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Immediate Past President



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Dear fellows, members and associate members,

This is the first newsletter since I step down as the immediate past president. I took a good rest staying in home during the long Easter holiday. The presidential speech last year touched on the publication rate of abstract presented in the past Hong Kong Orthopaedic Association annual congresses. Every year, over 180 abstracts were presented in the HKOA congress, 80% were oral presentation and 20% were poster presentation. 29% of the abstracts were published in journals. 80% of the papers were published after the presentation in congress. Of the award papers, half was published. About 25% of other oral presentations and 30% of posters also produced publication. The Journal of Orthopaedics, Trauma and Rehabilitation is the official journal of the Hong Kong Orthopaedic Association and the Hong Kong College of Orthopaedic Surgeons. It aims to provide a good platform for sharing and publication of your studies and experience, both among us and overseas orthopaedic surgeons. So far, nine issues were published with 16 review articles, 40 original articles and 38 case reports. Among the articles, 6 review articles, 30 original articles and 30 case reports were contributed by our members. The journal is indexed in ScienceDirect, SCOPUS, EMBASE and SIIC Data Bases. The plan is to strive for indexing in PubMed and Medline in the coming years. Do support the journal, take some time and write up your presented papers and submit your quality articles to the Journal of Orthopaedics, Trauma and Rehabilitation.

Association News & Notice

Local Meetings & Conferences

International Meetings

HKOA Annual Congress

50th Anniversary of the HKOA

6-8 November 2015

Website:

<http://hkoa.org/HKOA50/>

Meetings at Guanzhou in 2015:

29-31 May 2015: 国际创伤骨科高峰论坛

Hong Kong 2015 - the Combined Congress of HKIOF, APSS & APPOS
June 5-7 2015

19-21 June 2015: 广东省医学会骨科联合学术大会

Website:

<http://www.apoa2015hk.com>

17-19 Sept 2015: SICOT Orthopaedic World Congress

The Multi-specialty Medical Mega Conference

25-26 April 2015

<http://www.mmmc.hk>



More meetings information can be found in Orthopaedic Calendar from HKCOS: <http://www.hkcos.org.hk/calendar/index.aspx>

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