

21st RCD 2014

Regional Conference of Dermatology (Asian-Australasian)

incorporating the

6th Annual Meeting of the Asian Academy of Dermatology and Venereology

Theme:

Enhancing Best Practice in Clinical and Cosmetic Dermatology

Date: 9th to 12th April 2014

**Venue: Furama Convention Centre & Hotel
Danang, Vietnam**

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Message from the Organising Chairman



Dear Colleagues,

On behalf of the Vietnamese Society of Dermatology and Venereology, I am very pleased to welcome you to the 21st Regional Conference of Dermatology (21st RCD) to be held in Danang City, Vietnam, on 9th to 12th April 2014.

The 21st RCD is a special and unique platform for all dermatologists in the region to make friends with one another, share and learn new knowledge from latest studies or simply from other colleagues' valuable experience in Dermatological practice.

Danang, located in the centre of Vietnam, is the host for the conference. It is a very attractive city in Vietnam with beautiful beach which considered one of the six most outstanding beaches in the world and many surrounding gorgeous sight seeing. The organising committee has prepared various scientific activities for the participants. I am confident that all of you would be able to gain more knowledge about Dermatological science throughout all the sessions we organise. At the same time, I hope you be acquainted with Dermatologists since this is a unique opportunity to learn how and what our colleagues are doing in various countries in Asia.

I look forward to meeting you all at the 21st Regional Conference of Dermatology.



Associate Professor Tran Hau Khang, MD, PhD

President, Vietnamese Society of Dermatology and Venereology &
Chairman, Organising Committee



Message from the Secretary-General LADS/AADV



Dear Doctors, Colleagues and our partners in RCD,

Once again we celebrate another milestone in the history of our regional dermatology fraternity.

For the first time this RCD, the 21st RCD will be held in Vietnam to celebrate the entry of the Vietnamese Society of Dermatology and Venereology (VSDV) into the League of Asean Dermatological Societies (LADS). This important event follows the inauguration of the AADV in Hanoi in 2009.

On behalf of the Council of the LADS and the Board of the AADV, I would like to urge all aspiring dermatologists, trainees and registrars to take advantage of this special opportunity to attend the many teaching courses and workshops that the 21st RCD has to offer. You will learn much from the many eminent teachers in dermatopathology, dermatologic surgery, allergy and contact dermatitis, clinical dermatology and dermatologic therapy.

I note that the Professor Tran Hau Khang, President of the VSDV, heading a dedicated Organising Committee, is committed to bring to the 21st RCD a pristine international and regional faculty of world-renowned experts. I am told that many new shooting stars as well as icons in dermatology will be attending. The scientific program that is being developed will be in keeping with the high standards set by previous RCDs. The sharing of information and expertise opportunity generated by this meeting will be relevant to your daily dermatology practice. The close fellowship of dermatologists of our region that had been the hallmark will again be seen in the Congress social program.

I also note that our biomedical partners and supporters who have travelled with us through the past 40 years of the RCDs are again present in force.

With best wishes.

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Dr Steven K W Chow
Secretary-General LADS/AADV

Message from the Vice Minister of Health



On behalf of the Ministry of Health of Vietnam, I have great honor to welcome all delegates to the 21st Regional Conference of Dermatology (Asian-Australasian).

First of all, I would like to thank the Asian Academy of Dermatology and Venereology (AADV) and the League of ASEAN Dermatological Societies (LADS) for giving us such a great opportunity to host the International Scientific Event in Da Nang City, Vietnam from 9th to 12th April 2014.

Dermatology is a crucial field of medicine. In recent times, a lot of significant achievements have been achieved. The global co-operation, in fact, has consolidated this development. Regarding Dermatology in Vietnam, we have also taken many important steps in STD management, diagnosis and treatment of skin diseases, eliminating leprosy and so on. I am very delighted that, the Vietnamese Society of Dermatology and Venereology will be the Host of the 21st Regional Conference of Dermatology in 2014 and also proud to know that numerous world-renowned experts on Dermatology will attend this important event. The Organising Committee is committed to bring an attractive and strong academic atmosphere to the Conference. Also, attending the event would give you a chance to be in one of the most dreamed land of Vietnam, which I have a strong belief that you would not regret.

On this special occasion, it will be meaningful to see you all from different countries with various knowledge and cultural backgrounds. Please accept my best wishes for a successful Conference and that your goals will be fulfilled.

Last but not least, I hope your stay in Da Nang City will be a pleasant and memorable experience.

Wishing the Conference a successful one!

Best regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Nguyen Thi Xuyen', written in a cursive style.

Associate Professor Nguyen Thi Xuyen, MD, PhD

Vice Minister of Health

Socialist Republic of Vietnam

Message from the Chairman of Da Nang People's Committee



On behalf of the Da Nang authorities, it is my pleasure to welcome you to the 21st Regional Conference of Dermatology (21st RCD) to be held in Da Nang, Vietnam from 9th to 12th April 2014.

The Conference is a good opportunity for doctors to discuss and learn new professional knowledge from dermatological experts in the region and the world. In addition, the valuable experience shared in the conference will be much helpful for doctors to treat patients of Da Nang in particular and of the country in general.

As you may be aware, in recent years, Da Nang has been focusing on building infrastructure for transportation and services. As series of 5-star hotels and resorts along the Da Nang beach are completed and put into operation, attracting more and more tourists to Da Nang. Being a coastal city, Da Nang is the largest city of the Central Vietnam with the completed transport system. Da Nang is convenient for tourists from the two ends of the country by various means of transport. Therefore, in the recent years, many important international conferences were held in Da Nang, among these were APEC Ministerial Conference on Bird Flu and some seminars under APEC Vietnam 2006; East-West Economic Corridor Conference (2007), Vietnam - Japan Economic Forum (2009); APEC Business Advisory Council (ABAC) (2009), ASEAN Foreign Ministers Meeting and some other important conferences in the year of ASEAN Vietnam 2010. With the active support of the city authority together with the dedication, enthusiasm and responsibilities of the related agencies, these events were greatly successful and left a good impression to our guests.

The weather in April will be the most ideal for you to go sightseeing of Da Nang and the neighbouring areas such as Da Nang beach, considered to be one of the six most outstanding beaches of the planet, Son Tra peninsular, Five Marble Mountains, Ba Na Hills with the two world records, the world heritage sites of Hoi An ancient town, My Son Holy Land and Hue Imperial City.

Please be assured that we will do our best to facilitate your visit in Da Nang and I do hope you will take home with you fond memories.

May I wish you good health and all the best.

Your sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'C. Chien'.

