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Message from President

3 Vs



My warmest greetings to all Fellows, nurses and friends of the Hong Kong Academy of Nursing (HKAN). I assumed the presidency of HKAN on 18 June 2016, hoping with the aim of building on the good work of our outgoing president, Dr Susie Lum. The HKAN has started some important work in preparation for the mission of achieving statutory status for advanced practicing nurses working in different specialties in Hong Kong. To name but a few, we have established an accreditation system for Academy Colleges and an assessment mechanism to ensure that they have a system in place to certify nurse specialists with competence on a par with international standards. The HKAN is a certified CNE provider, recognized by the Council of Nursing, Hong Kong. To date, there are 2829 Fellows on the active membership list. We have engaged in continuous dialogue with the Food & Health Bureau, the Hospital Authority, other healthcare agencies including the private hospitals, the Hong Kong Nursing Council, universities, nursing associations and many other key stakeholders on the achievements and development of the HKAN. Our ultimate goal is to gain legal protection for the title of nurse specialist in Hong Kong, so that world class standards of nursing practice can be ensured and the public is protected by safe professional practice.

This is the 5th year of the HKAN, but our journey toward this meaningful goal actually started in 2003. We hope that the conception stage of the HKAN will finish soon, resulting in the birth of an entity that is legitimate in its own right. During my presidency, I propose to focus on 3 Vs. The first V is visibility. We need to let the voice of nursing be heard so that the specialty practice of nurses can be better valued and the capacity of nursing optimized to benefit the people we serve. The second and third Vs are VV = We. Together, we can make a difference. We hope all advanced practicing nurses will adopt the mission of the HKAN, embrace its values and, in unity, strive for excellence!

We value close communication with all of you and encourage you to contact any of the Council Members if you have any thoughts or suggestions for the HKAN. If you have any success stories about advanced nursing practice in your specialty area, we would be happy if you shared them with us too! You can communicate with me directly at president@hkan.hk.

I wish you all the best of health and happiness!

Frances Kam Yuet Wong RN PhD FAAN FHKAN (Education & Research)
President, The Hong Kong Academy of Nursing

Handover of Presidency From Dr. Susie LUM to Prof. Frances WONG

On 18 June 2016 after the AGM, Dr. Susie LUM handed over the Presidency to Prof. Frances WONG. The Council expressed great appreciation for the leadership of Dr. LUM in the past ten years paving the way for the Academy and specialty colleges. We also congratulated Prof. WONG and gave her our strong support. Dr. LUM would stay in the Council as Immediate Past President.



5th Fellowship Conferment and 5th Anniversary Kick-off Ceremony



Fellowship Conferment and 5th Anniversary Kick-off Ceremony was held on 7 May 2016 (Sat) in the Chiang Chen Studio Theatre in the Hong Kong Polytechnic University. Thanks for the support from our advisors, guests and fellows.



Honorary Fellows

Seven Honorary Fellows were conferred this year, thank you for your unfailing support.



Dr. CHAN Chok Wan



Prof. LEONG Chi Yan John



Dr. LI Kwok Tung Donald



Ms. LIU Yuk Ling Elaine



Mr. NG Kwong Wah Allen



Prof. WONG Chi Sang Martin



Prof. PENG Gang Yi

Conferment of Fellows

First group of 8 Fellow Members admitted through examination and assessment. Four from Hong Kong College of Critical Care Nursing and Four from Hong Kong College of Paediatric Nursing.



5th Anniversary Seminar

After the conferment, A/Professor LEE Siu Yin, Former Director of Nursing Now Senior Director, Special Projects (Ambulatory Services) National University Hospital, Singapore gave talk on “Development of the Advanced Practice Nurse through Education, Certification & Service”, sharing the Advanced Practice experience in Singapore.



The 5th Annual General Meeting on 18th June 2016

The 5th Annual General Meeting of The Hong Kong Academy of Nursing Limited (“Academy”) was held at the HKAN Conference Room on 18th June 2016 at 2:30 p.m.



Ms. Samantha CHONG was elected Council Member in the 5th AGM on 18 June 2016.



