, global challenges in medical education and professional regulation, the evidence on what is effective in regulation, the training of doctors of the future, how regulators respond to changes and developments in medical practice, etc.



Philanthropy for Better Cities Forum, 22 September 2016

President participated in the inaugural Philanthropy for Better Cities Forum organised by The Hong Kong Jockey Club. The Forum focused on metropolitan social issues with the participation of over 40 international and local speakers. President shared his insightful views with the participants in the session of 'Health and Cities Resiliency', in particular the landscape of health in cities including challenges and opportunities.



International Conference on Innovations in Public Health Sciences, 24 September 2016

President officiated at the opening ceremony of the International Conference on Innovations in Public Health Sciences organised by The Jockey Club School of Public Health and Primary Care of The Chinese University of Hong Kong in celebration of its 15th Anniversary. Innovations in public health sciences are crucial in addressing the complex and interacting factors that help determine health. During the Conference, President co-chaired a plenary session with Prof Sian Griffiths, which focused on 'Person Centered and System Sciences: Innovations in Public Sciences'.



35th Anniversary Faculty Gala Dinner of CUHK Faculty of Medicine, 25 September 2016

President joined friends of the Faculty of Medicine of The Chinese University of Hong Kong at the Gala Dinner in celebration of its 35th anniversary and remarkable achievements.



HKMA Youth Forum, 25 September 2016

President participated in the Youth Forum organised by the Hong Kong Medical Association, entitled 'Future in Our Hands', and shared his insights on the specialist training. He also discussed challenges being encountered by health care professionals with other panelists, including Dr Wai-lun Cheung of Hospital Authority, Dr Chi-ho Ng of the Hong Kong Public Doctors' Association, etc.



International Medical Education Leaders' Forum, 28-30 September 2016

President attended the Forum organised by the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada (RCPSC) in Ontario. He participated in a full-day programme which focused on the Lancet Commission's Report – Health professionals for a new century: transforming education to strengthen health systems in an independent world. There were several roundtable discussions covering wide range of topics from professionalism and humanities competencies, recommendations for global collaborations to interprofessional and transprofessional education, etc. President also joined the Convocation of RCPSC and a Past President's dinner hosted by President of RCPSC, Dr Kevin Imrie as well as a lunch with delegates of Asia Pacific region.



Multimedia Campaign, 2 October 2016

President and Vice-President (Education & Examinations) attended the award presentation ceremony of the Multimedia Campaign launched by the Hong Kong Jockey Club Disaster Preparedness and Response Institute.

Entitled 'Community Campaign on Disaster Resilience', the campaign aimed to enhance the community resilience through a range of public education activities. Competition theme for Year 2016 was 'Disaster Commander Wanted!'. The competition featured two categories, 'Mini-Film Production' targeting the secondary school students and 'Drawing Contest' targeting the primary ones.



Organ Donation Promotion Charter Launching Ceremony and Bus Parade, 15 October 2016

Food and Health Bureau and the Department of Health recently has worked with the MTR Corporation Limited to organise organ donation promotional activities from October to December 2016. Vice-President (Education & Examinations) attended the launching ceremony of the kick-off event and its associated bus parade to support the meaningful initiatives.



Kick off event of '130 Years of Medicine in Hong Kong', 16 October 2016

President joined other distinguished guests, including the Secretary for Food and Health, at the kick off event organised by the Li Ka Shing Faculty of Medicine, The University of Hong Kong in celebration of its 130th anniversary.



WHO Health Dialogue with US Acting Deputy Secretary for Health and Human Service Mary Wakefield, 18-19 October 2016

President participated in the Health Dialogue organised by the World Health Organization China Country Office in Beijing. The theme of the Health Dialogue was 'Building high quality primary health care that the population uses and trusts: challenges and lessons from China and the United States'. It was moderated by WHO Goodwill Ambassador for Sustainable Development Goals and Health Mr James Chau, and also participated by two other panelists, Dr Zeng Yixin, Chairman of General Practitioner Education and Training Specialist Committee of Chinese Medical Doctor Association and Dr Han Zhengzheng, Director of Beijing Desheng Community Health Centre. The panelists shared their thoughts about the challenges and solutions for the delivery of primary health care.



