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NUHS Tower Block Auditorium
6-8 NOV 2015

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The Liver Transplant Symposium 2015 will feature a Main Symposium and two Hands-On Workshops covering state-of-the-art topics that reflect the multi-disciplinary nature of liver transplantation. Organized by the National University Centre for Organ Transplantation (NUCOT) in partnership with the International Liver Transplant Society (ILTS), it is now open for registrations. Register now and be entitled to special early-bird rates!

Main Symposium Topics | 7-8 Nov 2015
- Transplant Surgery
- Transplant Hepatology
- Anaesthesia & Critical Care
- Immunosuppression
- Transplant Infectious Diseases
- Interventional Radiology and Pathology

Pre-Symposium Workshops | 6 Nov 2015
- Liver Transplantation Surgical Workshops
- Anaesthesia Simulation Workshops

Featured Speakers
- Prof. Choon Long CHEN
  Kaochiung Cheng Gung Memorial Hospital, Taiwan
- A/Prof. James FUNG
  Queen Mary Hospital, Hong Kong
- Prof. John O’GRADY
  Liver Unit at King’s College Hospital, England
- Prof. Faouzi SAJRA
  Hospital Paul Brousse, Centre Neoplasies, France
- A/Prof. Simone STRASSER
  Australian National Liver Transplant Unit, Royal Prince Alfred Hospital, Australia

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Liver Transplantation Surgical Workshop
Khoo Teck Puat Advanced Surgery Training Centre
National University Hospital, Singapore

Aims & Objectives
i. To provide participants with the concepts of surgical techniques in liver transplantation
ii. To demonstrate standard approaches to liver transplant surgery via video demonstration
iii. To allow participants to perform liver transplantation using animal hands-on dissection

Prof. Krishnakumar MADHAVAN
National University Hospital
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A/ Prof. Stephen CHANG
National University Hospital
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Dr. Shridhar IYER
National University Hospital
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Dr. Alfred KOW
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Dr. Caroline SIMON
Khoo Teck Puat Hospital
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Dr. Glenn BONNEY
National University Hospital
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Anaesthesia Simulation Workshop
Centre for Healthcare Simulation
National University of Singapore

Aims & Objectives
i. To increase familiarity with the conduct of liver transplant anesthesia, including reference to unique pathophysiology of liver transplant patients
ii. To provide an insight into haemodynamic monitoring and coagulation management
iii. To discuss potential complications arising during liver transplant anaesthesia and surgery
iv. To improve interdisciplinary communication and teamwork

Dr. Weng Hoa WONG
National University Hospital
SINGAPORE

Dr. Terry PAN
National University Hospital
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Opening and Welcome
Chair:
Dr. Wei Lyn YANG, Tan Tock Seng Hospital, Singapore
Dr. Kieron LIM, National University Hospital, Singapore

Peri-Transplant Management of Hepatorenal Syndrome
Dr. James FUNG, Queen Mary Hospital, Hong Kong

Help or Harm: B-Blockers in Decompensated Cirrhosis
A/Prof. Yock Young DAN, National University Hospital, Singapore

The Role of Liver Assist Devices in South East Asia
Dr. Kang Hoe LEE, Gleneagles Hospital, Singapore

Debate: Post-Transplant HCV Therapy: Is It Still a Challenge?
Proposition: Yes, it is still a Challenge.
Prof. Seng Gee LIM, National University Hospital, Singapore
Opposition: No, it is not a Challenge.
A/Prof. Simone STRASSER, Australian National Liver Transplant Unit, Royal Price Alfred Hospital, Australia

Q & A
Tea Break

Plenary 1: Liver Transplantation in South East Asia: Past, Present and Future
Prof. Krishnakumar MADHAVAN, National University Hospital, Singapore

Chair:
Dr. Alfred KOW, National University Hospital, Singapore
Dr. Caroline SIMON, Khoo Teck Puat Hospital, Singapore

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Perspectives on Liver Transplantation - Innovation, Education and Beyond  
Prof. Chao-Long CHEN,  
Kaohsiung Chang Gung Memorial Hospital, Taiwan

Donation after Cardiac Death in South East Asia  
Dr. Glenn BONNEY, National University Hospital, Singapore

Current Understanding about Small for Size Syndrome in Liver Transplantation  
Dr. Prema Raj, Singapore General Hospital, Singapore

