



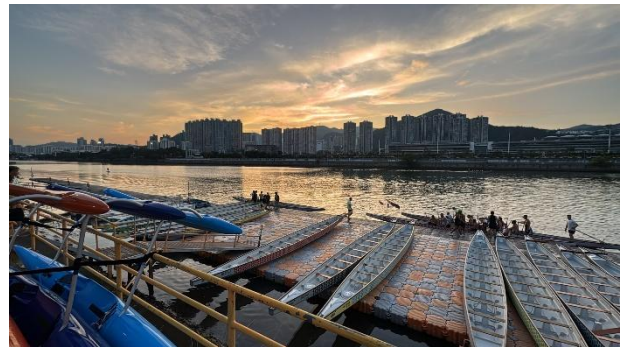
The Hong Kong Orthopaedic Association e-Newsletter (Aug 2026)



Dear Fellows, Members, and Associates,

I hope this letter finds you well. As we head into the second half of the year, I am pleased to share some exciting sports updates and upcoming events for the Hong Kong Orthopaedic Association (HKOA) community.

First, the highly anticipated 11th Hong Kong Medical Association Dragon Boat Race cum David FANG Cup will take place on **Sunday, 13 September 2026**. Our HKOA Dragon Boat Team has been training incredibly hard to represent our community. Following a successful initial practice session on 6 August, the team has also trained on 13, 19 and 27 August to finalise their preparation. We look forward to seeing many of you at the race to cheer on our athletes and show your strong support for the HKOA team.



Looking further ahead into the autumn, the **HKOA Soccer Day 2026** is scheduled for **Sunday, 8**



November 2026. This year's tournament promises to be exceptionally competitive and memorable, as we are thrilled to welcome the football team from the Macau Orthopaedic Association to join the event. Hospital and regional teams interested in participating are encouraged to begin forming their squads. To secure your spot, please contact me or the HKOA secretary directly for registration details.

Thank you for your continued participation and vibrant support in making our association's community events a success. I look forward to seeing you all at the waterfront and on the football pitch.

Warmest regards,

Dr Peter Li
Council Member
Hong Kong Orthopaedic Association

Upcoming Events:

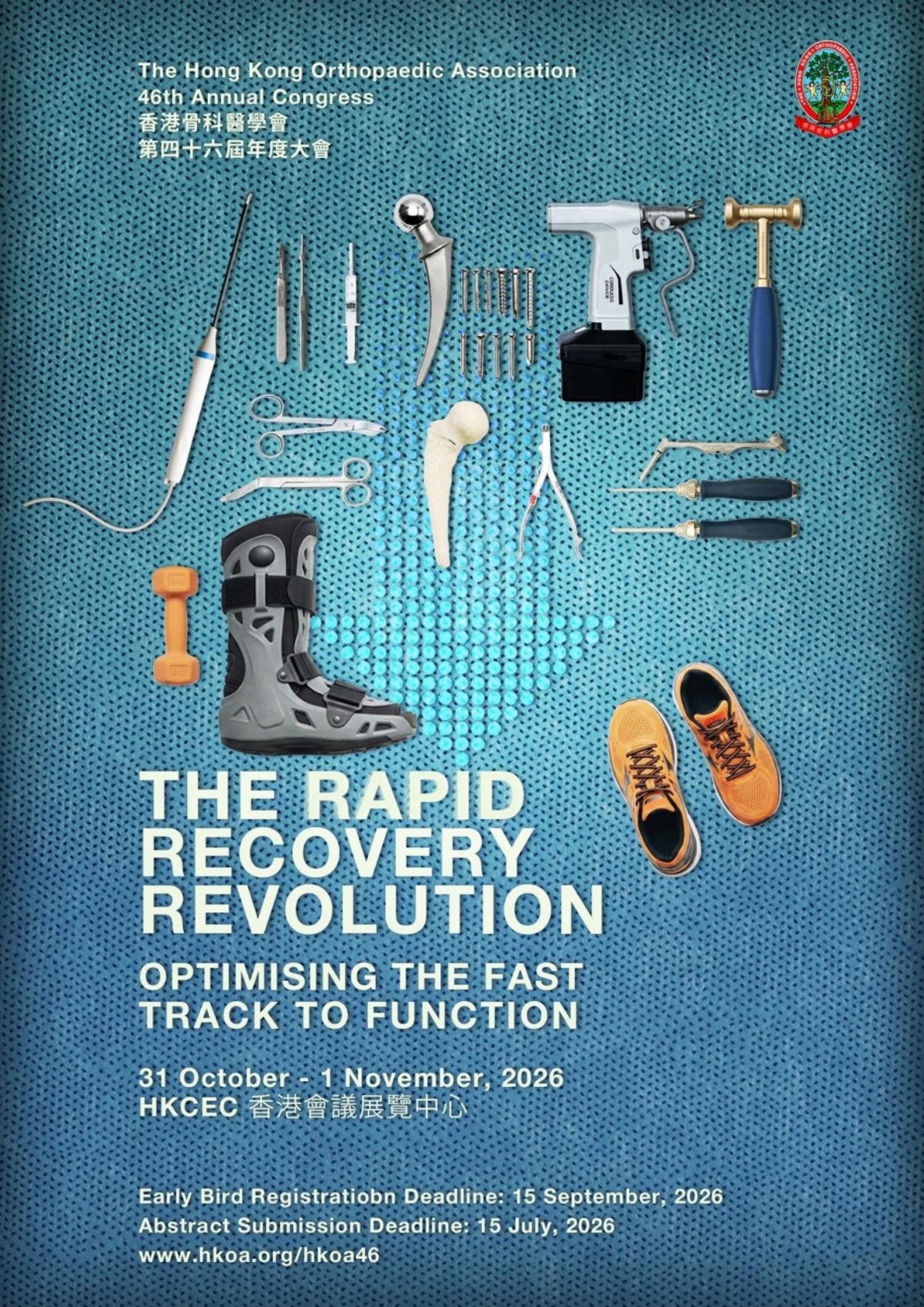
The Hong Kong Orthopaedic Association – 46th Annual Congress

