

# Cardiothoracic Surgery Specialty Update Course

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## ORGANIZING CHAIRMAN'S MESSAGE

It gives us great pleasure and honour to host the inaugural revision course in Cardiothoracic Surgery organized by the Royal College of Surgeons Edinburgh, Academy of Medicine Singapore and National University of Singapore.

The "Specialty Update Course in Cardiothoracic Surgery" is aimed at doctors who are preparing for their final specialty examination in Cardiothoracic Surgery. The course will be conducted by senior UK Cardiothoracic Surgery consultants, who are examiners in the Specialty of Cardiothoracic Surgery, Royal College of Surgeons Edinburgh, as well as invited faculty from around the region. In addition to covering topics like basic sciences and common cardiothoracic surgical conditions, this course also provides the opportunity to review difficult, contentious and developing aspects of the specialty. Interactive seminar sessions will be used to discuss case management decisions and surgical strategies for complex scenarios in the realms of cardiothoracic surgery. We would also like to welcome nurses and allied healthcare providers, including physiotherapists, as there will also be four separate interactive seminar sessions on "Integrated Care pathways", "Ventilation and Weaning", "Developing Nurse Led Practice" and "Post-Operative Care in Cardiac & Thoracic Surgical Patients" specially conducted by UK nurse practitioners. This course is also suitable for doctors in related fields like Respiratory Medicine, Cardiology and Cardiothoracic Anaesthesia.

We hope that all participants find this 2-day course stimulating and rewarding and we would also like to wish all foreign faculty and participants a very pleasant stay in Singapore.

### CHAIRMAN



**Assoc Professor Wong Poo Sing**  
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## PROGRAMME

### Tuesday 17 October 2006

TIME	LECTURE TOPIC / ACTIVITY	SPEAKER
0745 hrs	Introduction on Course aims and objectives	TR Graham
0800 hrs	Management of Lung Cancer	R Page
0900 hrs	Management of end stage Lung Disease	PB Rajesh
1000hrs	Tea Break	
1030 hrs	CABG Indications & Evidence	P Magee
1100 hrs	Technique Off pump vs On pump	M Underwood
1130 hrs	Surgery for Aortic Valve Disease	R Jeffrey
1200 hrs	Acute Aortic dissection	M Underwood
1230 hrs	Lunch	
1330 hrs**	<i>Please refer to Medical &amp; Nursing Seminars below</i>	
1545 hrs	Tea Break	
1615 hrs	Present perspective of Video Assisted Thoracic Surgery	A Yim
1700 hrs	Surgery of the Aorta	Azhari Yakub
1745 hrs	Cardiac Surgery - How it was, how it is, and how it might be	P Magee
1830 hrs	WELCOME DRINKS RECEPTION	

### Wednesday 18 October 2006

0800 hrs	Surgery for Mitral Valve Disease: Western Perspective, Far Eastern Perspective	TR Graham & PS Wong
0900 hrs	Blood Conservation	R Jeffrey
0930 hrs	Risk Stratification In Cardiac Surgery	M Underwood
1000 hrs	Tea Break	
1030 hrs	Management of Benign Lung Disease	R Page
1130 hrs	Disorders of the Mediastinum	PB Rajesh
1230 hrs	Lunch	
1330 hrs **	<i>Please refer to Medical &amp; Nursing Seminars below</i>	
1545 hrs	Tea Break	
1615 hrs	Coronary Artery Disease Choice of Revascularisation	CN Lee
1700 hrs	Cardiac Surgical Management of Renal Cell Carcinoma extending into the heart	TR Graham
1745 hrs	Closing Remarks	TR Graham
1800 hrs	End	

#### MEDICAL SEMINARS & NURSING SEMINARS

\* 6 medical seminar groups (1-6), each group will undertake 3 seminars (A-F) on each day.

\* 2 nursing groups to rotate between the 2 seminars on both days

\* Note Seminar time

Seminar Time:	Seminar A	Ischaemic Heart Disease – Case Studies/Angios	P Magee / CN Lee
1330 - 1415 hrs	Seminar B	Pre-Operative Cardiac Assessment	M Underwood/ D Pitcher
1415 - 1500 hrs	Seminar C	Cardiothoracic Trauma Case Studies	TR Graham / PS Wong
1500 - 1545 hrs	Seminar D	Pulmonary Case Studies	R Page
	Seminar E	Mediastinal Case Studies	PB Rajesh
	Seminar F	Basic Sciences for Cardiothoracic Surgeons	R Jeffrey
	DAY 1		
Seminar Time:	Seminar A	Integrated Care Pathways	SJ King
1330 - 1430 hrs	Seminar B	Ventilation & Weaning	C Nash
1430 - 1530 hrs		Q & A (Nursing)	
	DAY 2		
Seminar Time:	Seminar C	Developing Nurse Led Practice	SJ King
1330 - 1430 hrs	Seminar D	Post-Operative Cardiac & Thoracic Care	C Nash
1430 - 1530 hrs		Q & A (Nursing)	

## COURSE FACULTY

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### \* Full registration by 29 September 2006

**Nurses**

S\$100.00

**Fellows / Trainees (letter of prove)**

S\$250.00

**Doctors / Surgeons**

S\$350.00

*\* Fee are inclusive of 5% GST \* Including access to the seminar and meals during the seminar.*

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**For more information, please contact Irene Lai / New Sock Shuang at (65) 6772 5596/5565**

## HOTEL RESERVATION

Special room rate have been negotiated at the following hotels for all course participants. Please indicate your choice of hotel and fax your request to your preferred hotel. The hotel personnel will liaise with you directly. Reservation of room is on a first come first serve basis.

All room rates are based on per room per night and are subjected to 10% service charge, 1 % cess and 5% Goods and Services Tax.

#### **York Hotel**

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Tel: (65) 68301127

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Superior Single (with buffet breakfast)

S\$155+++

Superior Double (with buffet breakfast

S\$170+++

Deluxe Single (with buffet breakfast)

S\$175+++

Deluxe Double (with buffet breakfast)

S\$190+++

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1 Tanglin Road, Singapore 247905

Contact: **Ms Mae Gan**

Tel: (65) 67317082

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Email: [maegan@orchardparade.com.sg](mailto:maegan@orchardparade.com.sg).

Deluxe (Single/Double with no breakfast)

S\$155+++

Special breakfast rate: S\$15+++ per person per day if confirmed upon making reservation