Annual Scientific Meeting in Anaesthesiology 2017 In conjunction with 12th ASCA Scientific Meeting, Masterclass & Workshops 17-19 November 2017, Hong Kong

Meeting Information to [Delegates joining 18-19 November]

Useful Telephone Numbers

Registration Desk at Meeting Venue (18-19 November) Venue: Hong Kong Convention and Exhibition Centre	(852) 2582 1663
Hong Kong Airport Hotline	(852) 2181 0000
Emergency Number (Ambulance / Fire / Police)	999

Meeting Venue (18-19 November)

Rooms N101-N112, Level 1 and N204-205, N211-212, Level 2

Hong Kong Convention and Exhibition Centre (HKCEC) - (New Wing)

1 Expo Drive, Wanchai, Hong Kong (Expo Drive Entrance)

Tel: (852) 2582 8888

You can reach the New Wing through the Old Wing of HKCEC (Harbour Road Entrance).

Registration & Information Desk

The Registration and Information Desk will be operated at the following hours:

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18 November, Saturday	08:15 - 17:00	Foyer, Room N101, Level 1
19 November, Sunday	07:30 - 17:00	HKCEC (New Wing)

Please bring along a copy of your Registration Confirmation Letter (or show the eCopy with registration no. and your name) to check in at the Registration Desk. If you have NOT received the letter, please contact the Secretariat at asmhk@icc.com.hk immediately and we will send a copy to you again.

Meeting Programme

Please visit http://www.anaesthesiology.hk/2017/programme.html for the updated programme.

Certificate of Attendance

Certificate will be distributed at the Registration Desk.

CME/CNE Accreditation (For Local Delegates ONLY)

Please be reminded to sign the accreditation attendance sheet daily.

Opening Ceremony (18 November)

Venue: Room N101B, Level 1, HKCEC

Time: 08:45-09:00

ASCA Cocktail Evening (18 November)

Venue: Room N101B, Level 1, HKCEC

Time: 17:00-19:00 Programme Highlight:

Topic: Grand Debate on ERAS is for High Risk Patients and Announcement of ASCA Abstract Prizes

*Admission by name badge

Congregation Dinner (19 November)

Venue: Room N201A, Level 2, HKCEC

Time: 19:00-22:00

*Admission by name badge

Coffee/Tea & Lunch (18-19 November)

Coffee/tea and lunch will be served on 18-19 November in the exhibition area.

*Lunch will be provided during the lunch symposium in Room N201, Level 2 on each day. Seat is available on first-come-first-served basis.

- ** Details are subject to change without prior notice. **
- ** Information is updated as of 13 November 2017.

About Hong Kong

Time Zone

Hong Kong is eight hours ahead of Greenwich Mean Time.

Climate

Hong Kong has a sub-tropical climate. During the months of November there are pleasant breezes, with plenty of sunshine and comfortable temperatures usually range from 20°C to 27°C. It turns cool at the night time. Indoor is always with air-conditioning. For up-to-date information, please visit the website of the Hong Kong Observatory at www.hko.gov.hk.

Currency

The Hong Kong dollar (HK\$) is the unit of currency used in Hong Kong. One US Dollar is about HK\$7.8 and one Euro is about HK\$9 (subject to fluctuation). Most foreign currencies and traveler's cheques can be changed at banks, hotels and moneychangers.

All major credit cards are widely accepted in Hong Kong and can be used to obtain cash advances at banks and automatic teller machines (ATMs). ATMs can be found almost everywhere including the meeting venue, and provide 24-hour cash withdrawal (HK\$).

Electricity

The standard voltage in Hong Kong is 220 volts AC/50 cycles. The plug/socket system in Hong Kong is a 3-rectangular-pin type as is found in the United Kingdom

Sales Tax

Hong Kong does not have Sales Tax / GST / VAT.

Telecommunication

International direct dialing, internet and e-mail facilities are easily accessible in Hong Kong. Most of the mobile telephone systems used around the globe operate in Hong Kong.

Tipping

Most of the major restaurants add a 10% service charge, but you are still expected to leave a tip of between 5-10%, depending on how well you feel you have been treated. Taxi drivers tend to round up the fare to the nearest dollar and if not, will appreciate a little extra. Bellboys, porters and washroom attendants will also expect a small tip.

Discover Hong Kong

For the most up-to-date tourist information, please visit the website of the Hong Kong Tourism Board at www.discoverhongkong.com.

THANK YOU AND SEE YOU SOON IN HONG KONG