Date: 31 Oct – 1 Nov 2026 (Sat – Sun)

Venue: Hong Kong Convention and Exhibition Centre

Early Bird Registration Deadline: 15 September 2026

Registration: <https://www.hkoa.org/hkoa46>

A poster for the 46th Annual Congress of The Hong Kong Orthopaedic Association. The background is a dark blue textured surface. In the center, a white silhouette of a person is formed by a grid of small white dots. Various medical and orthopaedic items are arranged around this central figure: surgical instruments (scalpel, forceps, scissors, drill, hammer, screws, plates), a knee joint model, a dumbbell, a walking boot, and a pair of orange sneakers. In the top right corner is the association's logo. Text is placed in the top left and bottom sections of the poster.

The Hong Kong Orthopaedic Association
46th Annual Congress
香港骨科醫學會
第四十六屆年度大會

**THE RAPID
RECOVERY
REVOLUTION**

**OPTIMISING THE FAST
TRACK TO FUNCTION**

31 October - 1 November, 2026
HKCEC 香港會議展覽中心

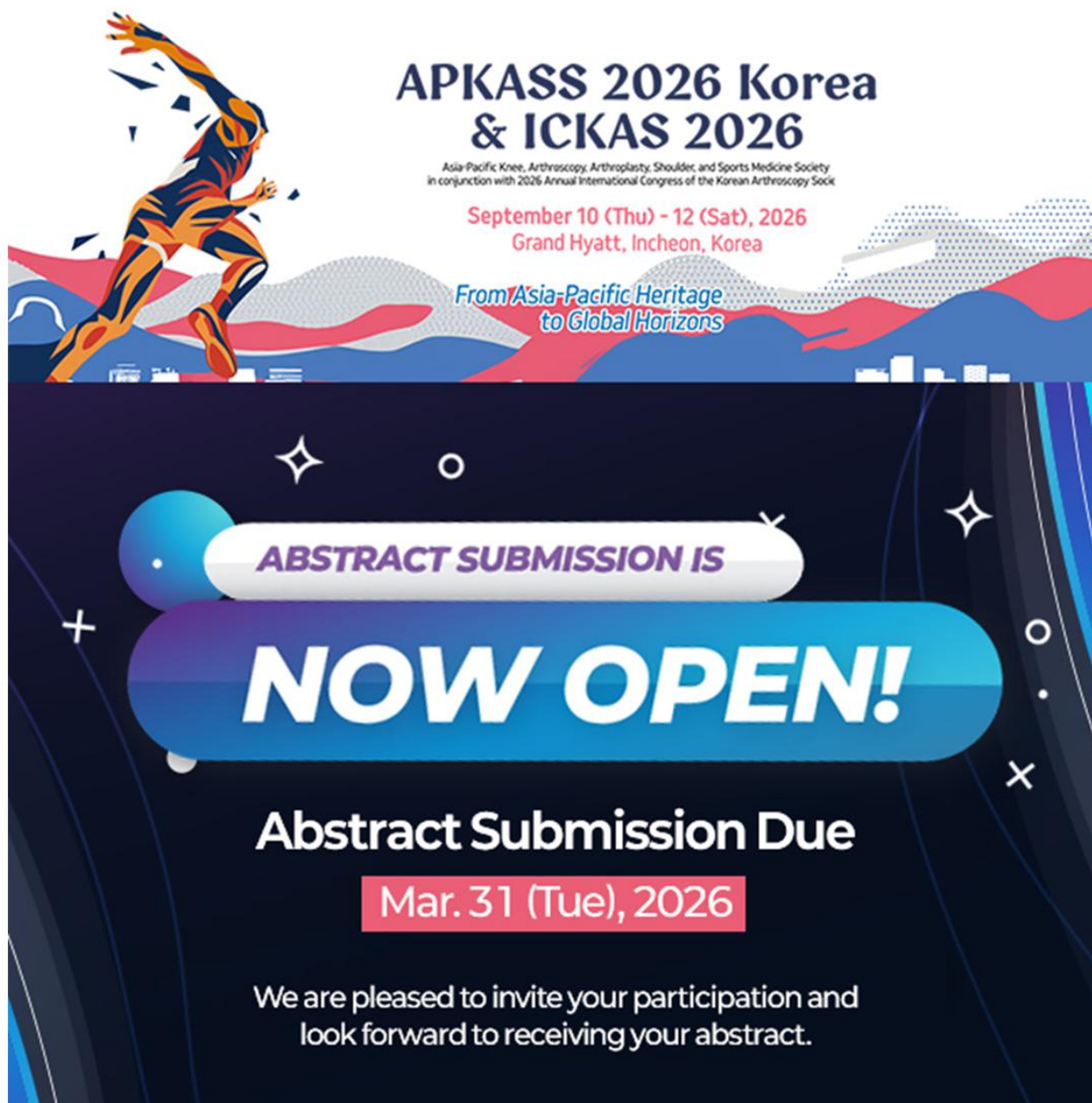
Early Bird Registration Deadline: 15 September, 2026
Abstract Submission Deadline: 15 July, 2026
www.hkoa.org/hkoa46

