



Hong Kong Society of Clinical Chemistry

Annual Scientific Meeting

and 7th Annual General Meeting

Date: 13 January 2007 (Saturday)
Time: 1:30 - 9:30 pm
Venue: Pacific Rooms, 9/F, Royal Pacific Hotel
China Hong Kong City, 33 Canton Road, Tsim Sha Tsui

“Chronic Renal Disease: Biochemical and Clinical Sciences”

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| 1:30 – 2:30 pm | Registration and Industrial Exhibition |
| 2:30 – 2:40 pm | Opening Remarks
<i>Dr Joseph Lee, President, HKSCC</i> |
| 2:40 – 3:20 pm | Estimating GFR: Creatinine and Other Measurements
<i>Dr Graham Jones, St Vincent’s Hospital, Sydney, Australia</i> |
| 3:20 – 4:00 pm | The Rationale and Application of GFR Estimating Equations - Experience in China
<i>Dr Zhang LuXia, Peking University First Hospital, Beijing, China</i> |
| 4:00 – 4:30 pm | Coffee Break and Industrial Exhibition |
| 4:30 – 5:10 pm | Chronic Kidney Disease: An Epidemiologic Perspective
<i>Dr Sydney Tang, Queen Mary Hospital, Hong Kong</i> |
| 5:10 – 5.50 pm | The Impact of Chronic Kidney Disease on Adverse Clinical Outcomes in Chinese Patients with Type 2 Diabetes Mellitus
<i>Prof Peter Tong, The Chinese University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong</i> |
| 6:00 – 7:00 pm | 7th Annual General Meeting |
| 7:00 – 9:30 pm | Chinese Banquet (Imperial Rooms) |

Chairman: *Dr Sidney Tam, Queen Mary Hospital, Hong Kong*

Members and Guests 

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Estimating GFR: Creatinine and Other Measurements

Dr Graham Jones, St Vincent's Hospital, Sydney, Australia



Dr Graham Jones is a Senior Staff Specialist in Chemical Pathology at St Vincent's Hospital in Sydney and conjoint Senior Lecturer in Pathology at the University of New South Wales. His current professional activities include Chair of the Chemical Pathology program of the RCPA QAP, co-chair of the RCPA-AACB-KHA Working Party on GFR estimation, chair of the AACB-RCPA working party on Common Reference Intervals, member of the IFCC Working Group on creatinine standardization and member of the Executive of the JCTML. He has been an examiner for the RCPA and AACB and has recently published or presented posters on Quality Control, cardiac markers, assessment of renal function, xanthochromia, reporting of results and common reference intervals.

The Rationale and Application of GFR Estimating Equations - Experience in China

Dr Zhang LuXia, Peking University First Hospital, Beijing, China



Dr ZHANG LuXia graduated with a MD from the Health Science Center, Peking University & Peking University First Hospital. She is an Attending Physician of the Renal Division at the same University Hospital since 2004. Her main research interest is on the screening and early detection of chronic renal diseases in Beijing & rural areas in China. She also studies the prevalence, clinical features & screening of atherosclerotic renal artery stenosis, a project supported by the Chinese Ministry of Health.

Chronic Kidney Disease: An Epidemiologic Perspective

Dr Sydney Tang, Queen Mary Hospital, Hong Kong

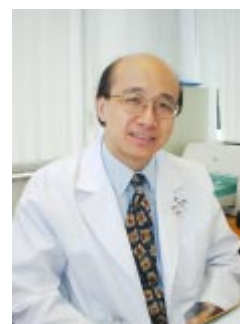
Dr Sydney Tang graduated from the University of Hong Kong in 1991. He was trained in Internal Medicine and sub-specialized in Nephrology. He obtained doctoral degrees in Medicine and Philosophy at the University of Hong Kong in 2001 and 2005, respectively. He has undergone training in basic science research at Guy's Hospital, London, and Seattle Children's Hospital, University of Washington. He is currently Associate Professor at the Department of Medicine, University of Hong Kong, and is a Council member of the Hong Kong Society of Nephrology. His research interests include evaluation and screening of chronic kidney disease, treatment of glomerulonephritis, and renal tubular cell pathophysiology. He has published over 100 papers in these areas in peer-reviewed journals.



The Impact of Chronic Kidney Disease on Adverse Clinical Outcomes in Chinese Patients with Type 2 Diabetes Mellitus

Prof Peter Tong, The Chinese University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong

Peter Tong is an Associate Professor at the Department of Medicine & Therapeutics, The Chinese University of Hong Kong. He received both his MBBS and PhD degrees from the University of Newcastle upon Tyne, UK following his graduation with a first-class honours degree in Pharmacy. He completed his clinical and research training on Endocrinology, Diabetes and Internal Medicine in Newcastle upon Tyne. He was the Medical Research Council Clinical Research Training Fellow (UK) and the recipient of the Peel Travelling Fellowship for his post-doctoral fellowship at the Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto, Canada. In 1999, he was recruited to join the faculty at the Chinese University of Hong Kong.



Dr. Tong is active in clinical and basic science research. His research areas include disease management model of diabetes, diabetic kidney disease, obesity, cellular mechanism of insulin resistance and the use of traditional Chinese medicine in the treatment of diabetes. He is an active clinical investigator, overseeing numerous clinical and drug trials. He is the Associate Director of the Hong Kong Institute of Diabetes and Obesity, CUHK. He is the Co-Project leader of a technology transfer resulting in the establishment of Qualigenics Diabetes Centre through academic industrial collaboration supported by GenRx Health Care Ltd / Hong Kong Resort International Ltd.