Van Huu Chien
Chairman
Da Nang People's Committee

Invited Faculty

Canada

Harvey Lui

China

Flora Xiang

France

Olivier Chosidow

Germany

Marcus Maurer

India

Asha Kubba
Kiran Godse
M Ramam
Raj Kubba
Ventkataram Mysore

Indonesia

Hardyanto Soebono
Mahmud Ghaznawei
Retno W Soebaryo
Sandra Widaty
Sjarief Hidayat
Titi Lestari

Italy

Giuseppe Micali

Japan

Tetsunori Kimura
Hiroyuki Suzuki
Kazuhiko Takehara

Korea

Dae Hun Suh
Soyun Cho

Malaysia

Dawn Ambrose
Choon Siew Eng
Steven KW Chow
Agnes Heng
Le Ban Rom
Najeeb M Safdar
Norzalmy Azizan
Roshidah Baba

Philippines

Eileen Cubilan
Lorna Frez
Teresita Gabriel
Maria Juliet E Macarayo
Rona Nadela
Arnelfa Paliza
Francisca Roa
Lillian L Villafuerte

Poland

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Singapore

Chong Wei Sheng
Goh Chee Leok
Seow Chew Swee
T Thirumoorthy
Colin Theng
Wong Su Ni

Taiwan

Chen Chih-Chiang
Chung Wen-Hung
Lin Chrang-Shi
Lin Sung-Jan

Thailand

Gitta Neufang
Nopadon Noppakun
Pailin Puangpet
Rataporn Ungparkorn
Siriwan Wananukul

United Kingdom

Malcolm W Greaves
John McFadden
John McGrath
Jemima Mellerio
Alistair Robson
Catherine Smith
Jonathan White

Vietnam

Nguyen Huu Sau
Nguyen Si Hoa
Nguyen Tat Thang
Tran Hau Khang
Vo Doan Tuan

Keynote Plenary Lectures

- PL1.1: Training in Clinical Dermatology - East Meets West (Unandar Budimulja Memorial Lecture)
Titi Lestari
- PL1.2: New Discoveries in Inherited Skin Diseases
John McGrath
- PL2.1: AADV Welcome Address: Harmonizing Dermatology Training in Asia - Challenges & Solutions
- PL2.2: Unmasking the Mast Cell - Its Role in Health and Disease
Marcus Maurer
- PL3.1: What is New in Paediatric Dermatology
Jemima Mellerio
- PL3.2: What's New in Generalized Pustular Psoriasis
Choon Siew Eng
- PL3.3: Topical Therapy in Psoriasis - What's the Evidence?
Catherine Smith
- PL4.1: Update on Allergic Contact Dermatitis: New and Emerging Allergens
Jonathan White
- PL4.2: Filaggrin Mutations: Dry Skin, Atopic Dermatitis and Allergy
John McGrath
- PL4.3: Photocontact Dermatitis
John McFadden
- PL5.1: Update in Facial Dermatoses
Oliver Chosidow
- PL5.2: Emerging Insights in Photoprotection
Harvey Lui
- PL5.3: Cosmetic Contact Dermatitis in the Asian Patient - What's New
Lillian Villafuerte
- PL6.1: A Review of Melanocytic Lesions; Benign and Malignant.
Alistair Robson
- PL6.2: Melanocytic Lesions: An Indian Experience
Asha Kubba
- PL6.3: Cell Therapy for Pigment Loss and Alopecia
Lin Sung-Jan
- PL7.1: The Role of Dermocosmetics for a Holistic Acne Management Approach
TBC
- PL8.1: Update in Cutaneous Lymphoma
Alistair Robson
- PL8.2: Evidence-Based Approaches to Vitiligo
Harvey Lui
- PL9.1: Methotrexate - Optimising Use, Minimising Harm
Catherine Smith
- PL9.2: Emerging Treatment Approaches for Genodermatoses
Jemima Mellerio
- PL9.3: Therapeutic Strategy For Hair Regeneration: Hair Cycle Activation, Niche Environment Modulation, Wound-Induced Follicle Neogenesis, and Stem Cell Engineering
Chen Chih-Chiang
- PL10.1: Chronic Urticaria: Clinical and Therapeutic Pearls
Jonathan White
- PL10.2: Treatment of Systemic Sclerosis Up-to-date
Kazuhiko Takehara
- PL10.3: Hair Dye Fragrance and Preservatives - Allergy and Regulatory / Safety Aspects
John McFadden
- PL11.1: Next Generation DNA Sequencing for Inherited Skin Iseases
John McGrath
- PL11.2: Biologics in Psoriasis - An Update
Catherine Smith

Programme

Day 1 - 9th April 2014, Wednesday

0700	REGISTRATION				
0750 - 1700	<i>Ocean</i>	<i>Gallery 1 & 2</i>	<i>Gallery 3 & 4</i>	<i>Non Nouc 1&2</i>	
	Post-Basic Dermatopathology Course <i>Chairperson: Dawn Ambrose</i> <i>Co-chair: Nguyen Huu Sau</i>	Post-Basic Course in Clinical Dermatology <i>Chairperson: Tran Hau Khang</i>	Post-Basic Course in Contact and Occupational Dermatitis <i>Chairman: Goh Chee Leok</i> <i>Co-chairman: Pailin Puangpet</i>	FAADV(Dermatopathology) Examination 2014 0800 - 1000 Written Paper <i>Coordinators: Vo Doan Tuan</i> <i>Norzalmy Azizan</i> <i>Ha Nguyen Phuong Anh</i>	
0750	Introduction <i>Dawn Ambrose</i>	0750 Introduction	0750 Introduction		
0800	Leprosy and other Mycobacterium Diseases <i>M Ramam</i>	0800 Approaching Difficult Cases of Leprosy <i>Tran Hau Khang</i>	0800 Who Should be Referred to My Patch Test Clinic? <i>Goh Chee Leok</i>		
0845	Lichenoid Dermatitis <i>Asha Kubba</i>	0845 Facial Dermatoses in the Ageing Patient-Rational Approach in Diagnosis and Management <i>Lin Chrang-Shi</i>	0830 Which Patch Test System is Best for Me? <i>Pailin Puangpet</i>	Danang Hospital Dermatology & Venereology FAADV(Dermatopathology) Examination 2014 1100 - 1300 Slide Reading <i>Coordinators: Vo Doan Tuan (Chairman)</i> <i>Norzalmy Azizan</i> <i>Ha Nguyen Phuong Anh</i>	IOC/LOC Meeting
0930	Nail and Hair Diseases <i>Tetsunari Kimura</i>	0930 Clinical Approach to SCARs <i>Oliver Chosidow</i>	0900 Current Issues in Contact Dermatitis - An Asian Perspective. <i>Goh Chee Leok</i>		
1015	Coffee	1015 Coffee	0930 Conditions Which Imitate Contact Dermatitis <i>Pailin Puangpet</i>		
1030	Dermatopathology of Mast Cell Diseases <i>Mahmud Ghaznawie</i>	1030 Skin Eruptions of Connective Diseases <i>Kazuhiko Takehara</i>	1000 Coffee		
1115	Dermal Deposits, Mucinoses; Classification & Diagnosis <i>Alistair Robson</i>	1115 Clinical Approach to Genital Ulcers <i>Najeeb M Safdar</i>	1030 Patch Testing for Fragrances and Preservatives <i>TBC</i>		
1200	The Histopathological Analysis of Spindle / Pleomorphic Cell Neoplasms <i>Tetsunari Kimura</i>	1200 Unusual Skin Infections <i>Eileen Cubilan</i>	1100 Photopatch Testing - "Dos and Don'ts" <i>Chong Wei Sheng</i>		
1245	Lunch		1130 Asian Contact Dermatitis Case Reports <i>Pailin Puangpet</i>		
			1200 Q&A (Discussion)		Son Tra