APKASS 2026 Korea & ICKAS 2026

Date: 10 – 12 September 2026 (Thur - Sat)

Venue: Grand Hyatt, Incheon, Korea

Registration: [APKASS 2026 Korea & ICKAS 2026](#)

The poster features a stylized illustration of a person in a blue and orange athletic suit running on a path that leads towards a horizon. The background is a mix of blue, red, and white wavy lines. The text is arranged in a clear, hierarchical manner, with the event title at the top, followed by dates and venue, and a large call to action in the center. The bottom section includes a deadline and an invitation to participate.

**APKASS 2026 Korea
& ICKAS 2026**

Asia-Pacific Knee, Arthroscopy, Arthroplasty, Shoulder, and Sports Medicine Society
in conjunction with 2026 Annual International Congress of the Korean Arthroscopy Society

September 10 (Thu) - 12 (Sat), 2026
Grand Hyatt, Incheon, Korea

*From Asia-Pacific Heritage
to Global Horizons*

ABSTRACT SUBMISSION IS

NOW OPEN!

Abstract Submission Due
Mar. 31 (Tue), 2026

We are pleased to invite your participation and
look forward to receiving your abstract.

26th Regional Osteoporosis Conference

Date: 13 Sept 2026

Venue: Hong Kong Convention and Exhibition Centre

Registration: <https://oshk.org.hk/2026/06/20/26th-regional-osteoporosis-conference-roc-2026/>

26th Regional Osteoporosis Conference

13 September 2026

Hong Kong Convention and Exhibition Centre

**Bone Health Reimagined:
From Prevention to Precision Management**

**Submit your abstracts and
register ONLINE now!**

Deadline for Abstract Submission:

31 July 2026

Deadline for Early-Bird Registration:

13 August 2026

Programme Highlights

- Diet, Vitamin D and Calcium
- Osteoporosis & Sarcopenia
- Bone Health During Pregnancy and Lactation
- Weight Management and Bone Health
- Novelties in Diagnosis & Treatment
- Prevention & Management of MRONJ
- Expert Discussions on Challenging Cases

CME / CPD / CDE Accreditation: Pending



Please visit our website for
up-to-date information

www.oshk.org.hk

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2nd Frontiers in Orthopaedic Research and Translation Symposium

Date: 14 – 19 September 2026

Venue: 14 – 18 Sept 2026: Zoom Webinar
19 Sept 2026: 9/F Auditorium, CUHK Medical Centre, 9 Chak Cheung Street, Shatin

Registration Deadline: 10 September 2026

Registration: <https://cloud.itsc.cuhk.edu.hk/webform/view.php?id=13708664>

Orthopaedic Learning Centre
Department of Orthopaedics and Traumatology
The Chinese University of Hong Kong

2nd Frontiers in Orthopaedic Research and Translation Symposium

14 - 19 September 2026



14 SEPT **Surgical Demonstration**
Reverse Shoulder Arthroplasty
Prof. Diane NAM
Sunnybrook Health Sciences Centre
University of Toronto

15 SEPT **Surgical Demonstration**
Paediatric Spine Deformity Correction Surgery
Prof. Yong QIU
Nanjing Drum Tower Hospital
Nanjing University