Ms Samantha CHONG is the Associate Professor of Nursing Practice & Director of Advanced Training in Clinical Nursing at the School of Nursing University of Hong Kong. She has been working in both public and private healthcare sectors since 1977. She is the Council Member and Fellow of the College of Nursing & Health Care Management as well as the Fellow of the College of Education & Research in Nursing under Education.

It is really my honor to be nominated and elected as Council Member of the HKAN and be part of the team on 18 June 2016. Heartfelt thanks to all honorary advisors and council members who have set a good example for their devotion towards Academy and clinical excellence in patient care in the past years. I would like to take this opportunity to contribute my clinical, educational, managerial and administrative experience to the Academy. I deeply believe through the collective teamwork and concerted efforts among council members and nursing fellows of the 14 specialty colleges, healthcare multidisciplinary team as a whole can provide professional, quality, safe, loving and best care to the community and people we serve. I look forward to advancing our professional nursing practice under the leadership of our President to meet the ever changing healthcare needs of the society & to build Hong Kong a healthier place to live through collaboration of local & global partners.

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2016 World Health Day

9 April 2016 (Saturday)

Venue : Sun Yat-sen Place of The University of Hong Kong



Reflective Journal: the World Health Day (WHD) 2016 by Heyman TANG FHKAN (Emergency)

Time flies...

My memory has back after a glance over the scenes with all my flash-back in the day of WHD 2016 in Hong Kong University (HKU). It was a nice day with scattered clouds in the sky.....

To celebrate the WHD 2016, the Hong Kong Academy of Nursing (HKAN) organized the event of “WHD 2016, 糖尿控制在你手，健康人生樂悠悠” on 9th April 2016. It aimed to promote healthy life style and enhance the sense of health to public. In the past, the HKAN organized Health Carnivals in different districts along with the Hospital Authority (HA) Clusters by the Promotion and Public Relations Committee (P&PRC) of HKAN. This year, the event have been launched in the Hong Kong West Cluster and located in the campus of our famous HKU.

I was invited to be one of the members for the preparation works of such meaningful event. It's our great pleasure and honour that we have so many partners e.g. HKU, HKAN, HA are able to contribute in the WHD 2016. I myself enjoyed very much, no matter during the preparatory phases and in the day of the event. Many guests joined the “10-minute exercise”(十分鐘活力操) that was designed by the Physical Fitness Association of HK started the “fire” in the day and the atmosphere was raised to the top when the Talent Show: “Nurse's Got Talent” started. They were 6 teams i.e. Nurtruism (HKU), 哈哈小組 (CMC), Crush it, the Candy! (OU), Sing along (CMC), Beautiful (HKU) and 屯門護校隊 (TMH) to compete the championship! The event was ended with the greatest success ever with lots of laughter and joy!

We shared our beliefs and passions in promoting health during the whole day. It's indeed my privilege to have such opportunity to work with so many energetic colleagues and leaders in many different professions in such a wonderful arena.

With the active support and assistance by many partners and friends, the health messages were successfully disseminated in the community in encouraging them to have a healthy lifestyle, not only in the day of the event, but also in the future of their daily living. I'm sure it's not only my beliefs, but most of our partners and colleagues in healthcare that “we build a healthy Hong Kong and aspire to be an internationally renowned public health authority!”

2016 International Nurses Day (IND) Celebration Dinner

The Academy together with New Territories West Cluster Hospitals and St. Teresa's Hospital organized the 2016 IND Celebration Dinner on 7 May at Rotunda 3, 6/F, Kowloonbay International Trade and Exhibition Center. The theme of the year was Nurses: A Force for Change – Improving Health Systems' Resilience 「護士為變革的動力 - 專業自強、睿進迎變」. Over 1,100 guests, nurses and student nurses joined the dinner and all participants spent a wonderful night networking while enjoying the food and performances.