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8	1345	Immunobullous Diseases <i>Hemangi Jeranjini</i>	1245 Q&A	1230 Lunch	<i>Son Tra</i>	<i>Son Tra</i>			
	1430	Genital Dermatopathology <i>Dawn Ambrose</i>	1300 Lunch	1330 Update: What to Add in and What to Take Out of My Standard Series <i>John McFadden</i>			1400 - 15.30 Viva <i>Alistair Robson</i> <i>Tetsunori Kimura</i> <i>Mahmud Ghaznawie</i> <i>Norzalmy Azizan</i> <i>M Ramam</i>	PSORIASIS in ASIA EXPERTS' ROUND TABLE FORUM 1400 - 1530	
			1400 Diagnosing Photodermatitis in the Asian Skin <i>Colin Theng</i>	1400 How To Increase Your Detection Rate of Hair Dye, Fragrance and Medic - Ament Allergy <i>Jonathan White</i>					15.30 - 1700 EXAMINERS' MEETING
	1515	Slide Review	1445 Diagnosis and Treatment of Difficult Psoriasis <i>Wong Su Ni</i>	1430 The ICDRG Patch Test Scoring Criteria - A Robust System with Clinical Relevance <i>John McFadden</i>			1530 - 1700 EXAMINERS' MEETING	<i>Son Tra</i>	
	1600	Coffee	1530 Dermatologic Emergencies - Pitfalls in Diagnosis and Management <i>Teresita Gabriel</i>	1500 Coffee					1530 - 1700 EXAMINERS' MEETING
	1615	Course Evaluation Collection of Certificate of Attendance Closing Remark	1615 Coffee / Q&A	1530 Big Questions: Is It "Angry Back" or True Multiple Positives? Is it Active Sensitization or a Late Reaction? The Patch Test is Positive, but Is It Relevant? <i>Jonathan White</i>			1530 - 1700 EXAMINERS' MEETING	Objectives: i. To Acquire the Skills and Approach to Recognition of CADR and SCAR. ii. To Understand the Pathogenesis and Risk Factors to SCAR in SEA. iii. To Develop SEA network	
	1700	End of Course	1700 End of Course	1600 Clinical Cases - Feedback on Clinical Cases <i>TBC</i>					1530 - 1700 EXAMINERS' MEETING
			1700 End of Course	1630 "Chee-leok Holmes" : Deduction and Detection in the Contact Dermatitis Clinic <i>John McFadden</i>					
			1700 End of Course	1700 End of Course					
	1710 - 1810	PROFESSORIAL GRAND ROUND 1 Malcolm W Greaves		<i>Ocean</i>					
	1900	"Faculty Dinner & St. John's Alumni Nite" <i>by invitation only</i> @ Don Ciprani's							

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Day 2 - 10th April 2014, Thursday

0700	REGISTRATION			
0800 - 0930	Keynote Plenary 1 "Dermatology in the New Millennium" PL1.1 Training in Clinical Dermatology - East Meets West (Unandar Budimulja Memorial Lecture) <i>Titi Lestari</i> PL1.2 New Discoveries in Inherited Skin Diseases <i>John McGrath</i>			<i>Danang Ballroom</i>
0930 - 1030	OPENING CEREMONY Presided by the Guest of Honor: The Right Honorable Minister of Health, Vietnam Arrival of Guests "Cultural Show - Danang Welcomes 21 st RCD" Opening Address by Associate Professor Tran Hau Khang, Chairman of the OC 21 st RCD / President Vietnamese Society of Dermatology & Venereology Introduction of Local Organising Committee / International Organising Committee Welcome by Van Huu Chien, Honorable Chairman, Da Nang People's Committee Address by Associate Professor Nguyen Thi Xuyen, Vice Minister of Health, Vietnam Opening of Trade Exhibition Tour of Exhibition Coffee Press Conference			<i>Danang Ballroom/Ballroom Foyer</i>
1030 - 1200	OPENING OF TRADE EXHIBITION Welcome Refreshments			<i>Gallery Lobby</i> Poster Exhibition
1200 - 1400	<i>Danang 3</i> Lunch Symposium 1 P&G	<i>Danang 1</i> Lunch Symposium 2 Galderma		<i>Ocean</i> Satellite Symposium AADV Summit & Business Meeting "Enhancing Dermatology Across Borders"

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Day 2 - 10th April 2014, Thursday

1400 - 1530	<p style="text-align: right;"><i>Danang 1</i></p> <p>Concurrent Symposium 1 Eucerin Symposium Breaking Vicious Cycle of Atopic Dermatitis; Delivering Promising Outcomes <i>Gitta Neufang</i> <i>Siriwan Wananukul</i></p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><i>Danang 3</i></p> <p>Concurrent Symposium 2 Cutaneous Inflammatory and Autoimmune Diseases <i>Chairman: Kazuhito Takehara</i> <i>Co-chairman: Soyun Cho</i></p> <p>CS2.1 Clinical Significance of Antinuclear Antibodies in Connective Tissue Diseases <i>Kazuhiko Takehara</i></p> <p>CS2.2 What's New in Livedo Vasculitis <i>Soyun Cho</i></p> <p>CS2.3 Treatment of Resistant Urticaria - What's New? <i>Kiran Godse</i></p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><i>Danang 2</i></p> <p>Concurrent Symposium 3 Photodermatoses and Ethnicity in Asian Skin</p> <p>CS3.1 Sun Damaged Skin and Skin Cancer - Dermatopathology Review <i>Tetsunori Kimura</i></p> <p>CS3.2 Photodynamic Therapy - Our Asian Experience" <i>Colin Theng</i></p> <p>CS3.3 Photoallergy : A Practical Approach <i>Jonathan White</i></p> <p>CS3.4 Phototherapy in Children <i>Chong Wei Sheng</i></p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><i>Non Nuoc 1&2</i></p> <p>Concurrent Symposium 4 Symposium on SCAR <i>Chairman: T Thirumoorthy</i> <i>Co-chairman: Francisca Roa</i></p> <p>1. Genetics and Primary Prevention of SCAR <i>Chung Wen Hung</i></p> <p>2. Use of Steroids in SCAR - Does is Work? <i>T Thirumoorthy</i></p> <p>3. Mortality in SCAR - Prognostic Criteria If Any? <i>Francisca Roa</i></p> <p>4. Dealing with Patients Multiple Drug Hypersensitivity Labels <i>Choon Siew Eng</i></p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><i>Son Tra</i></p> <p>Concurrent Symposium 5 Rosacea and Acne - Update <i>Chairman: TBC</i> <i>Co-chairman: Dae Hun Suh</i></p> <p>CS5.1 Insulin Resistance Associated Acne (IRAA) <i>Raj Kubba</i></p> <p>CS5.2 Rosacea - Challenges in Diagnosis and Treatment <i>Arnelfa Paliza</i></p> <p>CS5.3 Seeking New Acne Treatment <i>Dae Hun Suh</i></p> <p>CS5.4 Current Difficulties in the Treatment of Acne in Vietnam <i>Nguyen Tat Thang</i></p>	
1530 - 1600	Coffee					
1600 - 1730	<p style="text-align: right;"><i>Danang 2</i></p> <p>FAADV CONFERMENT CEREMONY</p>	<p>Keynote Plenary 2 PL2.1 AADV Welcome Address: Harmonizing Dermatology Training in Asia - Challenges & Solutions PL2.2 Unmasking the Mast Cell - Its Role in Health and Disease <i>Marcus Maurer</i></p>				
1730 - 1830	<p style="text-align: right;"><i>Ocean</i></p> <p>Free Papers 1 FP1.1 FP1.2 FP1.3 FP1.4 FP1.5</p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><i>Gallery 1</i></p> <p>Free Papers 2 FP2.1 FP2.2 FP2.3 FP2.4 FP2.5</p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><i>Gallery 2</i></p> <p>Free Papers 3 FP3.1 FP3.2 FP3.3 FP3.4 FP3.5</p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><i>Gallery 3</i></p> <p>Free Papers 4 FP4.1 FP4.2 FP4.3 FP4.4 FP4.5</p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><i>Gallery 4</i></p> <p>Registrars' Case Presentations FP5.1 FP5.2 FP5.3 FP5.4 FP5.5</p>	Poster Presentation
1900 - 2200	Welcome Dinner "Indochine Nite" @ the Courtyard					

