

## **COLLEGE OF SURGEONS, SINGAPORE**

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13th College Communication

## **Chapters**

Cardiothoracic Surgeons
General Surgeons
Hand Surgeons
Neurosurgeons
Otorhinolaryngologists
Ophthalmologists
Orthopaedic Surgeons
Paediatric Surgeons
Plastic Surgeons
Urologists

Fellows of the College of Surgeons, Singapore

The College has organised the "College of Surgeons Dinner 2008" on 19 September 2008 at the Regent Hotel where we have hosted our Named Lectureships as well as awarding a gold medal to the best performed Advanced Surgical Trainee (AST) in the exit examinations 2008 in each of the 10 surgical disciplines. The dinner was well attended by about 120pax which comprised of members, trainees and invited guests. We would like to give our sincere thanks to all who have made this dinner a success and look forward to your participation in our College Dinner of 2010. For year 2009, the College will organise a faculty dinner to host the surgeons visiting from overseas fraternal Colleges, as part of the programme of the 43<sup>rd</sup> Singapore-Malaysia Congress of Medicine (43<sup>rd</sup> SMCM).

The College would like to congratulate the following ASTs who have received the **College of Surgeons Gold Medal 2008** at our College dinner held on 19 September 2008:

- 1. From General Surgery, Dr Mark Wong Te Ching from Singapore General Hospital (SGH). His award was received on behalf by Dr Wong Sen Chow.
- 2. From Hand Surgery, Dr Amitabha Lahiri from National University Hospital (NUH).
- 3. From Otorhinolaryngology there were two award winners due to a tie in examination scores, Dr Anette Ang from SGH and her award was received on behalf by A/Prof Siow Jin Keat, and Dr Ong Yew Kwang from NUH.
- 4. From Orthopaedic Surgery, Dr Tan Chyn Hong from NUH.
- 5. From Paediatric Surgery, Dr Ong Lin Yin from KK Women's & Children's Hospital. Her award was received on behalf by A/Prof Anette Jacobsen.
- 6. From Plastic Surgery there were two award winners due to a tie in examination scores, Dr Marcus Wong Thien Chong from Tan Tock Seng Hospital and his award was received on behalf by Dr Wong Saw Yeen, and Dr Ong Yee Siang from SGH
- 7. From Urology, Dr Ong Chin Hu from Alexandra Hospital. His award was received on behalf by Dr David Consigliere.

There was no award for Cardiothoracic Surgery, Neurosurgery and Ophthalmology.

The College will be participating in the **43<sup>rd</sup> SMCM** organised by the Academy of Medicine, Singapore from 6-8 August 2009 by either organising or involving in a number of symposia proposed by the Scientific Committee of the 43<sup>rd</sup> SMCM. The Named Lectureships of the College, as well as, the award ceremony for the College of Surgeons Gold Medal 2009 will also be integrated into the 43<sup>rd</sup> SMCM programme. Details of the Congress will be announced when nearer the date.

As indicated in our 12<sup>th</sup> College newsletter of 11 August 2008, that the College has made-to-order College shawls in view of the increasing number of female members in our College. The College will be sending out the shawls to all our female members progressively as a memento from the College. The College shawl has been added to our existing range of **College Souvenirs** which are available for purchase by all College Fellows at our College website at www.css.edu.sg.



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The Academy of Medicine and its Colleges are **moving office** to a bigger premise. From 11 October 2008, we will be relocated to:

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All Colleges will be situated on the 11<sup>th</sup> floor and all other departments of the Academy of Medicine will be located on the 12<sup>th</sup> floor.

Meanwhile, please do not hesitate to contact our College Secretariat at <a href="mailto:css@ams.edu.sg">css@ams.edu.sg</a> if you have any feedback or queries. I look forward to your active support in our College meetings and activities.

Yours sincerely,

Dr Chan Heng Thye

President

Council 2008-2009

College of Surgeons, Singapore