30th Anniversary Academic Sessions

28 - 31 October, 2021







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CARLO FONSEKA MEMORIAL LECTURE Carlo Fonseka Memorial Lecture Vidyajyothi Prof. Janaka de Silva

06:00 PM - 08:00 PM

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SYMPOSIUM 1

Liver diseases and transplant: challenges in current era in

meeting the national need

09:00 AM - 10:30 AM **Prof. Dimitri Bezinover**

Prof. Madunil Niriella
Prof. Rohan Siriwardana

Chaired by Dr. Bhagya Gunathilaka - Senior Lecturer in Anesthesiology, Department of Surgery, Faculty of Medicine, University of Kelaniya

10:30 AM - 10:45 AM

Tea

SYMPOSIUM 2

Developing and Implementing Guidelines appropriate for local

healthcare systems

10:45 AM - 12:15 PM

Prof. Prathap Tharyan
Prof. Joseph L. Mathew
Prof. Chrishantha Abevsena

Chaired by Prof. Chamila Mettananda - Professor in Pharmacology,
Department of Pharmacology, Faculty of Medicine, University of Kelaniya

PLENARY SESSION

Human Genome Project and its Applications in Medicine

12:15 PM - 01:15 PM

Prof. Han Brunner - Professor of Human Genetics and Head of the Institute of Human Genetics at the Radboud

University Nijmegen Medical Centre and Specialist Consultant

in the Institute of Human Genetics, Netherlands

Chaired by Prof. Deepthi de Silva - Professor in Medical Genetics, Department of Physiology, Faculty of Medicine, University of Kelaniya

Lunch

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SYMPOSIUM 3 Bronchiectasis and Non-TB Mycobacterium Infections **Prof. M. Loebinger** 01:15 PM - 02:45 PM **Dr. William Flight Dr. Dilesha Wadasinghe** Chaired by Dr. Bandu Gunasena - Consultant Respiratory Physician, **National Hospital for Respiratory Diseases Welisara** SYMPOSIUM 4 For breath is life: Exposing the silent killer **Prof. Paul T. J. Scheepers** 02:45 PM - 04:15 PM Dr. D. T. D. Warnakulasuriya Dr. Manosij Ghosh Chaired by Prof. Niranga Devanarayana - Chair, Professor of Physiology, Department of Physiology, Faculty of Medicine, University of Kelaniya 04:15 PM - 04:30 PM Afternoon Tea

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12:15 PM - 01:00 PM

Lunch

PLENARY SESSION Improving quality of preventive care for chronic disease in South Asia: the NIHR Global Research Network 08:00 AM - 09:00 AM Prof. John Chambers - Professor of Cardiovascular Epidemiology, Imperial College London, United Kingdom and Lee Kong Chian School of Medicine, Nanyang Technological University (NTU), Singapore Chaired by Prof. Rajitha Wickremasinghe - Chair, Senior Professor, Department of Public Health, Faculty of Medicine, University of Kelaniya SYMPOSIUM 5 Metabolic Bone Disease: Improving bone health to minimize fracture risk 09:00 AM - 10:30 AM **Prof. Sarath Lekamwasm** Dr. Shoshana Sztal-Mazer Dr. Dulani Kottahachchi Chaired by Dr. S. A. F. Kurukulasooriya - Consultant Rheumatologist, Department of Pharmacology, Faculty of Medicine, University of Kelaniya 10:30 AM - 10:45 AM Morning Tea SYMPOSIUM 6 The Transition from a medical graduate to a junior doctor **Prof. Ardi Findyartini** 10:45 AM - 12:15 PM Dr. Dilmini Karunaratne

Chaired by Prof. Madawa Chandratilake - Chair Professor of Medical

Education, Faculty of Medicine, University of Kelaniya

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SYMPOSIUM 7	Recent Advancements in Audiological Assessment and
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01 : 15 PM - 02 : 45 PM	Prof. Prashanth Prabhu
	Ms. Ayesha Nazeer Zarook Prof. David Welch
	Prof. David Welch
	Chaired by Ms. Dinukshi Illeperuma - Senior Lecturer, Head, Department of Disability Studies, Faculty of Medicine, University of Kelaniya
SYMPOSIUM 8	Healthcare for people with disabilities during COVID-19 Ms. Kamini Gadhok
02 : 45 PM - 04 : 15 PM	
	Prof. Samanmali Sumanasena
	Dr. Isuru Dharmarathna
	Ms. Thilini Lokubalasuriya
	Chaired by Dr. Shyamani Hettiarachchi - Senior Lecturer, Department o Disability Studies, Faculty of Medicine, University of Kelaniya
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08 : 30 AM - 09 : 00 AM	Opening Ceremony of the Student Scientific Sessions
09 : 00 AM - 10 : 00 AM	Public Health and Primary Care - Oral Presentations
10 : 00 AM - 11 : 00 AM	Poster Presentation Session 1 Morning Tea
11 : 00 AM - 12 : 00 PM	Allied Health 1 - Oral Presentations
12:00 PM - 01:00 PM	Basic, Applied and Clinical Sciences - Oral Presentations
01:00 PM - 02:00 PM	Poster Presentation Session 2 Lunch
02:00 PM - 03:00 PM	Allied Health 2 / Health Professionals' Education - Oral Presentations
03 : 00 PM - 04 : 45 PM	Poster Presentation Session 3
04 : 45 PM - 05 : 15 PM	Poster Presentation Session 4



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Afternoon Tea