Q & A  
Lunch

Plenary 2: The Role of mTORs in the Era of Personalized Immunosuppression  
Prof. Faouzi SALIBA, Hôpital Paul Brousse, Centre Hépato-Biliaire, France

Chair:  
Dr. Prem THURAIRAJAH, Changi General Hospital, Singapore  
Dr. Robert LO, Tan Tock Seng Hospital, Singapore

Adherence in the Adolescent Liver Recipient  
A/Prof. Marion AW, National University Hospital, Singapore

Post-Transplant Drug-Drug Interactions  
Miss. Tsing Yi KOH, National University Hospital, Singapore

Post-Transplant Disease Recurrence  
Dr. Hock Foong LUI, Gleneagles Hospital, Singapore

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Liver Allograft Histopathology in Post-Transplant Disease Recurrence: Challenges and Pitfalls
Prof. Aileen WEE, National University Hospital, Singapore

Q & A
Tea Break

Chair:
Dr. Shridhar IYER, National University Hospital, Singapore
Dr. Yee Lee CHEAH, Gleneagles Hospital, Singapore

Challenges in Diagnosing and Managing Latent Tuberculosis in South East Asia
Dr. Nicholas CHEW, National University Hospital, Singapore

The Role of Interventional Radiology in Post-Liver Transplant Vascular Complications
Dr. Kamarjit Singh MANGAT, National University Hospital, Singapore

Endoscopic Management of Biliary Complications
Dr. Bhavesh DOSHI, National University Hospital, Singapore

Radiologic Management of Biliary Complications
Dr. Wee Thong NEO, National University Hospital, Singapore

Q & A
Wrap Up of Day 1
Sunrise Symposium
The Role of Loco-Regional Therapy in Liver Transplant Candidates with HCC: Expert Opinions from South East Asia
(Breakfast included)

Faculty:
Prof. Pierce CHOW, Singapore General Hospital, Singapore
Dr. Vanessa DE VILLA, The Medical City, Philippines
Prof. Maung Win KHIN,
Ministry of Health, Department of Hepatology, Myanmar
Prof. L.A LESMANA, University of Indonesia, Indonesia

Moderators:
Dr. Alfred KOW, National University Hospital, Singapore
Dr. Kieron LIM, National University Hospital, Singapore

Plenary 3: DSAs are Important in Influencing Outcomes: Pro and Cons
Prof. John O’GRADY, Liver Unit at King’s College Hospital, England

Chair:
Dr. Weng Hoa WONG, National University Hospital, Singapore
Dr. Poh Seng TAN, National University Hospital, Singapore

Management of the Potential Liver Transplant Recipient with Pulmonary Hypertension
A/Prof. James YIP, National University Hospital, Singapore

Role of BMI in the Selection of Liver Transplant Candidates
Dr. Terry PAN, National University Hospital, Singapore
Challenges in Peri-Operative Management of Coagulopathy in Decompensated Cirrhotics
Dr. Christopher KING, National University Hospital, Singapore

Immediate Post-Transplant Management of the Liver Recipient: The Intensivist’s Viewpoint
Dr. Will LOH, National University Hospital, Singapore

Q & A
Tea Break

Plenary 4: Organ Donation in South East Asia - How to Improve Deceased Organ Availability?
A/Prof. Tong Kiat KWEK, Tan Tock Seng Hospital, Singapore

Chair:
Dr. Maung Aye THWIN, National University Hospital, Singapore
Dr. Yin Mei LEE, National University Hospital, Singapore

Challenges Faced by the Donor Coordinator
Miss. Priscilla WEE, National University Hospital, Singapore

Current Concepts in Post-Liver Transplant HEV Infection
Dr. Guan Huei LEE, National University Hospital, Singapore

Q & A
Closing Remarks
Lunch
About NUCOT

The National University Centre for Organ Transplantation (NUCOT) is the specialist centre for adult and paediatric transplantation in the National University Hospital (Singapore). NUCOT consists of a multi-disciplinary team of medical specialists and allied healthcare professionals dedicated to providing seamless and comprehensive treatment and care for organ transplant patients.

Established since 2008, NUCOT is now a major referral centre for complex tertiary care for transplant patients, with patients being referred from overseas centres such as Brunei, Cambodia, India, Indonesia, Malaysia, Myanmar, Middle East and Vietnam. In addition to its clinical services, NUCOT is a key driver of training and research in transplantation in the region. It frequently hosts international fellows for specialty training in liver and kidney transplantation.

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