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0700	REGISTRATION					
0800 - 1000	<p style="text-align: right;"><i>Danang 1</i></p> <p>Plenary Session 3 What's New? What Works? <i>Chairman: T Thirumoorthy</i> <i>Co-chairman: TBC</i></p> <p>PL3.1 What is New in Paediatric Dermatology <i>Jemima Mellerio</i></p> <p>PL3.2 What's New in Generalized Pustular Psoriasis <i>Choon Siew Eng</i></p> <p>PL3.3 Topical Therapy in Psoriasis - What's the Evidence? <i>Catherine Smith</i></p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><i>Danang 3</i></p> <p>Plenary Session 4 What's New in Allergy & Clinical Immunology?</p> <p>PL4.1 Update on Allergic Contact Dermatitis: New and Emerging Allergens <i>Jonathan White</i></p> <p>PL4.2 Filaggrin Mutations: Dry Skin, Atopic Dermatitis and Allergy <i>John McGrath</i></p> <p>PL4.3 Photocontact Dermatitis <i>John McFadden</i></p>				
1000 - 1030	Coffee					
1030 - 1230	<p style="text-align: right;"><i>Danang 1</i></p> <p>Concurrent Symposium 6 Galderma Symposium</p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><i>Danang 2</i></p> <p>Concurrent Symposium 7 Dermatologic Surgery <i>Chairman: TBC</i> <i>Co-chairman: Rona Nadela</i></p> <p>CS7.1 Extramammary Paget's Disease Update of Treatment <i>Nguyen Huu Sau</i></p> <p>CS7.2 Minimally Invasive Facelift <i>Syarief Hidayat</i></p> <p>CS7.3 The Epidermal Graft in the Treatment of Vitiligo <i>Flora Xiang</i></p> <p>CS7.4 Moh's surgery in treatment of skin cancer <i>Nguyen Si Hao</i></p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><i>Danang 3</i></p> <p>Concurrent Symposium 8 Congenital and Genodermatoses - Update</p> <p>CS8.1 Epidermolysis bullosa in Neonates and Infants: Diagnostic and Management Considerations <i>Jemima Mellerio</i></p> <p>CS8.2 Immunofluorescence Based Antigen Mapping in Epidermolysis Bullosa <i>Asha Kubba</i></p> <p>CS8.3 Infantile Hemangioma: Epidemiology and Treatment - Korean Experience <i>Soyun Cho</i></p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><i>Non Nuoc 1&2</i></p> <p>Concurrent Symposium 9 Leprosy & Other Mycobacterioses - Treatment Update <i>Chairman: Tran Hau Khang</i> <i>Co-chairman: Choon Siew Eng</i></p> <p>CS9.1 Epidemiology of Leprosy in Vietnam, 1983-2012 <i>Tran Hau Khang</i></p> <p>CS9.2 Leprosy, in Indonesia - An Update <i>Hardyanto Soebono</i></p> <p>CS9.3 Lucio Leprosy - Revisited <i>Choon Siew Eng</i></p> <p>CS9.4 Mycosis Fungoides and Leprosy Mimicking Each Other <i>Eileen Cubilan</i></p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><i>Son Tra</i></p> <p>Concurrent Symposium 10 Dermatophytoses / Recalcitrant Onychomycosis - Old Problem, New Solution</p> <p>CS10.1 Multiphoton Microscopic Imaging in Dermatology: Cells, Extracellular Matrix and Pathogen <i>Lin Sung-Jan</i></p> <p>CS10.2 Managing Onychomycosis - An Update <i>Seow Chew Swee</i></p> <p>CS10.3 Onychomycosis - Pits and Pitfalls <i>Rataporn Ungpakorn</i></p>	