Charity Nourishing Feast 2016

Charity Nourishing Feast 2016 was held at Owners Box, 3/f, Members Stand I, Hong Kong Jockey Club, Happy Valley Racecourse on 27 May (Friday)



The 1st Charity Dinner of HKAN was patron by Mrs. Regina Leung, wife of the Chief Executive. Immense gratitude to Professor Alice CHIU for being the Founding Fund Raising Consultant and Mr. CHAN Chik Hon and Professor FENG Jiu jointly tailor-made a nutritious menu with 養生 as the theme. Apart from the enchanted singing by Dr. David FANG, the auction of valuable items conducted by Ms. JIN Ling was the highlight of the evening. The net surplus of the Charity Dinner is approximately HK\$660,000.

Workshop and Community Network

23 January 2016

Dr. Esther WONG representing HKAN to attend the Patient Group Event 「新老友記團年」



28 January 2016

VP (Education) meeting with Acting CEO, Dr. Alex YU, of Hong Kong Baptist Hospital. HKBH is supportive to collaborate in training placement.



29 January 2016

Ms. Civy LEUNG representing HKAN to attend the CU Student Development Workshop



5 March 2016

Dr. Susie LUM, Dr. Esther WONG and Ms. LAM Yin Ming representing HKAN to attend the Patient Group Event.

14 May 2016

Ms. Civy LEUNG representing HKAN to attend 香港衛生界專業團體聯席會議茶聚



Workshop and Community Network



25 June 2016
Academy President and College Presidents attending Organ Donation 「器官捐贈推廣約章啟動禮」



28 June 2016
COSH activity at the Atrium of Domain Mall at YAU TONG



17 June 2016
Dr. Esther WONG and Ms. Gloria LUK representing HKAN in attending the Passing-out Parade of Correctional Services Department, photo with Mr. YAU Chi Chiu, Commissioner (CSD).



21 July 2016
Prof Frances Wong (President), Ms Civy Leung (VP/External) and Mr Philip Choi (HKCEN Fellow) visited the Union Hospital to propagate HKAN and advanced practice nursing.

They were warmly received by Ms Carol Cheong (Director of Nursing), Ms Pun Tsz Kei (Deputy Director of Nursing) and Union Hospital colleagues. It was a very good opportunity for exchanging ideas on advanced practice.

Accreditation Committee

Congratulations to the eight Colleges due for accreditation in 2016. The exercise was completed on 30 Jan 2016 with four Colleges being accredited three years and four Colleges being accredited two years. Certificate of Accreditation was presented to the Colleges.



Re-accreditation of Colleges in 2017 is planned. Six Colleges are due for re-accreditation. 1st notification to invite application was sent to College Presidents on 29 Jun 2016. The deadline for application is on 30 Dec 2016.

Promotion and Public Relations Committee

Community Involved Broadcasting Service (CIBS) Project
2015-2016 “健康老友記雜誌”

Promotion and Public Relations Committee is delighted to announce that the recording for the 13 chapters was completed and the last chapter convened by President Frances Wong was broadcasted on 6 July 2016.

A Hot Line was promoted at the end of each chapter to further promulgate Hong Kong Academy of Nursing and the specialization of Advanced Practice Nurses.

This project was a tremendous valuable experience through sweat and tears of over 150 nurses and healthcare professionals who participated actively and whole-heartedly in the process. Big hugs to you all!



Please visit for a replay at
http://programme.rthk.hk/channel/radio/programme.php?name=dab31/g0365_healthy_elderly&p=7215

Promotion and Public Relations Committee

CIBS Project -2015-2016 健康老友記雜誌錄音花絮



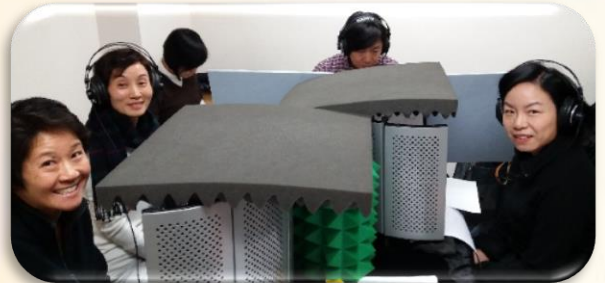
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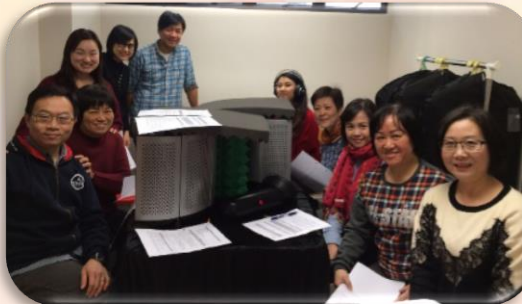
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第四集5月4日：點樣可以痛少D