Health Exhibition, 22 October 2016

The Academy's Editor attended the Health Exhibition organised by the Medical Society of the Hong Kong University Students' Union as the Guest-of-Honour. Entitled 'Matter of Life and Breath', Editor shared his insights on issues in relation to respiratory disease. The exhibition featured a series of health talks, free health checks health counselling, etc.



Visiting Delegation from the National Academy of Medicine, 28 October 2016

A delegation from the US-based National Academy of Medicine (NAM), led by President Prof Victor Dzau, visited the Academy on 28 October 2016. Those attended the lunch meeting included Vice-President (Education & Examinations) and Hon Secretary of the Academy as well as President and Vice-President of the Hong Kong College of Community Medicine. Under Secretary for Food and Health of the Government of the HKSAR, Prof Sophia Chan, was also invited to join the meeting and share views. The discussions explored the potential collaborations and partnerships between the Academy and NAM on different areas such as joint academic events and cooperation on policy level.



Annual Scientific Meeting (ASM) of the Hong Kong Neurological Society, 5 November 2016

Vice-President (General Affairs) attended the opening ceremony as the Guest-of-Honour and delivered a remarks to congratulate the organisation of ASM.



Consultative Session on 2017 Policy Address, 7 November 2016

Vice-President (Education & Examinations) attended the consultation session on 2017 Policy Address to convey different views of the specialty Colleges to Mrs Carrie Lam, the Chief Secretary for Administration of the Government of the HKSAR.

Lunch Meeting with UK Department for International Trade, 17 November 2016

President, Vice-President (Education & Examinations), and Hon Secretary had a lunch meeting with Ms Frances Moffett-Kouadio, Trade Commissioner and Ms Maggie Palmer, Assistant Trade Commissioner. During the meeting, various medical-related matters were discussed, e.g. possible links with UK health care universities, provision of support to general practitioners and clinical genetics expert training, as well as other continuing medical education and continuous professional development (CME/CPD) activities, etc.

5th Anniversary of Hong Kong Academy of Nursing, 19 November 2016

President joined the celebration dinner and delivered an insightful seminar on the 'Functions of an Academy: Impacts on the profession and public'. The dinner was officiated by Dr the Hon WM Ko, Secretary for Food and Health.

Yum Cha service at the Academy

Yum Cha service will be suspended from January to April 2017 due to the renovation project. Services will be resumed in May 2017.

Come to enjoy chilled drinks and premium snack items at the Academy Lounge

We are proud to offer a relaxing and delightful ambiance for you to enjoy after a long day of work—the Academy Lounge. Situated on 3/F of the Academy building, the Lounge is a nicely decorated place with cosy atmosphere ideal for social occasions. A menu of gourmet appetizers and drink specials is offered. Fellows are welcome to enjoy the lounge facilities.



Service hours

Monday to Saturday	1200 hrs - 2100 hrs
Sunday and Public Holiday	0900 hrs - 2100 hrs

New College Council Members

The following Academy Colleges have held annual general meetings and have submitted new Council lists to the newsletter Editorial Board. Congratulations to all new College Office Bearers and Council members. (For lists of other College Councils, please refer to the *Colleges* section on the Academy website.)



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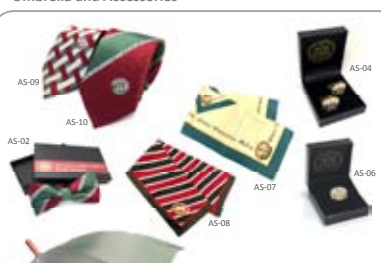
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