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1230 - 1400	<p style="text-align: right;"><i>Danang 1</i></p> <p>Lunch Symposium 3 Eucerin The Invisible Truth of UVA & New Trend of Sun Care Selection <i>Rungsima Wanitphakdeedecha</i> <i>Pravit Asawanonda</i></p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><i>Danang 2</i></p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><i>Danang 3</i></p> <p>Lunch Symposium 4 GSK Importance of the Skin Barrier in Atopic Eczema and Psoriasis <i>Colin Theng</i></p>	<p>CS9.5 Drug Resistant Leprosy - What Tales are My Mice Telling Me? <i>Dawn Ambrose</i></p>	<p>CS10.4 Deep Mycoses - What We See in Indonesia <i>Sandra Widaty</i></p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><i>Gallery 1&2</i></p> <p>LADS BUSINESS MEETING</p>
1400 - 1530	<p style="text-align: right;"><i>Danang 1</i></p> <p>Plenary Session 5 The Face in Clinical & Cosmetic Dermatology PL5.1 Update in Facial Dermatoses <i>Oliver Chosidow</i> PL5.2 Emerging Insights in Photoprotection <i>Harvey Lui</i> PL5.3 Cosmetic Contact Dermatitis in the Asian Patient - What's New <i>Lillian Villafuerte</i></p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><i>Danang 2</i></p> <p>Plenary Session 6 Melanotic and Non-melanotic Skin Malignancies - East Versus West PL6.1 A Review of Melanocytic Lesions; Benign and Malignant. <i>Alistair Robson</i> PL6.2 Melanocytic Lesions: An Indian Experience <i>Asha Kubba</i> PL6.3 Cell Therapy for Pigment Loss and Alopecia <i>Lin Sung-Jan</i></p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><i>Danang 3</i></p> <p>Plenary Session 7 Non-steroidal treatment for Mild to Moderate Atopic Dermatitis The Role of Dermocosmetics for a Holistic Acne Management Approach <i>Giuseppe Micali</i></p>			
1530 - 1700	<p style="text-align: right;"><i>Danang 1</i></p> <p>Workshop 1 Making Treatment Work for Psoriasis <i>Chairman: Roshidah Baba</i> <i>Co-chairman: TBC</i> WS1.1 Managing Difficult Psoriasis <i>TBC</i> WS1.2 Patient Adherence in Psoriasis - MTAC <i>Najeeb M Safdar</i></p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><i>Danang 2</i></p> <p>Workshop 2 Good Clinical Practice in Cosmetic and Dermatologic Surgery <i>Chairman: Dae Hun Suh</i> <i>Co-chairman: Wong Su Ni</i> WS2.1 Laser Pearls <i>Harvey Lui</i> WS2.2 Patient Safety Issues - What and Where are the Standards <i>Wong Su Ni</i></p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><i>Danang 3</i></p> <p>Workshop 3 ASIAN HAIR FORUM 2014 (Treating AGA in Asians - What's Hot, What's Not?) WS3.1 Multi-Layered Environmental Regulation on the Homeostasis of Stem Cells: The Saga of Hair Growth and Alopecia <i>Chen Chih-Chiang</i> WS3.2 Hair Restoration Surgery - Update <i>Ventkataram Mysore</i></p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><i>Non Nouc 1&2</i></p> <p>Workshop 4 Allergies and Adverse Drug Reactions WS4.1 Contact Dermatitis Due to Metal Earrings - Why Does it Continue for a Long Time After Removal of Them <i>Hiroyuki Suzuki</i> WS4.2 Cutaneous Reactions from Chemotherapeutic Agents used in Breast Cancer <i>Lillian Villafuerte</i></p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><i>Son Tra</i></p> <p>Workshop 5 Dermatologic Infections and Exotics WS5.1 Hyperhidrosis - What Dermatology has to Offer? <i>Seow Chew Swee</i> WS5.2 HPV Infections - A Dermatologist's Perspective <i>Steven KW Chow</i></p>	

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1530 - 1700	<p>WS1.3 Malaysian Psoriasis Registry - Lessons Learned <i>Roshidah Baba</i></p> <p>WS1.4 Dermatology and the Art of Healing (Physician - Patient Relationship) <i>Lorna Frez</i></p>	<p>WS2.3 Light-Based and Laser Therapy for Acne <i>Dae Hun Suh</i></p> <p>WS2.4 How to Deal with Complications of Treatment Options in Melasma <i>Rona Nadela</i></p> <p>WS2.5 Credentialing for Aesthetic Procedures - Is a Central Registry the Way Forward - The Malaysian Experience <i>Noorzalmy Azizan</i></p>	<p>WS3.3 Optimising Management for Tinea Capitis <i>Rataporn Ungpakorn</i></p> <p>WS3.4 Seborrheic Dermatitis Treatment - Update <i>Giuseppe Micali</i></p>	<p>WS4.3 Trend of Occupational and Environmental Dermatoses. In Indonesia <i>Hardyanto Soebono</i></p>	<p>WS5.3 Syndrome of Severe Plamo-plantar Epidermolytic Hyperkeratosis in Quangngao Province, Vietnam <i>Ngyugen Huu Sau</i></p> <p>WS 5.4 Necrotising Faciitis <i>Oliver Chosidow</i></p>	
1700 - 1730	Coffee					
	<i>Danang 1</i>					
1715 - 1815	<p>PROFESSORIAL GRAND ROUND 2 Malcolm W Greaves</p>					
1700 - 2030	<p>Dinner Symposium <i>(Industry sponsored)</i> Cosmeceutical Science for Dermatologists</p>		<p>“Hoi An Nite” <i>(Optional)</i></p>			

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0700	REGISTRATION					
0800 - 1000	<p style="text-align: right;"><i>Danang 1</i></p> <p>Plenary Session 8 From the Bench to the Patient - What's New?</p> <p>PL8.1 Update in Cutaneous Lymphoma <i>Alistair Robson</i></p> <p>PL8.2 Evidence-Based Approaches to Vitiligo <i>Harvey Lui</i></p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><i>Danang 2</i></p> <p>Plenary Session 9 What's Works in Dermatologic Therapeutics</p> <p>PL9.1 Methotrexate - Optimising Use, Minimising Harm <i>Catherine Smith</i></p> <p>PL9.2 Emerging Treatment Approaches for Genodermatoses <i>Jemima Mellerio</i></p> <p>PL9.3 Therapeutic Strategy For Hair Regeneration: Hair Cycle Activation, Niche Environment Modulation, Wound-Induced Follicle Neogenesis, and Stem Cell Engineering <i>Chen Chih-Chiang</i></p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><i>Danang 3</i></p> <p>Plenary Session 10</p> <p>PL10.1 Dermatologic Hotspots <i>Jonathan White</i></p> <p>PL10.2 TBC <i>Marcus Maurer</i></p> <p>PL10.3 Hair Dye Fragrance and Preservatives - Allergy and Regulatory / Safety Aspects <i>John McFadden</i></p>			
1000 - 1030	Coffee / Tea					
1030 - 1200	<p style="text-align: right;"><i>Danang 1</i></p> <p>Concurrent Symposium 11 ISIS Symposium</p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><i>Danang 2</i></p> <p>Concurrent Symposium 12 Novartis Symposium</p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><i>Danang 3</i></p> <p>Concurrent Symposium 13 Dermatology in Travel Medicine and Heath Tourism - Sharing Experiences from ASEAN and Beyond</p> <p>CS13.1 Cutaneous tuberculosis & mycetoma in India <i>M Ramam</i></p> <p>CS13.2 Clinician- Pathologist Partnership - Benchmark for Good Practice for Dermatologic Diagnosis and Management <i>Nopadon Noppakun</i></p> <p>CS13.3 Body Dysmorphic Disorder <i>Jacek C Sczepietowski</i></p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><i>Non Nuoc 1&2</i></p> <p>Concurrent Symposium 14 Treating Pigmentary Disorders - Myths, Magic and Miracles <i>Chairman: Goh Chee Leok</i> <i>Co-chairman: Maria Juliet E Macarayo</i></p> <p>CS14.1 Disorders of Pigmentation - Basic and Clinical Dermatology <i>Hiroyuki Suzuki</i></p> <p>CS14.2 Acne and Pigmentation <i>Raj Kubba</i></p> <p>CS14.3 Lasers and Light Devices for Treatment of Pigmentary Disorders in Asians - An Update <i>Goh Chee Leok</i></p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><i>Son Tra</i></p> <p>Concurrent Symposium 15 Clinical Investigative Dermatology</p> <p>CS15.1 Advances in Immunocytochemistry <i>Alistair Robson</i></p> <p>CS15.2 Advanced Surgical Approaches in Re-pigmenting Leukoderma <i>Goh Boon Kee</i></p> <p>CS15.3 PRP Does Work-here is the Evidence <i>Kiran Godse</i></p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><i>Han River 2</i></p> <p>Concurrent Symposium 16 Photodamage / Photodynamic Therapy - The Asian Context</p> <p>CS16.1 The Treatment of Solar Keratosis Based on the Histopathological Features <i>Tetsunori Kimura</i></p> <p>CS16.2 Photodynamic Therapy in Asian Skin - A Singaporean Experience <i>Chong Wei-Sheng</i></p> <p>CS16.3 Melanoma in Asian Skin <i>TBC</i></p>