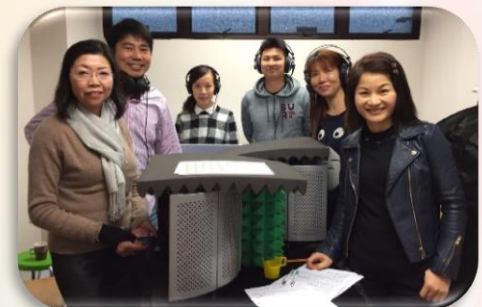
第五集5月11日：眼矇矇, 耳聾聾



第六集5月18日：預防流感你要知



第七集5月25日：
難以啓齒的大小問題



第八集6月1日：掙番啖氣

Promotion and Public Relations Committee

CIBS Project -2015-2016 健康老友記雜誌錄音花絮



第九集6月8日- 黃金三小時



第十集6月15日- 看不見的危機



第十一集6月22日- 老友骨骨

第十二集6月29日- 做個開心老友記



第十三集7月4日- 精彩人生下半場

Education Committee

Congratulations to Hong Kong College of Critical Care Nursing, Hong Kong College of Nursing and Health Care Management, Hong Kong College of Midwives, and Hong Kong College of Medical Nursing. These 4 Colleges had satisfied the Assessment Team of the Education Committee in their standards and mechanism in certifying the Ordinary Members/Fellows in their respective specialties and subspecialties. The validity period of the assessment is 2 years.

Assessment visit with Hong Kong College of Critical Care Nursing on 3 Oct 2015



Assessment visit with Hong Kong College of Nursing and Health Care Management on 28 Nov 2015



Assessment visit with Hong Kong College of Midwives on 23 Apr 2016



Education Committee

On 11 Jun 2016, the Education Committee Assessment Team conducted an assessment visit with the Hong Kong College of Medical Nursing. The assessment was for subspecialties, namely, diabetes, core module – medicine, advanced medicine, palliative care, neurology, infectious diseases.



Up to July 2016, total five colleges went through the assessment in certifying their members/fellows. They were:

1. Hong Kong College of Paediatric Nursing
2. Hong Kong College of Critical Care Nursing
3. Hong Kong College of Nursing and Health Care Management
4. Hong Kong College of Midwives
5. Hong Kong College of Medical Nursing (core module – medicine; advanced medicine; infectious diseases; neurology; palliative; Diabetes)

On 27 Jan 2016 the Colleges delegates had meeting with the Heads of the Nursing Schools in the Universities on possible curriculum alignment, both in theory and clinical practicum. There is good progress since the meeting.



Professional Development Committee

Advanced Nursing Practice and credentialing of advanced practice nurses in U.S.A.

Speaker: Prof. Kristine Anne Scordo

Course Date: 26 January 2016 (Tuesday), 7pm-9pm

Venue: Lecture Theatre, 7th floor, Block H, Princess of Margaret Hospital



Qualifications Framework: Implications for Nursing in Hong Kong

Speaker: Prof. Peter YUEN BA, MBA [(S.U.N.Y. (Buffalo)); PhD (Birm.); FCHSM (Aust.)]