15 SEPT **Evening Lecture**
Prof. Diane NAM
Sunnybrook Health Sciences Centre
University of Toronto

16 SEPT **Surgical Demonstration**
Complex Fracture Fixation
Prof. Xinhao WU & Prof. Chunpeng ZHAO
Beijing Jishuitan Hospital
Capital Medical University

17 SEPT **Surgical Demonstration**
Hip Arthroplasty
Prof. Justin COBB
Cleveland Clinic London
Imperial College London

17 SEPT **Surgical Demonstration**
Robotic Hip Arthroplasty
Prof. Wei CHAI
The Fourth Medical Center of PLA General Hospital

18 SEPT **Surgical Demonstration**
Total Ankle Replacement
Prof. Hui ZHANG
West China Hospital
Sichuan University

19 SEPT **International Symposium**
Venue: 9/F Auditorium, CUHK Medical Centre,
9 Chak Cheung Street, Shatin

REGISTER NOW!



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Website: www.olc-cuhk.org



Fellowship Examination Revision Course

Date: 19 September 2026 (Sat)

Venue: LG1/F, Daniel & Mayce Yu Administration Wing,
Faculty of Medicine Building, 21 Sassoon Road, Pok Fu Lam.

Registration: https://hkuems1.hku.hk/hkuems/ec_hdetail.aspx?guest=Y&ueid=107463



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FELLOWSHIP EXAMINATION REVISION COURSE FOR HAND



REGISTER NOW

19 SEPTEMBER 2026 (SATURDAY)

LG1/F, Daniel & Mayce Yu Administration Wing,
Faculty of Medicine Building, 21 Sassoon Road, Pok Fu Lam

COURSE DETAILS

- ▶ Mock examination preparatory course for **2026** exam candidates
- ▶ Applicants from other years are also welcome
- ▶ Format: Face to Face
- ▶ Course Fee: HKD 1,500

MOCK EXAMINERS

- ▶ **Dr. Wing-Yuk Josephine IP**
The University of Hong Kong
- ▶ **Dr. Hin Keung WONG**
Princess Margaret Hospital
- ▶ **Dr. Sheung-Tung HO**
Private Practitioner



MORE DETAILS

https://www.ortho.hku.hk/exam_revision_course/2026

FOR ENQUIRIES

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46th SICOT Orthopaedic World Congress

Date: 26 Sept – 1 Oct 2026

Venue: Kyoto, Japan

Registration: <https://sicot-congress.org/>



2026
SICOT
KYOTO 2026
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29 SEPTEMBER – 1 OCTOBER

46TH SICOT ORTHOPAEDIC
WORLD CONGRESS

A Bridge to the Future

sicot-congress.org/abstracts

SUBMIT NOW

**CALL FOR
ABSTRACTS
OPEN!**

DEADLINE EXTENDED!

28 FEBRUARY 2026

#SICOTKyoto2026

Logo of the International Federation of Orthopaedic Societies (SICOT) featuring a globe and the text "FEDERATION INTERNATIONALE DE CHIRURGIE ORTHOPEDIQUE ET TRAUMATOLOGIQUE".

Image of a traditional Japanese pagoda (Kinkakuji) with red and blue roofs.

Image of a group of people holding certificates or awards.

Ankle Instability Group Meeting 2026 (6th AIG Meeting)

Date: 9 – 10 October 2026

Venue: Matilda International Hospital

Registration:

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Ankle Instability Group Meeting 2026

(6th AIG meeting)

Advancing Ankle Instability Care

Date: 9 - 10 October 2026
Time: 08:30 - 17:00 | Registration: 08:00
Fee: Free

Location: Matilda International Hospital
Format: Hybrid (Online + Offline)
Language: English
HKCOS points: Accredited

5 Keynote Speakers & 30+ Expert Speakers



Dr Stéphane GUILLO Dr Masato TAKAO Dr Jin Woo LEE Dr Mark GLAZEBROOK Dr Peter MANGONE

Scan the QR code to register



Organisers:



The University of Hong Kong



Matilda International Hospital



The Ankle Instability Group



The Hong Kong Foot & Ankle Society



Guangzhou Overseas Chinese Hospital

Inaugural HKOA Trauma Interest Group Masterclass

Course Details:

Day 1: Symposium – Peri-implant and Peri-prosthetic Injuries

Date:	10 Oct 2026 (Sat)
Time:	08:30 – 17:00
Venue:	Auditorium, 1/F, Main Clinical Block and Trauma Centre, Prince of Wales Hospital
Registration Fee:	HK\$500 (Symposium Only – Day 1 – Inclusive of Trauma Chapter membership (2026-2027))
Remarks:	Upper / Lower Limb Injuries Tips and Tricks / Cased Based Lecture and Discussions (Lunch & Refreshments will be provided)

