

PROGRAM CHAIR - **Gabriel Liu**

## MORNING SESSION: 0800 - 1300

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| 0800 - 0850 | Registration   |                     |
| 0850        | <b>Welcome Address by President</b>  | <b>Wong Hee Kit</b> |
| 0900 - 1000 | <b>Session 1: Chairmen - Gabriel Liu &amp; Tan Chong Tien</b>  |                     |
| .....0900   | Current Management Concepts on Adult Spinal Deformity.....   | Wong Hee Kit        |
| .....0920   | Q & A (10 mins)  |                     |
| .....0930   | Evolution of MIS Lumbar Spine Surgery.....   | Tan Seang Beng      |
| .....0950   | Q & A (10 mins)  |                     |
| 1000 - 1100 | <b>Session 2: Chairmen - Pesi Chacha &amp; Timothy Lee</b>   |                     |
| .....1000   | Intradural Spinal Cord Tumours: Review of 91 Cases Operated.....<br>at NUH Neurosurgery Division from 2011 to 2016 | Yeo Tseng Tsai      |
| .....1020   | Q & A (10 mins)  |                     |
| .....1030   | Diffusion Tensor Imaging in Spinal Cord Problems.....  | S Rajasekeran       |
| .....1050   | Q & A (10 mins)  |                     |
| 1100 - 1130 | Tea Break  |                     |
| 1130 - 1300 | <b>Session 3: Case Debates for Current Spinal Controversies. Chairmen - Guo Chang Ming &amp; Gabriel Liu</b>       |                     |
| 1130 - 1215 | <b>CASE I: Thoracolumbar Fracture</b>  |                     |
| .....1130   | Case Presentation (5 mins).....  | Gabriel Liu         |
| .....1135   | When To Do Surgery? (10 mins).....   | S Rajasekeran       |
| .....1145   | Which Is Better: Anterior or Posterior Surgery? (10 mins).....   | Aravind Kumar       |
| .....1155   | Discussion (20 mins)   |                     |
| 1215 - 1300 | <b>CASE II: Spinal Canal Stenosis with Grade I Spondylolisthesis</b>   |                     |
| .....1215   | Case Presentation (5 mins).....  | Guo Chang Ming      |
| .....1220   | Decompression Alone or Decompression with Interspinous Process Device? (10 mins).....                              | Naresh Kumar        |
| .....1230   | Posterolateral Fusion or Interbody Fusion? (10 mins).....  | Jacob Oh            |
| .....1240   | Discussion (20 mins)   |                     |

## AFTERNOON SESSION: 1300 - 1645

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| 1300 - 1340 | Lunch   |                |
|             | <b>Session 4</b>  |                |
| 1340 - 1420 | <b>Free Papers I</b> Chairmen: <b>Pesi Chacha &amp; Yu Chun Sing</b>                      |                |
| 1420 - 1500 | <b>Free Papers II</b> Chairmen: <b>Eugene Yang &amp; Yue Wai Mun</b>                      |                |
|             | <b>Session 5: The Case I Learnt From, In 2016</b>   |                |
| 1500 - 1545 | <b>PART I:</b> Chairmen: <b>Li Yung Hua &amp; Paul Thng</b>                               |                |
| .....1500   | Neglected Bilateral Cervical Facet Dislocation (15 mins).....                             | S Kumar Dinesh |
| .....1515   | T4 Metastasis (15 mins).....  | Reuben Soh     |
| .....1530   | A Case of Congenital Scoliosis with Rapid Progression in a Young Child (15 mins).....     | Kevin Lim      |
| 1545 - 1630 | <b>PART II:</b> Chairmen: <b>Hee Hwan Tak &amp; Joseph Thambiah</b>                       |                |
| .....1545   | 140° AIS Curve (15 mins).....   | Lau Leok Lim   |
| .....1600   | Lumbar Pseudomeningocele (15 mins).....   | Sein Lwin      |
| .....1615   | Anterior Cervical Discectomy Versus Corpectomy - Is Less Better Than More? (15 mins)..... | Colum Nolan    |
| 1630        | Closing (light refreshments)  |                |

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**1645 - 1830:** ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING  
**1830 - 2000:** DINNER

**ALL SPINE SURGEONS ARE INVITED**

@ VERANDA ROOM ( LEVEL 2 )