



15th Annual Meeting - Asia Pacific Arthroplasty Society

June 18th – 21st, 2014, Chengdu, China



Dear Colleagues and sponsors

I take pleasure in announcing the 15th annual meeting of our society is now scheduled for the beautiful city of Chengdu in west China for mid-June 2014. I know that the scientific committee is working on an excellent program that will focus on “Hot Topics in Arthroplasty” and also cover the core essentials in implant selection and surgical techniques in joint replacement to ensure optimising outcomes for all our patients. The scientific committee will draw on a broad international faculty as well as a dominant input from the local orthopaedic community. The meeting will commence on Wednesday afternoon 18th June with a couple of industry sponsored master class workshops and Thursday 19th – 21st June will be the main scientific program for hip and knee arthroplasty. The meeting will be in English with facility for multi-language real time translation. I hope you will join us for what promises to be a great gathering both intellectually and socially in the very centre of the most populous country on earth.

Yours Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink on a light blue background, appearing to read 'R. Sorial'.

Adj.A/Prof. Rami M. Sorial, FRACS, FAOA

President of APAS 2014/15

Wednesday 18th June

1400-1700 - Master class Workshops

1900 – Faculty dinner

Thursday 19th June

0800-1030 – Combined Plenary sessions

1030-1100 – Morning tea

1100-1230 – Opening ceremony and Invited Guest presentation

1230-1330 - Lunch

1330-1545 – Concurrent Hip and Knee Scientific Sessions

1545-1600 – Afternoon Tea

1600- 1730 – Concurrent Hip and Knee Scientific Sessions

1900 – Welcome reception

Friday 20th June

0800-1030 – Combined Plenary Sessions

1030-1100 – Morning Tea

1100- 1300 – Concurrent Hip and Knee Scientific Sessions

1300-1400 - Lunch

1400-1600 – Concurrent Hip and Knee Scientific Sessions

1600-1630 – Afternoon tea

1630-1800 – Concurrent Hip and Knee Scientific Sessions

1900 – Conference Banquet

Saturday 21st June

0800-1000 – Combined Plenary Sessions

1000-1030 – Morning tea

1030-1300 – Combined Hip and Knee Scientific Sessions

1300 – Close of meeting and lunch