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				CS14.4 Topical Treatment of Melasma in the Philippines - An Update <i>Maria Juliet E Macarayo</i>		
1200 - 1400	Gala Lunch Symposium Global Dermatology in the Boardroom - The Asian Perspective An Exclusive Presentation by Panel of 3 Top Pharmaceutical CEOs.					
1415 - 1530	Plenary 11 Closing Plenary: Dermatology Top of the Pops PL11.1 Next Generation DNA Sequencing for Inherited Skin Iseases <i>John McGrath</i> PL11.2 Biologics in Psoriasis - An Update <i>Catherine Smith</i> Presentation <i>Hassan Galdahari</i> Closing Remarks <i>Tran Hau Khang</i>	<i>Danang 1</i>				
1530 - 1700	Hands-on Workshop (Laser) Industry sponsored	<i>Han River 2</i> Hands-on Workshop (Electro-surgery) Industry sponsored	<i>Non Nouc 1&2</i> Hands-on Workshop (IPL) Industry sponsored	<i>Son Tra</i> Hands-on Workshop (Clinical Photography) Industry sponsored	<i>Gallery 3&4</i> Hands-on Workshop (Patch-testing) Industry sponsored	
1930 - 2300	<i>Phoenix Palace Danang</i> Congress Gala Dinner & Closing Ceremony "Splendors of Vietnam Nite"					

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Day 5 - 13th April 2014, Sunday

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Resident / Trainee / Allied Health Professional	USD350.00	USD450.00
Accompanying Person	USD250.00	USD300.00
Trade Delegate	USD550.00	USD650.00
Day Registration	USD250.00	USD300.00

CANCELLATION AND REFUND POLICY

The Conference Secretariat must be notified in writing of all cancellations. Refund will be made after the Conference. The refund policy is as follows:

Cancellation on and before 1st March 2014 : 50% refund

Cancellation after 1st March 2014 : Nil

DELEGATE ENTITLEMENTS

- Welcome Reception
- Opening Ceremony
- Gala Dinner
- Conference Bag & Materials
- Admission to the Scientific Sessions
- Admission to the Trade Exhibition
- Lunches
- Coffee / Tea

ACCOMPANYING PERSON ENTITLEMENTS

- Welcome Reception
- Opening Ceremony
- Gala Dinner
- Souvenir Bag
- City Tour

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CATERING

Coupons will be issued for Congress Lunch and invitation cards for the, Welcome Reception and Gala Dinner and all scheduled refreshment breaks. Refreshments will be served from designated areas in the exhibition area.

Congress Information

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CERTIFICATES OF ATTENDANCE

Your Certificate of Attendance will be with your registration documents. Kindly ensure that your name is spelted correctly in your registration form.

BUSINESS / COMMITTEE / SISTER SOCIETIES' MEETINGS

The schedule of business meetings, committee and meetings of sister societies will be listed in the Congress Program Book.

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Attendance at this Congress should qualify you for CME / CPD points with your national credentials agency (NCA). Should your NCA need any further details the Organizing Committee will be glad to assist you.

TRADE EXHIBITION

The exhibition will be located in the lobby and annexe of Danang Ballroom and the Gallery Meeting Rooms and will be open at the following times:

Thursday 10th April 2014 0800hrs – 1730hrs
Friday 11th April 2104 0830hrs – 1730hrs
Saturday 12th April 2014 0830hrs – 1730hrs

21st RCD EXHIBITORS' QUIZ

There will be an Exhibition quiz form which can be found in your delegate bag.

Delegates are encouraged to participate in the quiz. Delegates must visit each participating exhibitor and answer a simple question. All completed quiz forms must be deposited into the Exhibition Quiz Box at the registration desk by 1400hrs on Saturday 12th April 2014. Prizes will be given out during the Congress Gala Dinner. Winners must be present in person to accept their prize. In the event a winner is absent, the prize will be given to the next winner on the list.

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EXHIBITORS

A full list of exhibitors and exhibition plan will be available in the Congress Program Book. The OC reserves the right to make changes to this plan as and when need arises.

FIRST AID / CLINIC

Should you require any medical assistance kindly contact the Congress staff. A basic first aid centre is located at the Registration area.

TRAINING WORKSHOPS AND COURSES

These full-day courses are open to trainees and registrars only. Participants must be registered with Congress at a token course fee of USD50. Each course is limited to 80 participants only. Each registrant is allowed to sign up for once course only. Box Lunch will be provided. Courses available are.

Wednesday 9th April 2014

- ABCD Basic Dermatopathology
- Contact and Occupational Dermatitis
- Post-basic Course in Genital Dermatology
- Skin Nursing Course

Post-Congress Industry-Sponsored Workshops shall be by invitation of the individual company.

POSTER EXHIBITION

The poster exhibition will be located at the lobby of the Gallery Meeting Rooms. The displays will be numbered and arranged as in the Abstract Book. Presentors are requested to set up and take down their displays as per specification in the Abstract Submission Form. Posters should not be removed until 1430hrs on 12th April 2014. The Organising Committee shall not be held responsible for any loss or damage to a poster presented during the 21st RCD. There shall be a prize for the Best Poster Display. Presenters are expected to be present during the official judging time.

REGISTRATION DESK

The registration desk will be located in the lobby of the Furama Convention Centre during the following hours:

Tuesday	8 th April 2014	1400hrs – 1700hrs
Wednesday	9 th April - 12 th April 2014	0700hrs – 1800hrs

INDUSTRY-SPONSORED AND SATELLITE SYMPOSIA

The details of Industry-sponsored lunch and concurrent symposia will be clearly listed in the Congress Program Book. If any of the symposia is of interest to you, kindly contact the staff of the relevant companies should you wish to have an invitation.

PAYMENT OF REGISTRATION FEES

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For on-site registrations payment can be in cash or credit card at the Registration Counter.

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SOCIAL EVENTS

Congress Reception “An Indochine Welcome”

(Open to all registered delegates, accompanying persons and invited guests)

Date : 10th April 2014

Time : 1900hrs

Venue : Furama Convention Centre & Hotel

Dress Code : Smart Casual

Accompanying Persons’ Tour (“Hoi An – here we come!”)

Date : 11th April 2014

Time : 1100hrs

Assemble at Furama Convention Centre & Hotel Lobby at 11.00 hrs. Tour Vouchers will be required.

Congress Gala Dinner (Danang “Retro Nite”)

Dress Code : (Traditional Costume or Retro Wear)

Date : 12th April 2014

Time : 1930hrs

Venue : Phoenix Palace, Danang

Shuttle will leave at 1900hrs from the Furama Convention Centre & Hotel. Entry by Invitation Cards only.