Day 2: Anatomical Specimen Workshop – Master Lower Limb Surgical Approaches

Date:	11 Oct 2026 (Sun)
Time:	08:00 – 17:00
Venue:	Surgical Skills Lab, 10/F Laboratory Block, HKU Faculty of Medicine Building, 21 Sassoon Road, Pokfulam.
Registration Fee:	HK\$2,500 (Anatomical Specimen Lab Only – Day 2)
Remarks:	Intrapelvic Acetabulum / DAA Hip / Medial Femur / Comprehensive Plateau / Gastrosoleus Flap / Comprehensive Ankle (Lunch will be provided)

Online Registration:

<https://forms.gle/WBeEnH7Gj2wSVXnK6>

Payment Form:

https://www.hkoa.org/files/ugd/4c0239_4aaacc8fd91a4a96a2e2dd3799294266.pdf



Inaugural
HKOA Trauma Interest Group Masterclass

1. Symposium on Peri-implant and Peri-prosthetic Injuries
10 October 2026 (Saturday) 8:30am – 5:00pm
Auditorium, 1/F, Main Clinical Block and Trauma Centre, Prince of Wales Hospital, Shatin
Upper / Lower Limb Injuries Tips and Tricks / Cased Based Lecture and Discussions (Lunch & Refreshments Provided)

2. Anatomical Specimen Workshop – Master Lower Limb Surgical Approaches
11 October 2026 (Sunday) 8:00am – 5:00pm
Surgical Skills Lab, 10/F Laboratory Block, HKU Sassoon Road Campus, Pokfulam
Intrapelvic Acetabulum / DAA Hip / Medial Femur / Comprehensive Plateau / Gastrosoleus Flap / Comprehensive Ankle (Lunch Provided)

Registration Fee:
HKD 500 (Symposium Only - Day 1- Inclusive of HKOA Trauma IG/Chapter Membership 2026-2027)
HKD 2500 (Anatomical Specimen Lab Only - Day 2)
(Fees and sponsorship will be used to sustain the inauguration and future of HKOA Trauma Chapter)

Online Registration Form:



Co-organisers



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香港大學醫學院及 traumatology 外科學系

**CUHK-OLC Surgeon Education Program:
Live Surgical Demonstration of Shoulder Arthroscopy**

Date: 2 November 2026

Venue: Seminar Room, Orthopaedic Learning Centre,
1/F Li Ka Shing Specialist Clinics (NW)
Prince of Wales Hospital

**CUHK-OLC SURGEON EDUCATION PROGRAM :
LIVE SURGICAL DEMONSTRATION OF
SHOULDER ARTHROSCOPY
2 NOVEMBER 2026**

INVITED GUEST

Prof Ian King Yeung LO

Professor
Department of Surgery
University of Calgary
Canada



**9:00AM - 12:30PM
(HKT GMT +8)**



**HKCOS CME Point
(Pending)**



**Seminar Room, Orthopaedic Learning Centre,
1/F Li Ka Shing Specialist Clinics(NW),
Prince of Wales Hospital**

REGISTRATION



CHAired BY

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www.olc-cuhk.org

8th A.R. Hodgson Visiting Professorship Lecture

Date: 3 November 2026

Venue: 5/F Lecture Theatre, Professorial Block, Queen Mary Hospital

Registration: <https://forms.gle/GVSWDbE5vFuVeQtM8>



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8th A.R. Hodgson Visiting Professorship Lecture

UNDERSTANDING HIP PAIN: ANATOMY, CLINICAL DIAGNOSIS, AND INTRA-/EXTRA-ARTICULAR PATHOLOGIES AROUND THE HIP



3 November 2026, Tuesday

6pm - 7pm

5/F Lecture Theatre,
Professorial Block,
Queen Mary Hospital

PROFESSOR SOSHI UCHIDA

Chief Professor
Department of Orthopaedic Sports Medicine
University of Occupational and Environmental Health
Fukuoka, Japan

FREE REGISTRATION



All are welcome

HKCOS Accreditation: 1 Cat A / 1 Training Point / 1 Rehabilitation Credit

Enquiry: Ms Eva LIU

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The IPSIS Asia-Pacific Congress

Part I - IPSIS 2026 Asia-Pacific Congress	
Date	21 November 2026 (Saturday)
Time	from 10:00 – 17:00
Venue	Seminar Room 1, 2/F, Lui Che Woo Clinical Sciences Building, Prince of Wales Hospital, Shatin, Hong Kong, China
Registration link	https://www.ipsismed.org/event/26NovCongOR
Part II - International Outreach Course - Lumbar Bio-Skills Lab	
Date	22 November 2026 (Sunday)
Time	from 8:00 – 18:00
Venue	Orthopaedic Learning Centre, 1/F Li Ka Shing Specialist Clinics North Wing, Prince of Wales Hospital, Shatin, Hong Kong, China
Registration link	https://www.ipsismed.org/event/26NovLumbOR
Accreditation (Pending)	
• The Hong Kong College of Orthopaedic Surgeons • The Hong Kong College of Anaesthesiologists • Hong Kong College of Community Medicine • The Hong Kong College of Family Physicians • Hong Kong College of Emergency Medicine • Hong Kong College of Paediatricians • Hong Kong College of Radiologists • The College of Surgeons of Hong Kong	



