First Regional APOCP Conference - Western Asia
Ege University, 14-16th October, Izmir, Turkey

‘New Strategies for Cancer Control’

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Host Organization: Ege University Science and Technology Center-EBILTEM - Held under UICC-APOCP Auspices

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Invitation
Ege University cordially invites scientists interested in cancer control programs to attend in the First Regional Meeting of APOCP which will be held on 14-16 October 2003 in Izmir, Turkey

Izmir
Turkey is situated as a big bridge between the European and Asian Countries. The city of Izmir is in west of Turkey with a population about 3 million, situated closed to Aegean Sea cost.

Abstracts
Participants who wish to present a free oral communication or a poster should fill in the abstract submission form in English (see website www.apocptr.com). The deadline for abstract submissions is 20 June 2003. One can also submit the abstract forms as e-mail attachments to apocp@med.ege.edu.tr
Abstracts will be published as the Conference Proceedings with the final program.
TENTATIVE PROGRAM

Tuesday, 14 October

Morning  Theme 1 Cancer Prevention
          Public Health Mission
          Human Biomonitoring
          Population Based Genomics
          International Cancer Prevention Studies

Afternoon Theme 2 Epidemiology and Registration
          Molecular Epidemiology
          Pathophysiological Epidemiology
          Innovative Statistics for Cancer Control

Wednesday, 15 October

Morning  Theme 3 Carcinogenesis and Environment
          Life-Style (Diet and Exercise)  Natural Products for Cancer Prevention
          Inflammation                  Molecular Pathogenesis  Agricultural Chemicals

Afternoon Theme 4 Clinical Sciences
          Organ – Site Specific Investigations  Clinical Pharmacogenomics,
          Pharmacogenetics              Pharmacology          Clinical Prevention Trials

Thursday, 16 October

Morning  Theme 5 Early Diagnosis and Treatment
          Population-based screening  Clinical Screening
          Clinical Intervention       Surgery/Chemoprevention

Afternoon Theme 6 Public Education
          Rule Points for Cancer Prevention  Tobacco Avoidance
          Community-Based Education    Worksite-Based Education

Meeting Fees
          Until 1 July 2003 150 USD
          After 1 July 2003 200 USD

Information
          http://www.apocptr.com

Venue: MÖTBE Hall
APOCP - Thailand National Cancer Conference
Satellite Symposium - 15th-16th November, Bangkok

‘In Vivo Models for Assessment of Carcinogenicity and Chemopreventive Potential of Food Components’

President: Nobuyuki Ito, Honorary President, Nagoya City University

Organizing Committee:
- Sukta Das, Chittaranjan NCI
- Wannee Kusamran, NCI, Thailand
- Young-Joon Surh, Seoul University
- Kazuo Tajima, Aichi Cancer Center Res Inst
- Shoji Fukushima, Osaka City University
- Malcolm Moore, APOCP Coordinator
- Witaya Thamavit, Mahidol University
- Hiroyuki Tsuda, NCC Res Institute, Japan

Saturday 15th November

Opening Remarks: Nobuyuki Ito, Honorary President, Nagoya City University
Special Introduction 1: Thiravud Khuhaprema, Director, National Cancer Institute, Bangkok
Special Introduction 2: Yoichi Konishi: International Cooperation in Toxicological Pathology

Symposium I: Alternatives to the Long-term Test for Carcinogenicity

Special Lecture
- Invited Speaker: In Vivo Risk Assessment in the 21st Century

Presentations
- Wannee Kusamran: In vivo/ vitro Short-Term Tests
- Katsumi Imaida: Medium Term Liver (Ito) Model
- Shoji Fukushima: Multi-Organ Models
- Jerrold M Ward: Transgenic Mouse Models
- Yoichiro Matsuoka: The hRas Transgenic Rat Model

Round Table Discussion: Risk Assessment Questions for Debate
- Chairperson: Michihito Takahashi

Location: Siam City Hotel,
Tel. (662) 247-0123, Fax. (662) 247-0165
siamcity@siamhotels.com

Attendance: Free to all interested scientists and government officials. Please contact Malcolm Moore or Wannee Kusamran to ensure a seat apocp2000@yahoo.com

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Information: http://www.apocp.org

Venue: Siam City Hotel
Symposium II: Models for Assessment of Chemopreventive Agents

Special Lecture
Invited Speaker: Chemoprevention - Past, Present and Future

Presentations
Dae Joong Kim: Rodent Multiorgan Models
Sukta Das: Single Organ Models
Masae Tatematsu: Specific Disease Models I
Witaya Thamavit: Specific Disease Models II
Malcolm A Moore: Surrogates and Mechanisms

Round Table Discussion: Chemoprevention Questions for Debate
Chairperson: Hiroyuki Tsuda

Symposium III: Asian Food Ingredients as Chemopreventive Agents

Special Lecture
Invited Speaker: The Chemopreventive Promise of Asian Foodstuffs

Presentations
Kazuo Tajima: Epidemiological Pointers
Kumiko Ogawa: Food Constituents as Chemopreventives
Petcharin Srivatankul: South-east Asian Food Ingredients as Chemopreventives
Archana Sengupta: Indian Food Ingredients as Chemopreventives
Young-Joon Surh: Korean Food Ingredients as Chemopreventives

