New College Staff

Hi, I’m Gladys Yeung. It is my pleasure to join the College of Dental Surgeons of Hong Kong in August 2007. I would be most happy to assist in matters related to the College. I can be reached at Tel: 2871-8734 or Email: gladys@cdshk.org.

Coming Events

Autumn Scientific Meeting
“Emerging Oral Disease and Treatment”
Presented by Professor Crispian Scully & Professor Lakshman Samaranayake
28 October 2007, 0900-1700
Lecture Theatre 1, Prince Philip Dental Hospital, Hong Kong.
For Registration & Enquiries: (852) 28718866 Email: info@cdshk.org.

Conjoint Congress 2007
Faculty of Dentistry (HKU) & College of Dental Surgeons of Hong Kong
2nd International Conference on Evidence-Based Advanced Dentistry
16-19 November 2007 Hong Kong
Details: http://dent25.hku.hk/congress/index.htm

President’s Message

Dear Fellows,

We are coming around soon to the 2nd International Conference on Evidence-based Advanced Dentistry scheduled from 16-19 November 2007. The College is co-organiser to our local teaching institute to celebrate the 14th anniversary of formation of our College and Silver Jubilee celebration of the HKU Faculty of Dentistry. Please sign up to support your College because the organizing committee had put a lot of efforts in inviting prominent international and local speakers from various specialties to lecture on the state of art dentistry and hands-on workshop. As a post congress meeting, our college organised Professor Bjorn Zacharisson from Norway to lecture on a one-day course “high quality’ dentistry- seamless co-operation between orthodontists and dentists”. Don’t miss this golden opportunity to freshen up and registration for both the Congress and meeting is by post or on line @http://dent25.hku.hk/congress/index.htm.

In October, Professor Crispian Scully CBE, Dean and Director of Studies and Research of UCL Eastman Dental Institute together with Dean Professor Lakshman Samaranayake will be our invited speakers for our Winter Scientific meeting. Please sign up for an update on the topic of emerging oral diseases and treatments.

In July this year, Vice Minister Prof. Huang Jie Fu and a visiting team from the Ministry of Health visited the Academy, followed by visitation from the School of Stomatology, Beijing Hospital led by Dean Prof. Yu Guang Yan in August. The College is honoured to be involved in assisting the grand-fathering of the first batch of Dental (Stomatological) Specialist in Oral Maxillo-facial Surgery and Orthodontics in mainland China.

The Education Committee is starting another cycle of accreditation of training centre for all different specialties. The inspection team is headed by Dr. Joseph Chan with team members Professor Edward Lo and Dr. John Ling.

Coming up in October and November, we will be conducting both the Conjoint and Exit Examinations in various Dental Specialties. The usual election of new councilors by postal ballot and announcement will be made at our annual general meeting scheduled at noon time on Sunday 18th November. A conjoint conferment ceremony with the Royal College of Surgeons Edinburgh will also be conducted on 23rd November 2007. I look forward in meeting you in various occasions. Your unfailing support to College activities would be sincerely appreciated.

Dr. John Ling
President (2006-2007)
A Conjoint Scientific Meeting with Royal Australasian College of Dental Surgeons (RACDS)

Scheduled in May 2008, a conjoint scientific meeting with the Royal Australasian College of Dental Surgeons (RACDS).

Pictured taken at the CDSHK Chamber with the visitation team: L to R: Dr. Anthony Tse (Hon. Sec CDSHK), Professor LK Cheung (Conference Scientific Chair), Professor L. Nararanyak (Dean Faculty of Dentistry), A/Prof Bernadette Drummond (RACDS P-elect), Dr. John Ling (CDSHK President), Dr. Neil Peppitt (RACDS President), Dr. Roch Lee (Vice-President CDSHK), Professor Edward Lo (Scientific Committee Chairman CDSHK), Dr. Frances Chau (Chairman RACDS HK Chapter), Dr. Williame Yung (Censor-in-Chief CDSHK).

Appointments & Awards

In June 2007, Dr. John Ling was appointed as Honorary Council Member of the Chinese Stomatological Association.

Picture taken (L to R) in Beijing with Prof. Wang Hing (President CSA), Prof. Zhang Zhen Kang (IP President CSA, Prof. Luan Wen Min (Vice President CSA), Dr. John Ling (President CDSHK) and Prof. Fan Ming Wen (Vice President CSA).

Our President Dr. John Ling was awarded Honorary Fellowship of the Academy of Medicine, Singapore on 19 July 2007, during the 41st Singapore Malaysia Congress of Medicine.

Picture taken with Singapore Prime Minister Mr. Lee Hsien Loong.

Collaboration with Ministry of Health on Specialist Registration in Mainland

Meeting of visitation team from Beijing University School of Stomatology Hospital in Hong Kong on August 2007, with representatives from the College for Grand-fathering Dental Specialists in Mainland China.

Professor Zhang Zhen Kang

In June, 2007, Professor Zhang Zhen Kang (pictured left), one of our first batch of Honorary College Fellow celebrated his tribute of 50 years of teaching and long service to the development of modern Chinese dentistry. Dean of School of Stomatology, Beijing Medical University Professor Yu Guang Yan (pictured left) presenting him a souvenir at this memorable event. It was attended by over two hundred colleagues and friends including Dr. Michael Tsui, Professor Jin Li Jian and Dr. John Ling from Hong Kong.