Presented in conjunction with the **Orthopaedic Learning Centre, The Chinese University of Hong Kong (CUHK)**, and held at **Prince of Wales Hospital**, this high-impact program covers key topics in interventional pain medicine through focused lectures, interactive Q&A sessions, and networking opportunities with IPSIS Board members, including Dr. Allen S. Chen (MD, MBA); Dr. Lisa Huynh (MD); Dr. Vinil Shah (MD); and incoming IPSIS President Dr. Zachary L. McCormick (MD).

Sessions cover examination, diagnosis, fluoroscopic imaging, and evidence-based interventional approaches for:

- LUMBAR SPINE
- SACROILIAC REGION
- CERVICAL SPINE
- DISCOGENIC AND VERTEBROGENIC PAIN

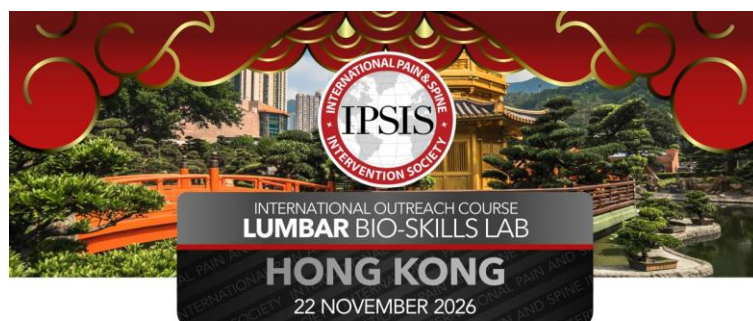
Registration is now open to physicians residing in Hong Kong. Physicians from additional countries in the region may become eligible to register after September 1, 2026.

VISIT [IPSISmed.org/HONGKONG](https://www.ipsismed.org/HONGKONG) FOR DETAILS

Eligible members may also register for the foundational, hands-on **IPSIS International Outreach Course: Lumbar Bio-Skills Lab**, a cadaver-based training experience led by **Hong Kong experts** and **IPSIS Board members**. This lab takes place on 22 November 2026, immediately following the Asia-Pacific Congress.

CME Accreditation in Hong Kong (Pending)

- THE HONG KONG COLLEGE OF ANAESTHESIOLOGISTS
- HONG KONG COLLEGE OF RADIOLOGISTS
- THE HONG KONG COLLEGE OF COMMUNITY MEDICINE
- THE COLLEGE OF SURGEONS OF HONG KONG
- HONG KONG COLLEGE OF FAMILY PHYSICIANS
- THE HONG KONG COLLEGE OF ORTHOPAEDIC SURGEONS
- HONG KONG COLLEGE OF EMERGENCY MEDICINE



For physicians residing in Hong Kong SAR, China, IPSIS is bringing hands-on training to the **Chinese University of Hong Kong's (CUHK) Orthopaedic Learning Centre** at **Prince of Wales Hospital**.

For registration information, email registration@IPSISmed.org. Attendees are also encouraged to join the **IPSIS Asia-Pacific Congress** at the same venue the day before.

During lab rotations, expert instructors will provide you with hands-on experience in groups of 6 attendees on:

- NEEDLECRAFT
- C-ARM UTILIZATION
- LUMBAR INJECTION TECHNIQUES
 - INTERLAMINAR EPIDURAL
 - L1-5 TRANSFORAMINAL EPIDURAL (SUBPEDICULAR)
- MEDIAL BRANCH BLOCK
- S1 TRANSFORAMINAL EPIDURAL
- SACROILIAC JOINT
- LUMBAR DISC ACCESS

Registration is now open for IPSIS members residing in Hong Kong. If space remains after 1 September 2026, physicians in eligible Asia-Pacific countries may also be invited to register. VISIT [IPSISmed.org/HONGKONG](https://www.ipsismed.org/HONGKONG) FOR DETAILS



ICCR 2026

Date: 28 – 29 November 2026
Venue: CORDIS, Hong Kong (Mong Kok)
Deadline for Early Bird Registration: 29 October 2026
Registration: <https://www.iccr.hk/2026/registration.html>