Limited Additional Dinner Cards available at USD 50 per pax.(Kindly purchase at registration Desk)

For vegetarians, kindly have this noted in your registration form.

Entry to industry-sponsored Lunch Symposia shall be by invitation cards issued by the sponsoring companies.

DANANG FACT SHEET

Đà Nẵng (listen) is one of the major port cities in Vietnam (in addition to Ho Chi Minh City and Hai Phong) and the biggest city on the South Central Coast of Vietnam; the city is situated on the coast of the South China Sea, at the mouth of the Hàn River. Đà Nẵng is the commercial and educational center of Central Vietnam, with a well-sheltered, easily accessible port; its location on the path of National Route 1A and the North-South Railway makes it a hub for transportation. It is located within 100km of several UNESCO World Heritage Sites, including the Imperial City of Huế, the Old Town of Hội An, and the Mỹ Sơn ruins.

Đà Nẵng has a tropical monsoon climate with two seasons: a typhoon & wet season lasting from September through March and a dry season lasting from April through August. The climate is expected to be cool, dry, mild and pleasant for the time of the Congress.

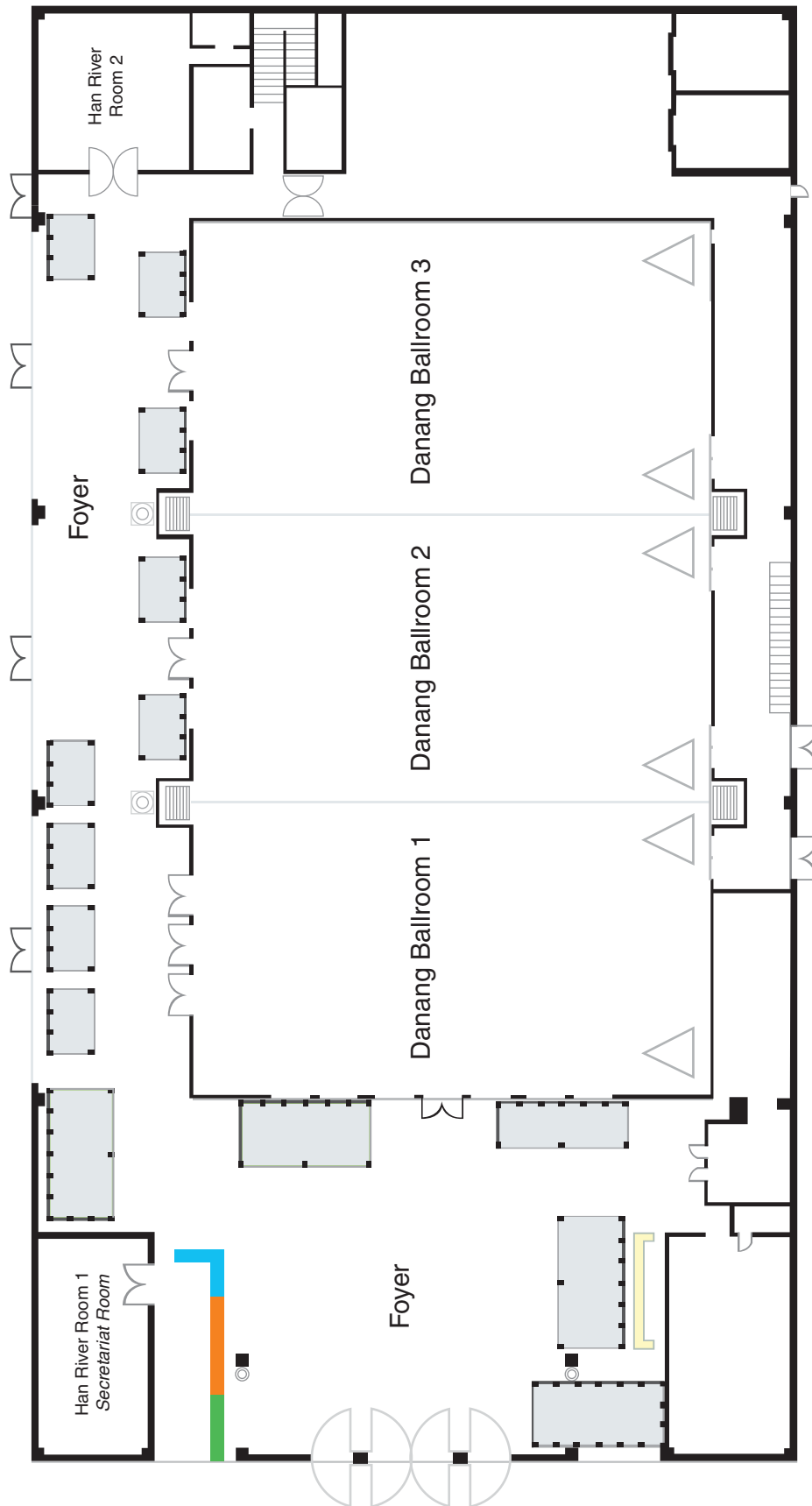
TRAVEL TO DANANG

An increasing number of national airlines fly directly to Danang from Asian destinations. Regular connection flights are available from Hanoi and Ho Chi Minh City.

Letter of Invitation / Visa Requirements

If you should require a visa to enter Vietnam for the 21st RCD, kindly contact the OC for an official Letter of Invitation. Visa upon arrival facilities is also available at the Danang International Airport. Detailed information is available on <http://govietnamvisa.com/index.php/check-requirement>

Danang Ballroom Layout & Exhibition Plan



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Please contact the tour operator for the Post Congress Tours.

Half Day My Son Sanctuary Tour



TOUR CODE : MICE-1A
DURATION : Approximately 5 hours
PICK UP TIME : 0800 hours
INCLUDES : Entrance fee, English speaking guide, Local lunch
TOUR FARE : Please refer to booking form

Visit the My Son sanctuary - a unique beautiful sanctuary world of the ancient Cham religion. Let's experience and hear by your own eyes this mysterious story! This tour is a must-see for those who are interested in architecture and ancient civilizations. My Son sanctuary was an imperial city during the Champa dynasty, between the 4th and the 12th centuries.

HIGHLIGHTS

- My Son was designated a UNESCO World Heritage Site in 1999.
- The site of religious ceremony of kings of the Champa dynasty, and was also a burial place of Champa royals and national heroes.