Round Table Discussion: Chemoprevention Questions for Debate
Chairperson: Young-Joon Surh

Announcement

AsiaTox III has been postponed once more and is now scheduled to be held on February 1st -6th

Please see www.inmu.mahidol.ac.th/ASIATOX for further information
Second Regional APOCP Conference - South East Asia
Khon Kaen University, 9-11th February, 2004, Thailand

‘Customs, Environment and Cancer’

President: Vajarabhongsa Bhuddhisawasdi

Host Organization: Khon Kaen University,
Thai National Cancer Institute
Held under UICC-APOCP Auspices

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Kazuo Tajima

Monday 9th Morning Session
Opening Addresses
Keynote Lecture on “Cultural determinants”
- Kazuo Tajima
Special lecture “Future of chemoprevention”
- Hiroyuki Tsuda

Theme I: Liver Cancer

1. Overview of liver cancer
   - Petcharin Srivatanakul
2. Cholangiocarcinoma: A culture-bound cancer in Thailand
   - Chawalit Pairojkul
3. Interaction of liver flukes and other factors in the etiology of cholangiocarcinoma in Khon Kaen
   - Paola Pisani
4. Hepatoma: Chemoprevention
   - Anuchit Chutaputti

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Monday 9th Afternoon Session

Theme II: Lung cancer

1. Review of lung cancer risk factors in Northern Thailand: Are smoking and indoor radon the major risk factors?
   - Phongtape Wiwatanadate
2. Interventions to help smokers quit
   - Nobuyuki Hamajima
3. Etiological factors for lung cancer
   - Kei Nakachi

Oral presentations and posters

Welcome party

Tuesday 10th Morning Session

Theme III: Buccal and esophageal cancer

1. Chemoprevention of Oral Cancer
   - Takuji Tanaka
2. Epidemiology of upper aerodigestive tract cancer
   - Hutcha Sriplung
3. Food factors for esophageal cancer
   - Toshiro Takezaki

Oral presentations and poster

Tuesday 10th Afternoon Session Special lecture ‘Trends in Incidences of Gastrointestinal Cancer in Thailand’ - Tiravud Khuhaprema

Theme IV: Stomach and colorectal cancer

1. Impact factors of gastric and colorectal cancer development in Thailand
   - Sathaporn Manasathit
2. Epidemiology of alimentary tract cancers in Indonesia
   - Soeripto
3. Advances in imaging for cancer screening
   - Gen Inuma
4. Intervention for colon adenomas
   - Shinkan Tokudome

Break

APOCP South East Asia Meeting

Conference Registration Fee*

- APOCP Member 100 USD
- Non APOCP Member 150 USD
- Local Participants 2,000 Baht

* Until January 4th

Venue: Hotel Kosa

Wednesday 11th Morning Session

Theme V: Reproductive organ cancers

1. Early Breast Cancer Detection (Model)
   - Arkom Cheirsilpa
2. Epidemiology of breast cancer in Asia
   - Keun Young Yoo
3. Intra Vietnam variation in cancer incidence
   - Le Tran Ngoan
4. Risk Factors for Cervical Cancer in Khon Kaen, Thailand: nested case-control study
   - Supannee Sriamporn
5. Cervical cancer in Korea
   - Hai Rim Shin

Panel discussion “Customs, environment and cancer prevention” Chair - Malcolm A Moore

Wednesday 11th Afternoon Session

Special workshop

“Introduction to Molecular Epidemiology”
   - Nobuyuki Hamajima- Daehee Kan

Closing Addresses
‘New Paths to Cancer Prevention in the Asian-Pacific Region’  
‘Collaborative UICC Strategies’

Honorary President: E Hyock Kwon  
President: Yoon-Ok Ahn

Location: Seoul National University Hoam Faculty House and Convention Center

Tentative Schedule

Monday 1st November  
Afternoon Session

Opening Ceremony

Plenary lecture 1  ‘Epidemiology for the Future’

Symposium I ‘Cancer Registration’

Theme 1: Variation in Cancer Burden in the Asian Pacific

Theme 2: Cancer Registration Networking for Asia

Oral and Poster Session 1  
Welcome Dinner

Tuesday 2nd November  
Morning Session

Plenary lecture 2  ‘Toxicological Pathology for the Future’

Symposium II ‘Molecular Carcinogenesis’

Theme 1: Molecular Mechanisms of Neoplasia

Theme 2: Pathology of Multistage Cancer

Oral and Poster Session II  
Lunch

Convention Center

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Tuesday 2nd November  Afternoon Session

Symposium III ‘Molecular Epidemiology and Etiology of Cancer’

Theme 1: Progress in Molecular Epidemiology
Theme 2: Impact of Lifestyle Factors

Oral and Poster Session III
Special Theme Parties

Wednesday 3rd November  Morning Session

Symposium IV ‘Chemoprevention of Cancer’

Theme 1: Preventive Agents - Natural or Synthetic?
Theme 2: Surrogate Markers for Chemoprevention

APOCP General Assembly
Chairmans Report
Coordination Directors Report
Election of Officers
Future Meetings

Lunch

Wednesday 3rd November  Afternoon Session

Plenary lecture ‘UICC Activities for the Future’
UICC Symposium ‘Collaborative UICC Strategies’

Theme 1: Education and Information Transfer
Theme 2: Moving toward Practical Intervention

Closing Ceremony