The poster features a dark blue header with the ICCR 2026 logo on the left, which includes a stylized hand icon and the text 'THE HONG KONG SOCIETY OF RHEUMATOLOGY' and '香港風濕病學會'. To the right of the logo, the title 'International Conference of Chinese Rheumatologists ICCR 2026' is displayed in large white font, followed by the dates '28-29 November 2026' and the venue 'CORDIS, Hong Kong (Mong Kok)'. Below the header, a purple banner reads 'CALL FOR ABSTRACTS'. The main body is divided into two columns. The left column, on a dark purple background, lists key features: 'Best Presenter Awards & Outstanding Abstract Awards with cash price', 'Accepted abstracts will be published in Journal of Clinical Rheumatology and Immunology (JCRI)', and 'Travel Bursaries will be offered to Top overseas abstract submitters' with a list of included benefits like free registration, hotel accommodation, and air tickets. The right column, on a blue background, lists 'ABSTRACT CATEGORIES' including autoimmune diseases, basic science, Behcet's disease, COVID-19, genomics, immunity, medical technology, nursing, osteoarthritis, osteoporosis, rheumatoid arthritis, spondyloarthritis, systemic lupus erythematosus, Sjogren's syndrome, antiphospholipid syndrome, systemic sclerosis, myositis, systemic vasculitis, and telemedicine. At the bottom left, a 'CONFIRMED FACULTY' list includes Zhu Chen (China), Hector Chinoy (United Kingdom), Masato Okada (Japan), Tsutomu Takeuchi (Japan), and Michael Wong (Hong Kong SAR). At the bottom right, two red and orange banners state the 'Deadline for Abstract Submission: 1 September 2026' and 'Deadline for Early Bird Registration: 29 October 2026'. The bottom of the poster features a QR code for the 'Abstract Submission Portal' and a background illustration of hexagonal tiles with various medical icons like a hand, heart, brain, and microscope.

THE HONG KONG SOCIETY OF RHEUMATOLOGY
香港風濕病學會

International Conference of Chinese Rheumatologists ICCR 2026

28-29 November 2026
CORDIS, Hong Kong (Mong Kok)

CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

■ **Best Presenter Awards & Outstanding Abstract Awards with cash price** will be granted for recognition of the outstanding and original research

■ Accepted abstracts will be published in **Journal of Clinical Rheumatology and Immunology (JCRI)**

■ **Travel Bursaries will be offered to Top overseas abstract submitters** (residing outside Hong Kong) and includes:

- ☒ Free registration fee
- ☒ Two-nights hotel accommodation (single use) in designated travel bursary hotel
- ☒ Reimbursement of round-trip economy class air ticket (US\$500 / US\$700 subjects to flight duration)

ABSTRACT CATEGORIES

- Autoinflammatory diseases
- Basic science related to rheumatic diseases
- Behcet's disease and miscellaneous rheumatic conditions
- COVID-19
- Genomics, genetic basis of rheumatic diseases
- Innate and adaptive immunity in rheumatic diseases
- Innovative medical technology (Artificial Intelligence / machine learning)
- Nursing
- Osteoarthritis, crystal diseases
- Osteoporosis, metabolic bone diseases
- Rheumatoid arthritis
- Spondyloarthritis, psoriatic arthritis
- Systemic lupus erythematosus, Sjogren's syndrome, antiphospholipid syndrome
- Systemic sclerosis, myositis
- Systemic vasculitis
- Telemedicine

CONFIRMED FACULTY

- Zhu Chen (China)
- Hector Chinoy (United Kingdom)
- Masato Okada (Japan)
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- Michael Wong (Hong Kong SAR)

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Deadline for Early Bird Registration: 29 October 2026

 **Abstract Submission Portal**

For enquiry, please contact the ICCR 2026 Secretariat by email at iccr@iccr.hk

8th HKU International Musculoskeletal Tumour Course

Date: 10 – 12 December 2026 (Thu – Sat)

Venue: Lecture Theatre 2, 1/F, Academic Building, No. 3 Sassoon Road, HK

Registration: [Click Here to Register Now](#)



HKU Med School of Clinical Medicine
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8th HKU International Musculoskeletal Tumour Course



Lecture Theatre 2,
1/F, Academic Building
No. 3 Sassoon Road,
Pokfulam, Hong Kong

10^{Thu} – 12^{Sat} DEC 2026

Course Highlight



Global Expertise

Learn from distinguished speakers from around the world



Comprehensive Education

Learn the fundamentals and principles in the care of musculoskeletal tumour patients



Case Discussion

Detailed analysis of real-life cases



Networking Opportunities

Connect with leading experts in the field



Focus Module

Detailed coverage on all aspects of osteosarcoma

Accreditations

Please refer to course website for details.