Course Date: 18 March 2016 (Friday), 7pm – 8pm

Venue: HJ203, The Hong Kong Polytechnic University, Hunghom



Professional Development Committee

Development of the Advanced Practice Nurse (APN): Singapore (NUH) experience

Speaker: A/Prof. LEE Siu Yin

Course Date: 6 May 2016 (Friday), 6:30 pm - 9:30 pm

Venue: The Hong Kong Polytechnic University, BC Core, Room 201



Friendly reminder from PDC:

The first CNE cycle for Member will be completed on 31-3-2017 (1-4-2014 to 31-3-2017). Academy Colleges are reminded to submit a summary of their Members CNE points to Academy R&MC within 3 months upon the completion of the 3-year cycle. (before 30-6-2017)

Registration & Membership Committee

1. Retired Fellows – The R&MC received inquiry about whether HKAN would offer the title of “Retired Fellow” with a discounted membership fee. After deliberation, the Council concurred that HKAN will not offer such title.
2. Membership card – a new membership card for the year 16/17 has been sent out by mail to all active fellow members and ordinary members of HKAN. In response to the feedback from the fellows, the design of the new card has included the fellow diploma/certificate numbers and the respective college of the fellow. The HKAN will issue the membership card within 2 months after the membership is renewed. HKAN office is delighted to respond to any concern related to the membership card.
3. Fellow renewal status - As at 13 Jun 2016, HKAN is having a total of 2829 active fellows. The breakdown is as below. The deadline for renewal is on 31 Oct 2016. Application after this date will not be entertained and the fellowship will subsequently be deleted . Fellows who have not renewed the membership are encouraged to expedite to catch up the deadline.

Renewal of Fellow Membership for 2016-2017			
College	2016	College	2016
HKCCN	138	HKMHN	110
HKCCPHN	270	HKCM	183
HKCCCN	185	HKCNHCM	129
HKCERN	125	HKCON	143
HKCEN	185	HKCPN	308
HKCGN	90	HKCPON	244
HKCMN	456	HKCSN	263

The total renewal of all 14 Colleges is 2829 (updated on 13 Jun 16)

4. Academy Colleges are actively preparing the next batch of members for fellow conferment in 2017. The respective deadline of application to Academy is 30 Sep 2016 for ordinary membership and 27 Jan 2017 for fellow membership. Please help to promote this news amongst colleagues.

Congratulations!

Congratulations to HKAN Fellow Awardees on the 2016 Honours List



Medal of Honor (榮譽勳章)

Mr. CHOI Pui Wah, Philip (蔡沛華先生)

Fellow of the Hong Kong Academy of Nursing (Emergency)

Mr. CHOI is CGM(N) of KWC / GM(N) of PMH & NLTH; and D COMR (HR) of Auxiliary Medical Service



Appointed the Justices of the Peace

Prof. LEE Tze Fan, Diana (李子芬教授)

Fellow of the Hong Kong Academy of Nursing (Education & Research)

Prof. LEE is Professor of Nursing, The Nethersole School of Nursing, Faculty of Medicine, The Chinese University of Hong Kong; and Chairman of The Nursing Council of Hong Kong



Upcoming Events and Activities

MCQ Writing Workshop

Date : 20 August 2017 (Saturday)

Time : 9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Venue : LG2, School of Nursing, PMH

9th International Council of Nurses

International Nurse Practitioner / Advanced Practice Nursing Network Conference

Theme: Advancing nursing, Advancing health: Emerging possibilities

Date: 9 – 11 September 2016

Venue: Hong Kong Convention and Exhibition Centre

Website : www.icn-inpapn2016.org



5th Anniversary Dinner

Date : 19 November 2016 (Saturday)

Time : To be advised

Venue: Diamond Ballroom (金鑽廳), Eaton Hong Kong (逸東酒店)

“Fellow Recognition Award Ceremony” will be held together with the 5th Anniversary Dinner
Nominations will be called very soon

Strategic Planning Workshop

Date : 7 January 2017 (Saturday)

Time : To be advised

Venue : To be advised

World Health Day celebration

Date : 8 April 2017 (Saturday)

Time : To be advised

Venue : To be advised

Fellowship Conferment 2017

Date : 13 May 2017 (Saturday)

Time : To be advised

Venue : Chiang Chen Studio Theatre (蔣震劇院), at HK PolyU

2017 International Nurses Day (IND) Celebration Dinner

Date : 13 May 2017 (Saturday)

Time : To be advised

Venue : Rotunda 2, 3/F, Kowloonbay International Trade and Exhibition Center



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