Half Day Hoi An Ancient Town Tour



TOUR CODE : MICE-1B
DURATION : Approximately 5 hours
PICK UP TIME : 0800 hours
INCLUDES : Entrance fee, English speaking guide, Local lunch
TOUR FARE : Please refer to booking form

Hoi An ancient town has maintained its ancient space of culture and architecture of traditional Asian trading port of Vietnam for centuries. One day taking a step back in time on this walking tour of Hoi An Ancient Town – one of the UNESCO World Heritage Sites of Vietnam, you will be impressed by many historical vestiges, pagodas and ancient houses, which are well-preserved from generations to generations of Hoi An people.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Visit its numerous places of interest: the 400-year old Japanese Covered Bridge, the Phuc Kien Assembly Halls and the local fish market
- Taking a boat trip on the Thu Bon River to enjoy the natural view and discover the normal life of local fishing people

Full Day BaNa Hills Tour



TOUR CODE : MICE-1C
DURATION : Approximately 8 hours
PICK UP TIME : 0800 hours
INCLUDES : Entrance fee, English speaking guide,
Local lunch
TOUR FARE : Please refer to booking form

Located in the Truong Son mountain range 25 km to the South West of Da Nang city at an altitude of 1487m and one hour by road from Da Nang is the Ba Na Hills. Its temperate climate, unspoiled forest, and spectacular views over the city of Da Nang's awe-inspiring bay and the Lao mountain range made Ba na a past popular place to retreat for the French. Today the area still attracts locals and tourists alike.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Ba Na cable car system in the central city of Danang was awarded Guinness records for the longest and highest non-stop cable car system with the biggest height gap between its departure and arrival stations.
- Visit Nui Chua, the mountain Peak, Linh Ung pagoda & Sakyamuni Buddha's monument

Half Day Marble Mountain Tour



TOUR CODE : MICE-1D
DURATION : Approximately 5 hours
PICK UP TIME : 0800 hours
INCLUDES : Entrance fee, English speaking guide, Local lunch
TOUR FARE : Please refer to booking form

The Marble Mountains, also referred to as Ngu Hanh Son or Mountains of the Five Elements, consist of five marble and limestone mountains: Thuy Son (water) which is the highest, Moc Son (wood), Kim Son (metal), Tho Son (soil), and Hoa Son (fire).

There are numerous tunnels and cave entrances in here which make it more alluring to the tourists. One of the caves had two large statues of Gods guarding the entrance. Statues of Buddha are present inside many caves. Since 1975 the Marble mountains has gained popularity as one of the major Vietnam popular destinations.

Full Day Hue Imperial City Tour



TOUR CODE : MICE-1E
DURATION : Approximately 9 hours
PICK UP TIME : 0800 hours
INCLUDES : Entrance fee, English speaking guide,
Local lunch
TOUR FARE : Please refer to booking form

Hue city – the ancient imperial city that dates back to the 18th century. The preserved ruins of the Citadel are a UNESCO World heritage site. It also preserved the tombs of past kings and the institutions of learning, culture and the Buddhist religion. Traditionally, the city has been one of Vietnam's cultural, religious and educational centers.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Established as the capital of unified Viet Nam in 1802, Hue was not only the political but also the cultural and religious centre under the Nguyen dynasty until 1945.
- The Perfume River winds its way through the Capital City, the Imperial City, the Forbidden Purple City and the Inner City, giving this unique feudal capital a setting of great natural beauty.
- Discover Hue city with Citadel, Tu Duc tomb, Dong Ba market and boat trip to Thien Mu Pagoda

Golfing

St. John's Alumni (Asia) Golf Challenge



This special event will bring aspiring golfers to the famous Danang Golf Club, voted one of Asia's best courses in 2009. This uniquely designed link-style course carries the hallmark of world-renowned Greg Norman.

Participants will vie for the coveted St. John's Alumni (Asia) Trophy in a team competition between golfers from different countries. In addition there will also be a competition for the best golfer who will carry away the RCD Championship Trophy donated by the Dermatological Society of Malaysia.

An optional game can be arranged at the adjacent Montgomerie Links Vietnam, the next day for those not fully satisfied with their earlier outing.

Montgomerie Links Golf Course



Montgomerie Links is located midway between Hoi An (a UNESCO World Heritage Site) and Danang, Vietnam's vibrant third largest city. It is just 15 minutes drive from Danang International Airport.

The 2012 Forbes Travel Guide rated Montgomerie Links as one of Asia's ten most elite courses. It has been designed to capitalize on its close proximity to the warm, tranquil East Sea and famed Marble Mountains, which are clearly visible from various points on the 18-hole course.

The over-arching design philosophy behind all of Colin Montgomerie's designs is to work closely with natural characteristics of each site. Montgomerie Links Vietnam has many truly outstanding natural features. The sandy soil, wind-blown dunes, and indigenous vegetation combine to create the framework for a very strong links-style golf course that caters to players of all abilities and is a sheer delight to play.

Although the course doesn't officially have a signature hole, the stunning par-5 12th is truly memorable. Playing slightly uphill to a bunker-riddled fairway, the hole is framed by the clubhouse in the background and has been described as the best par-5 in Vietnam.

Danang Golf Club



Danang Golf Club is just 20 minutes drive from Danang International Airport.

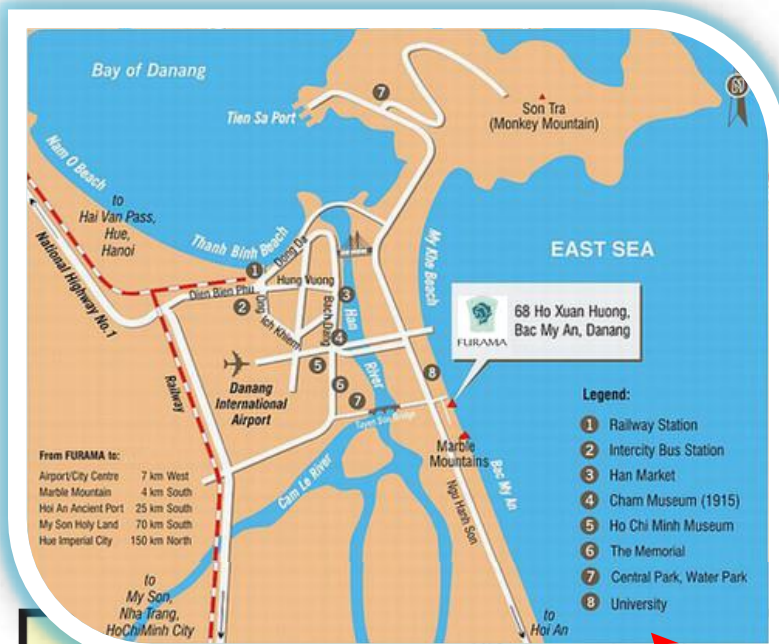
The Danang Golf Club opened in 2010 and immediately leapt to fame being recognized as one of the 15 best new courses in the world by USA GOLF magazine. The following year Danang Golf Club was voted the 2011 best new golf course in Asia by the readers of Asian Golf Monthly.

The course is built on the sandy loam soil of China Beach, a place where history is revered as much as golf. The Vietnam golf club is located directly on the

beach that the American's used for their first landing and adjacent to the American's main supply depot and airfield used during the Vietnam War of the 1960's. Here, along Vietnam's golf coast and amid a seaside landscape almost identical to what the world's first courses were carved from, an experience was crafted as much by Mother Nature as it was by the legendary Great White Shark, Greg Norman. In other words, it's links-style golf in the truest sense of the term.

Reminiscent of both Scottish links golf and Australia sand-belt courses, Australia's Great White Shark Norman has created something special in Vietnam that will make you want to play this course again and again.

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