Course Fee

- Doctors: HKD 1,700 | Early bird: HKD 1,200
- Orthopaedics Trainees: HKD 900 | Early bird: HKD 700
- Nurses & Allied Health Professionals: HKD 900 | Early bird: HKD 700

Early bird: On or before 1 Sep 2026

Registration Deadline: 30 Nov 2026

Course Directors



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Musculoskeletal Oncology Department
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Registration & Details



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AO Spine Course – Deformity: Advanced Techniques and Complex Cases (with Anatomical Specimen)

Date: 11 – 12 December 2026

Venue: Surgical Skills Centre (9 & 10/F), Laboratory Block, Faculty of Medicine, HKU, 21 Sassoon Road, Pokfulam

Registration: <https://eduevents.aofoundation.org/evt/s/evt-event/a1oTG00000Bl8il/e23001832-ao-spine-coursedeformity-advanced-techniques-and-complex-cases>



AO Spine Course—Deformity: Advanced Techniques and Complex Cases (with Anatomical Specimen)

December 11-12, 2026

Hong Kong (The University of Hong Kong)

Chairperson



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Hong Kong SAR

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The University of Hong Kong
Hong Kong SAR

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Hui ren Tao
The University of Hong Kong Shenzhen Hospital, China

Chun Man Ma
North District Hospital, Hong Kong SAR

Course description

This two-day, interactive course engages participants through a series of case-based exercises and discussions related to real life scenarios for each pathology. This active learning approach is further enhanced through the practical exercises where advanced surgical correction skills will be practiced using real implants and spine models with human anatomical specimens.

Online self-directed learning: During the 4 weeks before the in-person event, participants must complete short self-study modules that will provide the necessary theoretical background and surgical technique description to obtain the most from their course.

Learning objectives

At the end of this course, participants will be able to:

- Perform a history, clinical, and physical examination in complex cases in adults and pediatric patients with deformity
- Order and interpret imaging and investigations to classify complex pathologies and deformities
- Plan surgical correction appropriate for complex and revision cases, and recognize the benefit of preoperative medical optimization
- Perform correction maneuvers for severe curves, sagittal imbalance, and revision surgery (multitrod constructs, sacropelvic fixation, osteotomies, etc)
- Avoid and manage complications, including PJK prevention strategies and managing late rod complications
- Recognize the role of emerging technologies such as augmentation and biologics and latest research findings and evidence in clinical practice

Goal of the course

The course covers advanced techniques for managing complex spinal deformity in adult and pediatric patients. It provides hands-on training to apply knowledge and technical skills, focusing on complex cases in adolescent idiopathic scoliosis (AIS), adult IS (AdIS), de novo scoliosis, sagittal and combined deformities, revision in adults, and high-grade spondylolisthesis.

Target participants

This course is designed for:

- Spine surgeons who treat deformity cases and who face more complex cases
- Surgeons who want to update their treatment of complex idiopathic and adult deformity
- It is also suitable for surgeons who have attended the "Deformity: Key Concepts and Techniques" course and/or Global Spine Diploma and want to increase their knowledge and skills

Registration fee

	Early-bird rate (Now–Sept 30)	Standard rate (From Oct 1)
AO Spine member:	USD 1,700	USD 1,800
Non-AO Spine member:	USD 1,800	USD 1,900

Participant contact

Ms. Emily Ngai
Email: emily.ngai@aofoundation.org

[Click to register](#)

or Scan the QR code



Cadaveric Course on Brachial Plexus Dissections Practice and General Hand Course

Date: 20 Feb 2027

Venue: Anatomy Lab, 1/F, Laboratory Block, Faculty of Medicine
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Cadaveric Course on Brachial Plexus Dissections Practice and General Hand Course

Chairperson & Instructor:
Dr. Wing-Yuk Josephine IP

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AM session - Cadaveric Course on Brachial Plexus Dissections Practice

Time: 0900 - 1300
Fee: HKD 7,000
Target: Orthopedic specialists with interests in hands

Course contents:

1. Supraclavicular approach & infraclavicular approach to brachial plexus
2. Phrenic nerve and musculocutaneous nerve exploration
3. Suprascapular nerve and accessory nerve exploration
4. Oberlin 1 & 2 procedure
5. Contralateral C7 exploration

**Special price of HKD 4,000 for participants who are willing to be a tutor for the PM session (tutors to be selected)*

PM session - General Hand Course

Time: 1400 - 1800
Fee: HKD 3,000
Target: Orthopaedic specialists and trainees

Course contents:

1. Carpal tunnel release & opponenplasty
2. Ulnar nerve release at elbow & wrist, anterior transposition & elbow contracture release
3. Radial tunnel release & tendon reconstruction for radial nerve palsy
4. Commonly used flaps: Volar advancement flap, V-Y plasty, heterodigital island flap, 1st dorsal metacarpal flap for pulp loss
5. Commonly used flaps for hand coverage: Becker flap, lateral arm flap, radial forearm flap

**Course availability is subject to minimum enrolment and may be cancelled accordingly.*



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